Jewish Spaces under Attack: The Destruction of Privacy in Nazi Germany, Austria and the Protectorate of Bohemia and Moravia

In recent years research on the spatial turn has gained increasing importance in Holocaust Studies. While works such as *Killing Fields* and *Bloodlands* focused on genocidal spaces in Nazi-occupied Eastern Europe, research on the topographies of persecution in the years before the onset of mass killings is still in its early stages. The conjunction of the spatial concept with other paradigms, such as gender, agency, everyday life, privacy, and the history of emotions, has great potential, particularly for micro-historical studies. Our panel will explore this potential and demonstrate how the Nazi authorities and their local collaborators devastated the private spaces of Jews, thereby creating new topographies of persecution.

Stefanie SchülerSpringorum will connect the contributions to current research trends in Holocaust studies.