Dear EEGS Member,

Welcome to another genealogical sources and tips, as well as family history news. Listed below are genealogical tips, sources and family history news. Please also check our Facebook page for additional tips. [Facebook Page](http://www.facebook.com/pages/East-European-Genealogical-Society/155052604506503) If you are aware of genealogical tips and sources that may assist our members with their research; we would appreciate receiving them via email.

- **Five Tips to Discover Your Eastern European Roots** by Lisa Alzo: If you have no idea where or how to begin searching for your Eastern European Roots, or have heard that it’s too difficult, this blog lists five tips to help jumpstart your research. [Five Tips to Discover Your Eastern European Roots](http://blogs.ancestry.com/ancestry/2014/10/22/five-tips-to-discover-your-eastern-european-roots/#sthash.ijaQ4Hyg.dpuf)

- **GenTeam Additional Databases Online**: The collection currently contains almost 12 million entries.
  - Diocese Passau: Corrections and new entries
  - Marriage Index for Vienna 1542 to approximately 1860
  - Index of the Roman Catholic Baptisms from Vienna
  - Registry-Indices from Lower and Upper Austria as well as Moravia: Lower Austria (Arbesbach, Bischofstetten, Dobersberg, Grafenschlag, Großebersdorf, Heidenreichstein, Obermeisling, Rappottenstein, Schleinbach, Schrems, Waldenstein and Wolkersdorf); Upper Austria (Maria Neustift, St. Ulrich bei Steyr); Burgenland (Lockenhaus); Bohemia (Bukownik/Bukovnik, Schönbrunn/Jedlova); Moravia Althart/Stare Hobzi, Zlabings/Slavonice
  - Familiants in Prague
  - Jewish Indices of Prague for the years 1784-1804
  - [Sudeten.de](http://www.sudeten.de/cms/?Startseite:Heimat_Online) (in German); Translate this page. (In English)

- **“Würzeln in den Böhmischen Ländern - Heimat online”** (Roots in the Bohemian Lands - Homeland Online) Overview of German and international websites where home landscapes, circles and locations are presented in Bohemia, Moravia and Sudentenschlesien. [Sudeten.de](http://www.sudeten.de/cms/?Startseite:Heimat_Online) (in German); Translate this page. (In English)

- **Vital records (birth, marriage and death registrations) in the Kingdom of Poland**: Polish-Jewish Genealogy — Questions and Answers (While the title states Polish-Jewish, this info may be useful to researchers with Polish roots.) [Poland/Questions](http://www.jewishgen.org/InfoFiles/Poland/Questions.htm)

- **Polish Roots. 2nd Edition**, by Rosemary Chorzempa
  [Global Genealogy](http://globalgenealogy.com/countries/other-countries/resources/poland-218981.htm)

- **Bukovina Society of America - 25th Anniversary**: This website provides resources, families and village contacts, contact list of Bukovina Genealogists, Newsletters on-line, links, store and more. [Bukovina Society of America](http://www.bukovinasociety.org/)

- **Genealogy Search Engine**: Genealogy in Time Magazine (Check the website for additional genealogy supports.) [Genealogy in Time](http://genealogyintime.com/tools/genealogy-search-engine.html)
Gen Team Facebook:
- www.facebook.com/GenTeam.Die.genealogische.Datenbank. (German text)
- AiOeU - Ahnenforschung in Oesterreich-Ungarn (Family Research in Austria and Hungary) https://www.facebook.com/Ahnenforschung.in.Oesterreich.Ungarn (German text)

Google Translate: (Type email address in designated box.) https://translate.google.ca/

Canadian Vital Records at Familysearch.org
- Saskatchewan Probate Estate Files 1887-1931: Index and images of estate files from SK judicial districts. The estate records contain loose papers relating to the settlement of estates including such matters as provision for heirs including minor children as well as distribution of funds, land and property. This project was indexed in partnership with the Saskatchewan Genealogical Society. (Searchable Index and Browsable Images) https://familysearch.org/search/collection/1918293
- Saskatchewan on-line genealogy records: http://ldsgenealogy.com/Canada/Saskatchewan/
- Records for Canadian Provinces: https://familysearch.org/search/collection/location/1927164


Online German Genealogy Records & Databases: German Roots, Resources for German Genealogy on the Internet http://www.germanroots.com/germandata.html

Lutheran Records in Russian Poland: The Society of German Genealogy in Eastern Europe. Includes 160 parishes with a list of current records known to be online. https://sggee.org/research/parishes/church_parishes/LutheransInRusPoland.html


CONVENTIONS, SEMINARS, MEETINGS, AND PROGRAMS

2014

November 5, 12, 19, 26: Salt Lake City, UT, Family History Library, Russian Handwriting Classes (free) https://familysearch.org/blog/en/family-history-library-announces-russian-handwriting-classes/
November 11, 7:00 pm (Central Time): PBS TV - Finding Your Roots with Henry Louis Gates Jr.: (Episodes online) http://www.pbs.org/wnet/finding-your-roots/episodes/

November 15, 3:00 pm: Winnipeg, MB, Ogniwo Polish Museum Society Inc.1417 Main St., ‘Solidarity’ Immigration in Manitoba Twenty Years Later: Oral Histories Saturday, Central and East European Studies Program, presentation by Magdalena Blackmore, M.A. B.A. Instructor of Polish Language, Department of German and Slavic Studies, University of Manitoba (free) http://events.umanitoba.ca/EventList.aspx?view=EventDetails&eventidn=7430&information_id=15206&type=&rss=rss


November 19, 7:00 pm: Winnipeg, MB, Thompson Funeral Home, 666 Broadway Ave., East European Genealogical Society Monthly Meeting, Tracing Footsteps from Czechoslovakia in the 1940’s to Canada, Jane Seniw http://www.eegsociety.org/MonthlyEvents.aspx?NextMeeting=True

November 22: Los Angeles, CA, “German History and Genealogical Research” and “Emigration from Poland/Germany in the Nineteenth/Early Twentieth Century” by John Schmal, Polish Genealogical Society of California, http://pgsca.org/

December 18, 7:00 pm: Winnipeg, MB, German Society of Winnipeg, 121 Charles St., East European Genealogical Society Monthly Meeting, Family History ‘Show and Tell’, Dinner (cost) and Meeting (free) http://www.eegsociety.org/AllMonthlyEvents.aspx

2015

May 13-16: St. Charles, MO, National Genealogical Society 2015 Family History Conference includes East European topics such as, Research Jewish Genealogical Records from your Couch, Daniel Horowitz; German Digital Libraries, Baebel K. Johnson AG; Pity the Poor Pfuhl: Proving Immigrant Identities, Warren Bittner, CG; Back to the USSR, Tracing Your Russian Roots, Amy Wachs, JD, among other presentations. http://conference.ngsgenealogy.org/


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NOTE: (The EEGS does not endorse the services of any agency or organization but provides information only. The information in the sites listed above has not necessarily been researched in detail.)

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If you are not interested in receiving these tips, please e-mail info@eegsociety.org and in the subject heading state DISCONTINUE GENEALOGICAL TIPS.

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