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Simon Wiesenthal Prize 2022 goes to Zikaron BaSalon, Waltraut Barton and Mohammed S. Dajani Daoudi

15 Mar 2023



For the second time, civic engagement against antisemitism and for educating people about the Holocaust was honoured with the Simon Wiesenthal Prize in Parliament. The award ceremony took place on 13 March 2023 in the National Council Chamber in Parliament.

Simon Wiesenthal Prize 2022: Award for projects to combat antisemitism and educate the public about the Holocaust presented in Parliament

13 Mar 2023



Main prize for "Remembrance in the Living Room", contemporary witnesses honoured

Event announcement: Award Ceremony for the Simon Wiesenthal Prize

06 Mar 2023

Vienna - On 13 March, the Simon Wiesenthal Prize for civic engagement to combat antisemitism and to educate people about the Holocaust will be awarded for the second time at an event held at the Austrian Parliament.

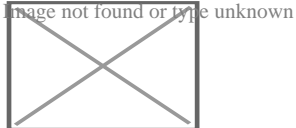
In Memoriam Retired Ambassador Wolfgang Schallenberg

10 Feb 2023

On Wednesday, 8 February 2023, retired Ambassador Wolfgang Schallenberg passed away at the age of 93.

#WeRemember on International Holocaust Remembrance Day 2023

02 Feb 2023



To mark International Holocaust Remembrance Day on 27 January – the day Auschwitz concentration camp was liberated 78 years ago – the National Fund of the Republic of Austria is taking part in the #WeRemember campaign.

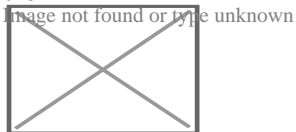
Nominations for the Simon Wiesenthal Prize 2022

18 Jan 2023

Prizes for civic engagement to combat antisemitism and educate the public about the Holocaust will be awarded in March 2023

“He didn’t always make it easy” – In Memoriam Karl Pfeifer

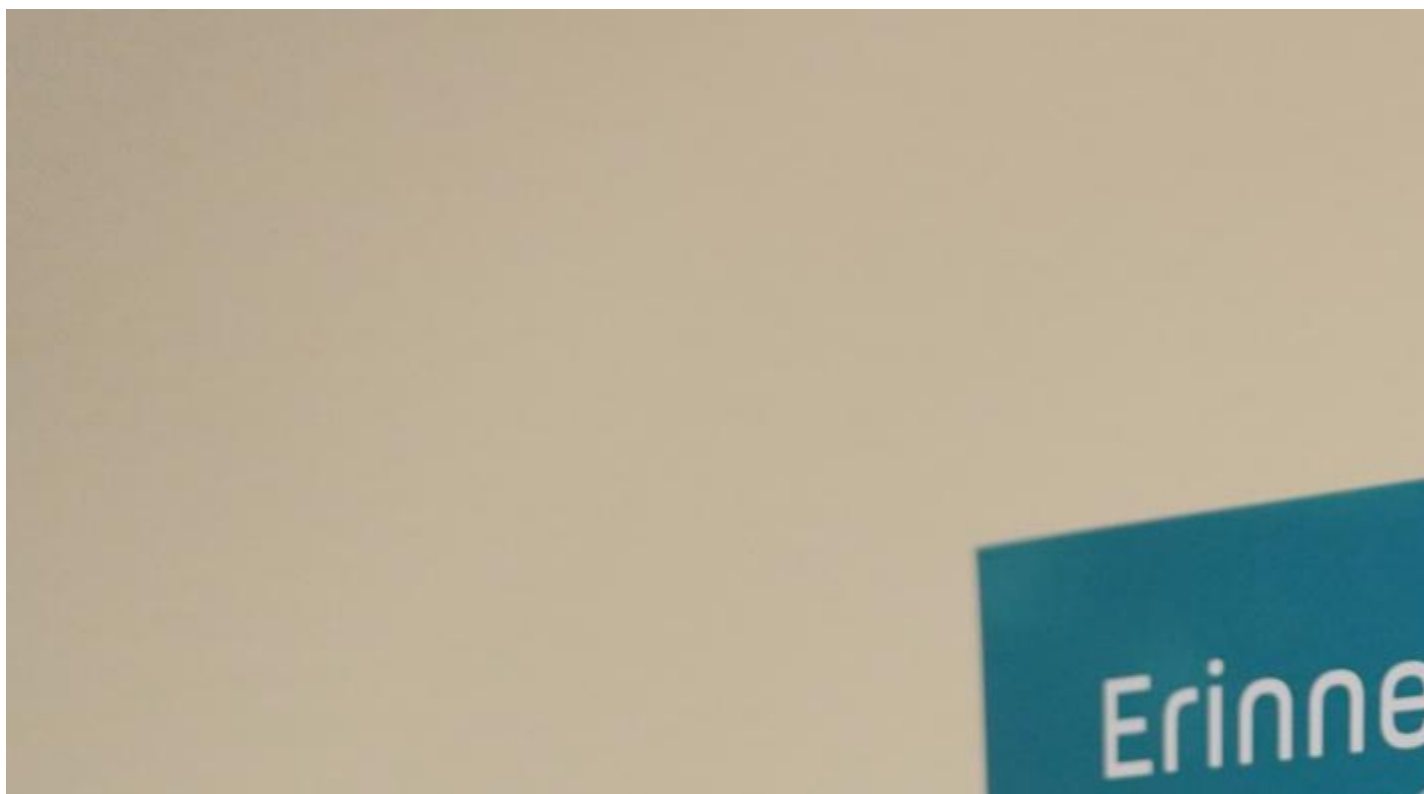
11 Jan 2023



Holocaust survivor Karl Pfeifer passed away in Vienna on 6 January 2023. A journalist and surviving eyewitness, he was a tireless crusader in the fight against antisemitism for many decades.

Emigration to “The Land of the Long White Cloud”

25 Nov 2022



“Exile in New Zealand”, the latest addition to the National Fund’s bilingual book series, *Erinnerungen / Lives Remembered*, will be presented to the public for the first time at the 2022 edition of Vienna’s annual book fair, “Buch Wien”.

Washington Agreement and General Settlement Fund for Victims of National Socialism

25 Oct 2022



2021 marked the 20th anniversary of both the Washington Agreement – concluded between the Austrian Federal Government and the Government of the United States of America to settle questions of compensation and restitution for victims of National Socialism – and the establishment of the General ...

Visit us at the Parliament in the Hofburg on National Day

19 Oct 2022

This year, the Austrian national holiday on 26th October will provide a renewed opportunity to visit the Parliament in the Hofburg before it reopens the doors to its location on the Ring in January 2023, following years of extensive renovations. After a two-year break due to the pandemic, the ...