

YOU'RE INVITED...

to the next public meeting of the
Calgary History of Medicine Society (CHOMS)

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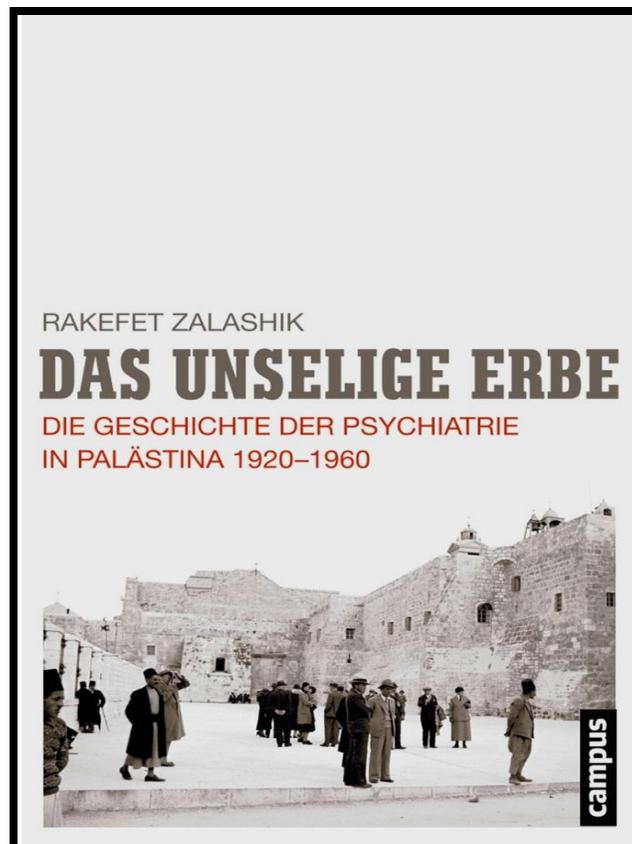
The Goldstein-Goren Department of Jewish Thought, Ben-Gurion University, Israel & Mirowski Visiting Professor, College of Liberal Arts, Temple University, Philadelphia

Presenting to the

Calgary History of Medicine Society, the Israel Studies Program and Colloquium Committee
of the History Department

**"Jewish Refugee Psychiatrists in Palestine:
Conflicting Scientific Concepts and Ideas on Health and Disease."**

Jewish refugee psychiatrists who came to Palestine in the 1930s encountered a new reality: a foreign rule, a majority of a native Arab population and a small, but growing Jewish settlement with national aspirations. As a product of the German medical tradition they brought with them scientific concepts and ideas regarding mental diseases, eugenics and race. The lecture discusses the transfer of scientific knowledge and its adaptation to the "new homeland", focusing on two aspects: eugenics and racial discourse.



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Wednesday, February 13, 2013

Begins at 6:00 PM

Evans Room, Rozsa Centre

The Calgary History of Medicine Society (CHOMS) is meant to be an intergenerational and interdisciplinary forum for everyone interested in the History of Medicine and Health Care. It is run by its members and all sessions are open to the public. If you are interested in joining this Society and participating in its future activities, please contact one of the following: Dr. Herb Emery (hemery@ucalgary.ca); Dr. Jim Wright (jim.wright@cls.ab.ca); Dr. Frank Stahnisch (fwstahni@ucalgary.ca). For any further activities, please see the homepage of the History of Medicine and Health Care Program (www.homhcp.ucalgary.ca) – CHOMS Tab.

RSVP: Please make reservations as soon as possible to Beth Cusitar (Email: bcusitar@ucalgary.ca) 210-9640. The Reception Cost is \$20 per person, at the door.