

Vilmos Voigt (Budapest): **A Suspension Bridge of Confidence: Folklore Studies in Jewish-Hungarian Scholarship**
Zsuzsanna Toronyi (Budapest): **Fixtures at an Exhibition: Making Judaica Visible at the Turn of the Century**

10:45–11:15 Coffee break

11:15–13:00 **RELIGIOUS CULTURES**

Chair: Balázs Déri (Budapest)
Christian Wiese (Frankfurt a.M./Sussex): **Hungarian-Jewish Scholars on Christianity and Christian Scholarship**
Shaul Shaked (Jerusalem): **From Bacher to Telegdi: the Lure of Iran in Jewish Studies**
Paul B. Fenton (Paris): **Georges Vajda and his Method of the Study of Kabbalah**

13:00–16:00 Afternoon break

16:00–17:45 **THE STUDY OF ANCIENT JUDAISM BY HUNGARIAN EMIGRANT SCHOLARS**

Chair: Gábor Buzási (Budapest)
Günter Stemberger (Vienna): **Meir Friedmann – A Pioneering Scholar of Midrash**
Catherine Hézser (London): **Samuel Krauss' Contribution to the Study of Judaism in Antiquity**
Isaiah Gafni (Jerusalem): **Adolf Büchler and the Historiography of Talmudic Judaism**

Pictures (from left to right):
Lipót Lőw, Mózes Bloch, Lajos Blau, Vilmos Bacher, Imánuel Lőw,
Adolf Büchler, Ignác Goldzicher, Bernát Heller, Dávid Kaufmann, Sándor Kohut, Sámuel Krausz, Sámuel Kohn, Lajos Venetianer, Mihály Guttmann, Miksa Weisz

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Program

Sunday, October 14, 2012

Venue: Central European University,
Auditorium, Nádor utca 9

17:30–18:00 **Welcoming remarks**

18:00–19:00 **Keynote lecture**

Chair: Nadia Al-Bagdadi (Budapest)
Géza Komoróczy (Budapest):
**Oriental Studies in Hungary and
at the Rabbinical Seminary**

19:00 **Reception**

Monday, October 15, 2012

Venue: Hungarian Academy of Sciences,
Kisterem (2nd floor), Széchenyi István
tér 9

9:00–9:10 **Welcome and greetings:**
Zsigmond Ritoók, Hungarian
Academy of Sciences

9:10–10:15 **LEOPOLD LÖW AND THE
FIRST GENERATION OF HUNGARIAN
JEWISH WISSENSCHAFT**

Chair: Andreas Brämer (Hamburg)
Michael K. Silber (Jerusalem): **The
Beginnings of Hungarian Jewish
Historiography**



Michael L. Miller (Budapest): **The
Moravian Origins of Hungarian
Wissenschaft des Judentums**

10:15–10:45 **Coffee break**

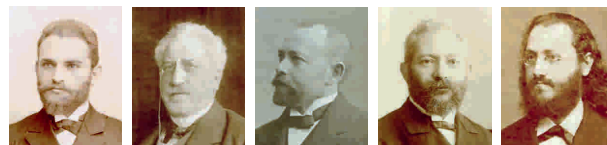
10:45–12:30 **IGNÁC GOLDZIHÉR: LONELY
MAN OF FAITHS**

Chair: Shaul Shaked (Jerusalem)
Ismar Schorsch (New York): **Value
Free Scholarship in an Age of
Academic Bigotry: the Rela-
tionship between Heinrich
Fleischer and Ignaz Goldziher**
Ottfried Fraisse (Leipzig): **From
Geiger to Goldziher: Historical
Method and its Impact on
Shaping Islam**
Tamás Turán (Budapest):
**Academic Religion: Goldziher as
Scholar and Jew**

12:30–14:00 **Lunch break**

14:00–15:15 **VENUES OF WISSEN-
SCHAFT: YESHIVA, SEMINARY AND
UNIVERSITY**

Chair: György Haraszti (Budapest)
Carsten L. Wilke (Budapest):
**Students' Itineraries between
Yeshiva and University**
Mirjam Thulin (Mainz): **Con-
necting Centers of Wissenschaft**



**des Judentums: David Kaufmann
in Budapest, 1877–1899**

15:15–15:45 **Coffee break**

15:45–17:30 **THE POLITICS OF
WISSENSCHAFT**

Chair: Victor Karády (Budapest)
Gábor Schweitzer (Budapest):
**Scholarship and Patriotism:
Research on the History of Hun-
garian Jewry and the Rabbinical
Seminary of Budapest
(1877–1947)**
Miklós Konrád (Budapest): **Hun-
garian Politics and the Construc-
tion of Denationalized Judaism**
András Kovács (Budapest): **An
Unhappy Ending: Jewish Educa-
tional Institutions under Com-
munist Rule**

Tuesday, October 16, 2012

Venue: Hungarian Academy of Sciences,
Kisterem (2nd floor), Széchenyi István
tér 9

9:00–10:45 **JEWISH SCHOLARSHIP,
HUNGARIAN AUDIENCE**

Chair: Kata Zsófia Vincze (Budapest)
Giuseppe Veltri (Halle): **Ludwig
Blau's Concept of Jewish Mo-
notheism as Cultural Deviance**

