



# Summer school "Between Memory and Oblivion"

24 - 26 June 2023  
Croatia

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The summer school "Between Memory and Oblivion" will take place in Zagreb from the 24<sup>th</sup> to the 26<sup>th</sup> of June 2023.

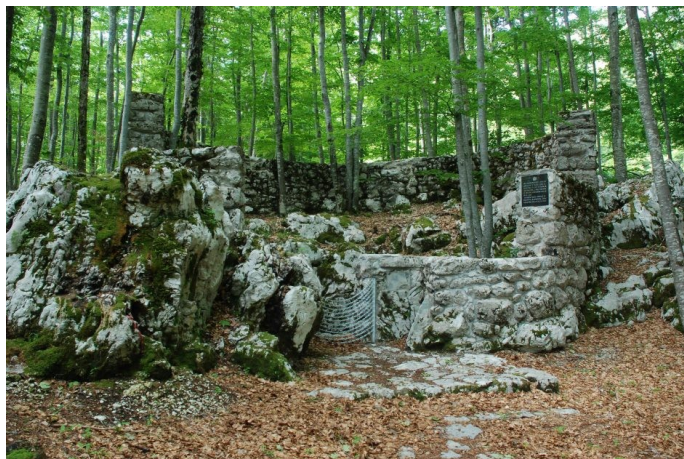
The summer school will deal with the topic of culture of memory and remembrance/forgetting practices in Croatia, through different methodological tools, including lectures, visits, taking part in commemorations, and workshops. On the second day of the activity, the participants will visit locations of the former Ustasha concentration camps from Gospić-Jadovno-Pag system where mostly people of Serb and Jewish ethnic descent were killed during the summer of 1941, and take part in the annual commemoration.

### Historical context:

On April 10, 1941, the Independent State of Croatia (NDH) was declared, comprising the greater part of today's Croatia. Founded under the patronage of the Axis powers, that is Nazi Germany and Fascist Italy, the NDH saw the Third Reich as its role-model when adopting both race laws and national legislation, which resulted in a series of statutes, rulings and ordinances that were issued over the weeks and months after its establishment.

These measures were primarily aimed against Serbs, Jews and Roma, making members of these ethnic groups "second-rate citizens". The policy of racial and national exclusiveness enabled the process of establishing the camp system in the NDH, which began to take shape in the second half of April 1941. The first arrests and deportations ensued during the initial stage, when the first camps were also established. Among them the Jadovno camp on the Velebit mountain, near Gospić, the camps in the Slana bay and near the Metajna village on the island of Pag.

For more information: [Slana Concentration Camp 1941 – Documenta](#)



Jadovno 2012.,foto: Jovica Drobnjak ([Jadovno 1941 / 2013. – Documenta](#))



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## COSTS

Traveling to Zagreb and back, accommodation, meals and all program activities during the event are fully covered by the organizers.

## TRAVEL COSTS

Please plan your traveling from your hometown to Zagreb and back, with **arrival on June 24**, until 11:00, and **departure on June 26**, after 13:00. The visit to Jadovno and Slana on the 25<sup>th</sup> will be organized by the coordinators.

The travel costs from your hometown to Zagreb will be reimbursed based on the cheapest and closest to the venue possibilities (second class railway tickets, bus tickets, low-cost flights), accompanied by the receipt of complete and original tickets, invoices, bills, receipts, or boarding cards.

Travel by car is acceptable if costs are shared by at least two participants. Please contact us to link you with other participants.

The maximum contribution for travel costs for one person, from hometown to Zagreb and back is **150 euro max.**

The project team will reimburse the tickets to the participants after the conclusion of the event.

### CHECK LIST FOR TRAVEL REIMBURSEMENT:

#### 1. Regular plane tickets must be accompanied:

- by the **original invoice** (signed and stamped)/receipt/pay order/proof of payment
- the **boarding pass** (the small ticket with QR code you receive before boarding the plane)
- the **prices** stated in the invoices, receipts etc. must **coincide** with the price on the ticket

#### 2. Electronic air tickets must be:

- **printed out** and include your **name, the exact fare you paid, details of your flight on the same page**
- provided along with **the credit card receipt for the payment or a copy of your bank statement** (clearly showing the payment has been made)
- given in with the **boarding pass** (ticket with QR code)

**NOTES:**

- Some airlines print “passenger receipt” at the top of the cardboard ticket. It is not accepted as a receipt of proof of payment. Therefore, if you book your tickets online, please, make sure to print out the e-mail you receive from the airline company upon the payment, stating how much and how you paid.
- If you use an App for booking your plane, be sure to save or screenshot the boarding passes, as they disappear from the application after you have used them.

**3. Train/Bus tickets**

- It is important that that **arrival and departure time** as well as **the price** are visible (+ invoices if available)

**Other important details:**

- Missing or lost tickets are not reimbursed
- Booking paper alone is not enough
- Any costs for taxi are not reimbursed
- Return tickets must be bought in advance before the journey

The travel must take place on the direct way within **maximum 2 days** from the dates of beginning and ending of the event. In case of long pauses or indirect routes (holiday travel), there is no reimbursement of travel costs.

**TRAVELING TO ZAGREB**

**By plane**, you can fly to the **Airport "Dr. Franjo Tuđman" in Zagreb**. The Zagreb airport is connected to different European cities via the low-cost line Ryanair, you can check the routes on their site: [Ryanair.com](https://www.ryanair.com). For general research of the flight connections we recommend Skyscanner: <https://www.skyscanner.net>.

If you arrive at the Zagreb Airport, you can find a shuttle bus from the Airport to the Central Bus Station. The buses are usually white, with the writing "Croatia Airlines" on the side. The Central Bus Station is the last station of the tour, the drive takes around 35 minutes. You can find more info here: <https://plesoprijevoz.hr/en/zagreb-croatia/>.

If you are planning to travel by bus, you can check the connections on Flixbus ([FlixBus](https://www.flixbus.com)) or [getbybus.com](https://www.getbybus.com). You can check this site for the train connections: [thetrainline.com](https://www.thetrainline.com).

## ACCOMMODATION

The participants will be accommodated in the **Hostel Moving, Kranjčevićeva ul. 61**, in shared rooms with 2 or 4 bunk-beds. The breakfast will be at the hostel.

## WORKING SPACE

The working space for the sessions in Zagreb (on the 24<sup>th</sup> and 26<sup>th</sup> of June) will be the **“House of Human Rights”, Selska Cesta 112c**.

From the accommodation, you can reach the working space via foot (around 20 minutes), or by tram (around 10 minutes). By tram, from the stop “Badalićeva” - just a minute by foot from the accommodation – take the tram number 3, 9, or 12, in direction “Ljubljana”. The nearest stop to the working space is called “Selska”. From there, the House of human rights is just a few steps away. You can buy a tram ticket on the tram or in the news-shop (kiosk).

## HOW TO APPLY

The Summer school is open to participants

- with **residence in the European Union member states**, and
- **from 18 to 30 years old**







To apply, please complete this form: <https://forms.gle/qhyDacf1EkhuYrNX6>  
**until June 4<sup>th</sup>, 2023.**

If you have any other questions connected to the project please contact:  
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## PROGRAM

24.06. Zagreb	25.06. Zagreb - Jadovno - Slana - Zagreb	26.06. Zagreb
Until 15.00 <b>Arrival of participants</b>	<b>Departure to Jadovno and Slana,</b> former Ustasha concentration camps	10:00 - 11:45 <b>Workshop on Remembering Marginalized former Concentration camps and Killing sites</b>
	<b>Memorial gathering</b> (organized by Serb National Council and Coordination of Jewish Municipalities of Republic of Croatia)	11:45 - 12:15 Coffee break
		12:15 - 13:00 <b>Evaluation</b>
	Lunch (lunch-packets in the boat to island Pag)	<b>Departure of participants</b>
15:00 - 16:30 <b>Welcome, project presentation and getting to know each other</b>	<b>Visit to location of former Ustasha concentration camp in Slana</b>	
16:30 - 17:00 Coffee break	<b>Opening of a new <i>memorial plaque</i> for the victims</b>	
17:00 - 18:30 <b>Presentation: culture of memory in Croatia</b> Aneta Vladimirov	Return to Zagreb	
19:30 Dinner	20:00 Dinner	

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