LANDSCAPES OF HOLOCAUST RESCUE



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CHRISTOPHER J. ANDERSON (TEXAS STATE U) 2024-2025 MARGEE AND DOUGLAS GREENBERG RESEARCH FELLOW

With its unique combination of location, topography, history, and people, the Plateau Vivarais-Lignon region in south-central France was a statistically and culturally significant place of rescue during the Holocaust. In this talk, Christopher J. Anderson (PhD candidate in Geographic Information Science) will discuss what computational analysis of survivor testimony transcripts reveals about the emotional discourse surrounding different kinds of landscapes and the meaning of the Plateau for victims and rescuers. He will reflect on the successes, challenges, and potential of computational methods for Holocaust Studies and Digital Humanities.





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