

## Personal search and Jewish genealogy

The following is a list of addresses and websites that might help you find relatives:

- \_ Official Address Registry of Berlin 1895–1943 – <http://adressbuch.zlb.de/>
- \_ American Jewish Committee Archives – <http://www.cjh.org/collections/catalogs.php>
- \_ Ancestry genealogical server has, e.g., passenger lists New York (for a charge) – <http://www.Ancestry.de/>
- \_ Bibliographia Judaica Archive – Grosse Seestr. 32, 60486 Frankfurt/Main, Germany
- \_ Memorial Archives of Concentration Camps (e.g.: Buchenwald, Sachsenhausen, Bergen-Belsen, Dachau)
- \_ Auschwitz Archive – Panstwowe Muzeum ul. Wiezniow Oswiecima 20, 32-603 Oswiecim, Poland
- \_ Beth Hatsufoth (Museum of the Jewish Diaspora) – <http://www.bh.org.il/>
- \_ German Federal Archives (Bundesarchiv) – Abt. Potsdam, Tizianstrasse 13, 14476 Potsdam, Germany
- \_ Federal Association and Outreach Centre for Victims of Nazism (Bundesverband Beratung für NS-Opfer) – <http://www.nsberatung.de/>
- \_ Centre for Jewish History – <http://www.cjh.org/collections/catalogs.php>
- \_ Centrum Judaicum, Archive – Oranienburger Str. 29, 10117 Berlin, Germany. Depository for the files of victims of Nazism, forced labourers as well as membership cancellation files, Jewish Hospital files – [www.cjudaicum.de/archiv/](http://www.cjudaicum.de/archiv/)
- \_ Deportation files – Oberfinanzdirektion – Fasanenstrasse 87, 10623 Berlin, Germany
- \_ Documentation Centre of Austrian Resistance (Dokumentationsarchiv des österreichischen Widerstandes) – <http://www.doew.at/>
- \_ Family Genealogical Database of the Mormons, Berlin office – Klingelhöferstrasse 24, 10785 Berlin, Germany  
Tel: +49 (0)30 – 25 79 43 36 – <http://www.familysearch.org/>
- \_ German Red Cross International Search Service (Deutsches Rotes Kreuz, Internationaler Suchdienst) – Grosse Allee 5, 34444 Arolsen, Germany – <http://www.its-arolsen.org/de>
- \_ German Genealogical Server (Deutscher Genealogieserver). A digital library of family records, obituaries, etc., listed by town – [www.genealogienetz.de](http://www.genealogienetz.de)
- \_ Memorial Book of the Murdered Jews of Germany and Berlin. Available at the library of the Jewish Community of Berlin – Fasanenstr.79-80, 10623 Berlin, Germany – <http://www.bundesarchiv.de/gedenkbuch/>
- \_ Berlin History Workshop (Geschichtswerkstatt Berlin) – Tel: +49 (0)30 – 2154450, Goltzstr. 49, 10781 Berlin, Germany. Holds the Berlin registrations of the city's murdered Jews, by district – e.g.: “Jews in Kreuzberg” („Juden in Kreuzberg”).
- \_ Humboldt University (formerly Friedrich Wilhelms Universität), Archive – Eichborndamm 113, 13403 Berlin, Germany – Charité Hospital birth registry, student enrollment lists
- \_ Israel Genealogy Society – <http://www.isragen.org.il/>
- \_ Jewish Genealogy and Avotaynu – <http://www.avotaynu.com/>
- \_ JewishGen Germany database – [www.jewishgen.org/databases/Germany/](http://www.jewishgen.org/databases/Germany/)
- \_ Jewish cemetery at Berlin-Weissensee – Herbert Baum Str. 45, 13088 Berlin, Germany
- \_ Jewish Address Book (Jüdisches Adressbuch) of 1929 and 1931. Available at the library of the Jewish Community of Berlin – Fasanenstr.79-80, 10623 Berlin, Germany
- \_ Jewish Community of Berlin (Jüdische Gemeinde zu Berlin) 1947 – first post-war registration lists. Available at the library of the Jewish Community of Berlin – Fasanenstr.79-80, 10623 Berlin, Germany
- \_ Berlin State Archives (Landesarchiv Berlin) – Eichborndamm 115, 13403 Berlin, Germany. Holds financial disclosures, restitution claim files, etc. – <http://www.landearchiv-berlin.de/lab-neu/start.html>
- \_ Mailing lists – [soc.genealogy.surnames.german](mailto:soc.genealogy.surnames.german)
- \_ Berlin Interior Ministry, Citizenship Office, (Staatsangehörigkeitsstelle) – Fehrbelliner Platz 2, 10707 Berlin, Germany. Civil Status Registry inquiries Personenstandsunterlagen)
- \_ Civil Registry Office (Standesamt) I, Berlin-Mitte Ruckerstr. 9, Tel: +49 (0)30 – 2809140. All records pertaining to Germany's eastern territories, war deaths, persecuted Jews, etc.
- \_ Civil Registry Offices (Standesämter) (as of 1876), Records Office (Urkundenstelle). Hold files of birth and marriage certificates including those from church and synagogue records (legitimate necessity to obtain information needs to be proven)
- \_ Synagogue Archives – <http://www.synagogen.info/>
- \_ Yad Vashem, Archive – [http://www.yadvashem.org/wps/portal/IY\\_HON\\_Entrance](http://www.yadvashem.org/wps/portal/IY_HON_Entrance)
- \_ Berlin telephone directories (1904–1942) – Museum Foundation for Post and Telecommunications (Postmuseum), Tel: +49 (0)30 – 21711712
- \_ Jewish Genealogical Association of Switzerland (Schweizer Vereinigung für Jüdische Genealogie) – <http://www.svjg.org/>
- \_ Search methods, origination of family names, town names, address books: <http://wiki-en.genealogy.net/>
- \_ Databanks of association members (Vereinsmitgliederdatenbanken). Source for archived addresses – includes listings of links to other genealogical search sites
- \_ Central Archive of Jews in Germany (Zentralarchiv Juden in Deutschland) – <http://www.uni-heidelberg.de/institute/sonst/aj/>
- \_ Archive registry of forced labourers (Zwangsarbeiterarchiv) – <http://www.zwangsarbeit-archiv.de/index.html>

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