Magnified and Sanctified: The Music of Jewish Prayer II
The 2nd International Conference on Jewish Liturgical Music

9-12 September 2019

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Information for delegates

Start and Finish
Conference opens on Monday at 1.30pm. Coffee and registration will be from 11.30am. Conference ends at 3.30pm on Thursday 12 September 2019.

Conference Venue
The conference will take place on the campus of the Hanover University of Music, Drama and Media (HMTMH).

Hochschule für Musik, Theater und Medien Hannover
in the buildings Neues Haus 1 and Senatssaal (entrance Hindenburgstr. 2-4)

Most of the conference talks will take place in the Senatssaal in Hindenburgstr. 2-4. Performances and lunches will take place in the nearby “Ear Building” (Neues Haus 1), the uniquely-designed main building that is shaped like an ear, opening up to the surrounding wood on its north side. Lunches including vegan and vegetarian choices will be available for delegates to purchase, at the University Canteen which is in the Ear Building.

Hanover University of Music, Drama and Media is Germany's third-largest arts university and one of its most renowned institutions for professional training and academic study in the cultural and artistic field. 360 teachers, amongst them numerous internationally celebrated artists, educationalists and academics, teach nearly 1,500 students from all over the world in 33 study programs and world-class master classes. It arranges up to 500 cultural events open to the public every year.
Delegate fee:
As we were recently granted funding by the Ministry for Science and Culture of Lower Saxony and the Alfred Freiherr von Oppenheim Foundation, we are able to waive the conference fees for all participants. Those who already paid the fee will be reimbursed upon arrival in Hannover. We still have a small amount of bursaries available to support conference attendance. Please contact us if you would like to be considered for a bursary.

For those in Hannover on Sunday
Please join us for dinner at Masa restaurant, Georgstr. 50b, right in the city center: http://www.masa-hannover.de/

Getting to Hannover
Travel is not included. Please make your own booking.
For those travelling from abroad, you will find some information on locations and travel here: https://www.hannover.de/en/Arrival-Departure/How-to-get-to-Hannover. There is an international airport in Hannover with some direct flights from the UK and other European Hubs eg. Amsterdam. It might be economical to fly via Hamburg or Berlin (about two hours away by train).
The main train station Hannover Hauptbahnhof is about half a mile from the conference venue. You may walk or take in front of the train station (Ernst-August-Platz) the bus 128 or 134 (direction Peiner Straße), and get off at Hindenburgstraße.

Conference accommodation and food
Accommodation is not included. Please make your own booking. There are many pleasant hotels in Hannover town centre in walking distance to the university. Nearby hotels include:

1. **Hotel Alpha**, Friesenstraße 19, 30161 Hannover, [https://hotelalpha.de/](https://hotelalpha.de/) Keynote speakers will be staying here
2. **Cityhotel Königstraße**: Address is: Königstraße 12, 30175 Hannover, email address:city@smartcityhotels.com. Telephone: (49) (0)511/410280. Keynote speakers will be staying here.
3. **Andor Hotel Plaza**, Fernroder Straße 9, 30161 Hannover, email: mail@hotel-plaza-hannover.de, Telephone: (49) (0)511/33880
4. **Cityhotel am Thielenplatz**, Thielenplatz 2, 30159 Hannover, email: hannover@smartcityhotels.com, Telephone: (49) (0)511/327691
5. **Hotel Flora**, Heinrichstraße 36, 30175 Hannover, email: info.flora@hotel-flora-hannover.de, Telephone: (49) (0)511/383910
6. **Hotel Leisewitz**, Leisewitzstraße 11, 30175 Hannover, email: info@hotel-leisewitz.de, Telephone: (49) 0511/2887940

If you have any accommodation queries, please get in touch with miranda.crowdus@hmtm-hannover.de
Lunches will be available in the University canteen and will be covered up to 10 € by us. Vegetarian and vegan options are available. Please inform us of any special dietary requirements and we will try to organise this. On **Tuesday night** we will enjoy a sit-down informal ‘**banquet**’ with **open mic** at the local synagogue.

**Posters to display**

We will provide notice boards and invite delegates to bring A3 (or similar size) posters of anything they are involved with, that relates to the subject in some way.

**Map**

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