



אוניברסיטת תל אביב  
Tel Aviv University

סדנה בנושא

**BUKHARAN JEWS: MAKING MEANING OF  
MEMORIES AND IDENTITIES**

A WORKSHOP

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All sessions will take place at Room 496, Gilman Building, on the main campus of Tel Aviv University. The sessions are opened to the public.



**9:30 - 10:00: Opening**

*Coffee*

**10:00 – 10:30: Greetings**

**Ehud Toledano (Director, the Graduate School of Historical Studies)**

**Eyal Zisser (Chair, Department of Middle Eastern and African History)**

**David Menashri (Head, Center for Iranian Studies)**

**10:30-11:30: Session 1: From Tsars to Soviets**

**Yefim Yakubov (Independent Scholar, Kfar Sabba, Israel)**

*The Declaration of Rights of the Native Jews—the last Legislative Act in the "Bukharan Jewish Question"*

**Ze'ev Levin (Tel Aviv University)**

*How it all Began: The Soviets and the Bukharan Jews Meet Each Other*

*Coffee*

**12:00-13:30: Session 2: Soviet Experiences**

**Yaacov Ro'i (Tel Aviv University)**

*The religious Life of Bukharan Jews after the Second World War*

**Dan Shapira (Bar Ilan University, Ramat Gan)**

*The Linguistic Situation of the Bukharan Jews at the End of the Soviet Period*

**Lunch**

**15:00-16:30: Session 3: Experiences Outside Central Asia**

**Sara Koplik (American Institute for Afghanistan Studies)**

*Experiences of Bukharan Jews outside Soviet Central Asia in the Mid 20th Century*

**Chen Bram (The Hebrew University, Jerusalem)**

*Experiences of Bukharan Jews as Soviet/"Russian" Jewish Immigrants in Israel*

**Albert Kaganovich (The Hebrew University, Jerusalem)**

*The Bukharan Jewish Diaspora at the Beginning of the 21st Century*

*Tea*

**16:30-18:00: Session 4: Making Meaning of Memories and Identities**

**Ingeborg Baldauf (Humboldt Universität Berlin)**

*The Soviet Union Remembered by Some Uzbek Writers*

**Thomas Loy (Humboldt Universität Berlin)**

*The Life History of Diadia Arkadii. A Biographical Approach towards Bukharan Jewish History*

**Yochai Primak (Tel Aviv University)**

*The Life History of Rebbetzin/Rabbanith Miriam and the childhood of Granny Lida*

*Clôture*



