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Antisemitic myths in the mass-media from interwar Romania

The workshop aims to identify, discuss and deconstruct the main antisemitic narratives disseminated by interwar Romania mass-media. We will use two categories of sources: written materials (mainly press articles) and caricatures.

Learning goals: 1) to identify the anti-Jewish labels and the way they are constructed; 2) to deconstruct antisemitic imagery in order to uncover and analyze the intended messages; 3) to connect this rhetoric of exclusion with the legal discrimination implemented in Romania after 1938.