

The Holocaust Video Testimony Project

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Presentations

- June 2, 2005 Presented at Narrative Medicine Rounds, “Breaking the Silence of the Muted Witnesses: Video Testimonies of Psychiatrically Hospitalized Holocaust Survivors in Israel” at Columbia University
- July 28, 2005 Presented at International Psychoanalytic Association 44th Congress “Extremes of Experience: Their Role in the Processes of Traumatic Psychosis” in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil
- May 10 & 11, 2006 Presented at Lecture series, Trauma and Psychoanalytic Trauma Therapy, “Traumatic Psychosis - Narrative Forms of the Muted Witness,” at Munchner Arbeitsgemeinschaft Fur Psychoanalyse in Munich, Germany
- October 6-8, 2006 Presented “Traumatic Psychosis – Narrative Forms of the Muted Witness” at ISPS Eighth Annual Meeting: Trauma and Psychosis in Santa Monica, California
- October 14, 2006 Presented “Traumatic Psychosis- Narrative Forms of the Muted Witness” at MIP (Massachusetts Institute for Psychoanalysis, Inc.) in Askwith Lecture Hall in Cambridge, Massachusetts.
- May 6, 2007 Presented “Traumatic Psychosis- Narrative Forms of the Muted Witness” at the Freudian Society, Washington, D.C.
- May 25, 2007 Presented at École des Hautes Etudes en Sciences Sociales “Comparing Traumatic Psychosis with Listening to the Perpetrators: Distortions of Memory” Paris, France
- June 8, 2007 Presented “Evolving Narratives of Trauma; Testimony at Different Stages of Life and in Changing Societal Contexts” in Berlin, Haus der Wannsee Konferenz
- November 21, 2007 Presented “Traumatic Psychosis- Narrative Forms of the Muted Witness” at Beer Yaakov Hospital in Israel
- February 15, 2008 Presented “Traumatic Psychosis and the Holocaust: Narrative Forms of the Muted Witnesses” at Emory University, Atlanta GA
- February 29, 2008 Presented “Revisiting Testimony” at the European Social Science History Conference, Lisbon (Portugal) 2008
- October 26, 2008 Presented “Traumatic Psychosis” at PINC (Psychoanalytic Institute of North California), San Francisco

- February 26, 2009 Presented “Holocaust Testimonies Between Abyss and Creativity: The Evolving Struggle for Mental Representation and Remembrance” (Keynote Address) at The New School for Social Research, New York
- February 27, 2009 “Denial, imposture and, historical events – can a scientific method limit dubious mobilizations of memory” (panel presentation), at The New School for Social Research, New York
- February 28, 2009 Presented “The Evolution of Testimony and Psychoanalytic Perspectives” at AAPCSW (American Association of Psychoanalysis in Clinical Social Work), New York
- October 22, 2009 Presented “The Evolution of Holocaust Testimony: From Traumatic Muteness to Creative Narrative” Hastorf Lecture, Mount Holyoke College. Amherst, MA
- February 6, 2010 Panel presentation “Forgotten Victims: Scenic Analysis of Testimonies of Hospitalized Holocaust Survivors” Sandler Conference 2010, Sigmund-Freud-Institute. Frankfurt am Main, Germany
- April 14, 2010 Presented “The Narrativization of Traumatic Experiences Through Testimony and Strategies of Coping with Crisis and Witnessing”, Trauma and Violence Transdisciplinary Studies. NYU, New York
- October 10, 2010 Presenting “The Narrativization of Traumatic Experiences Through Testimony and Strategies of Coping with Crisis and Witnessing”, Studies Association Annual Conference. Oakland, CA
- November 5-7, 2010 Presenting “Co-constructing a Narrative: An Analysis of a Videotestimony of a Survivor Treated as Chronically Psychotic (panel)”, International Society for the Psychological Treatment of the Schizophrenias and Other Psychoses. Stockbridge, Massachusetts
- November 11, 2010 Presenting “The Narrativization of Traumatic Experiences Through Testimony and Strategies of Coping with Crisis and Witnessing”, at the Images and Narratives of Torture: Relations between Fiction and Reality Symposium, Duesseldorf University, Keynote Address. Düsseldorf, Germany
- February 22, 2011 Presented “Re-establishing the Internal Thou in Testimony of Trauma”, Tel Aviv University, The Van Leer Jerusalem Institute, Trauma Testimony Discourse Conference, Keynote speaker. Jerusalem, Israel
- April 16, 2011 Presented “Re-Establishing the Internal “Thou” Through the Narrativization of Trauma” at Division of Psychoanalysis, 31st Spring Meeting, New York
- September 24, 2011 Presented “Traumatic Psychosis: Narrative Form of the Muted Witness” at the Western New England Psychoanalytic Society. New Haven, CT