## Clark University Holocaust History and Genocide Studies Program

# **Frequently Asked Questions**

#### What is the Application deadline?

Application materials are due by January 15 of each year.

#### Is financial aid available?

Yes. We are committed to five-years of financial support for exceptionally qualified students whom we accept into the doctoral program.

## Are the Graduate Record Examinations required?

The Graduate Record Examinations (GRE) are recommended but not required.

## Is a Master's Degree required for admission to the program?

A Master's degree is not required for the Holocaust History and Genocide Studies Ph.D. stream.

Ideally, applicants to the Psychology of Genocide Ph.D. stream will have attained a master's level (or equivalent) university education.

## Is there a Master's degree offered?

No, only a Ph.D. is offered.

## How long is the program?

It is reasonable to expect that it will take two years to complete the basic course work, and three years to research and write a doctoral dissertation. Students are welcome to accelerate the pace if they wish to do so and if they are able to do so.

Note: Each student has to pass written translation examinations in two foreign languages before he/she sets a date for their comprehensive exams.

### How many students will be accepted?

Two to four students are usually admitted into the doctoral program each academic year.

## Can I obtain a degree by correspondence?

No, the doctoral degree program is not offered by correspondence.

Note: We do not offer summer or evening study programs.