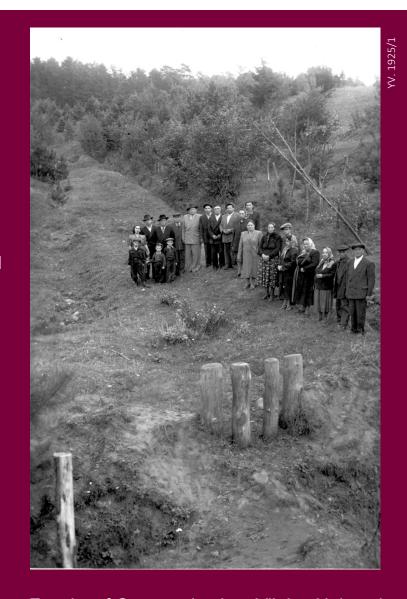


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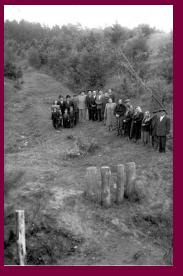


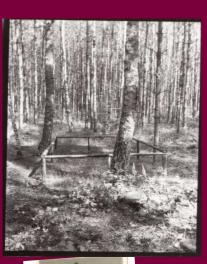
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# **Project origins**

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Before the creation of the Holocaust Atlas, information about Holocaust sites in Lithuania was fragmented and difficult to access.













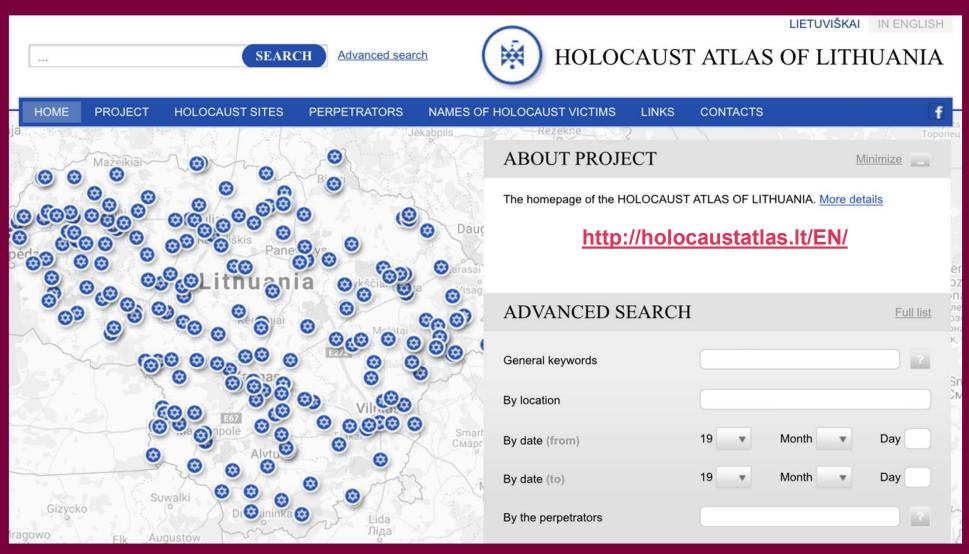




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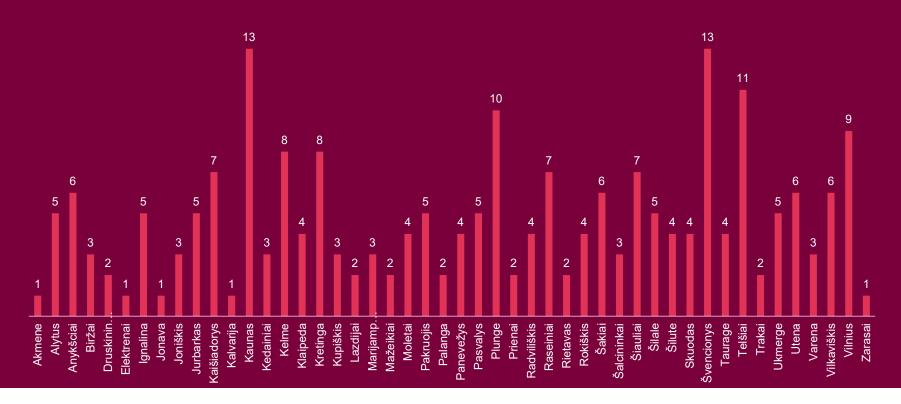
- Started in 2010 by VGJHM & Gedenkdienst
- Mapping spacial data: documenting massacre &memorial sites by combining archives, testimonies, geography

# Content and scope

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- 223 sites documented:
- Location, date, victims, perpetrators, crime committed, photos of memorials, references to the sources

#### Mass killing sites in the districts



# **Target audience**

- Researchers and historians
- Teachers and students
- Heritage specialists
- Public and families





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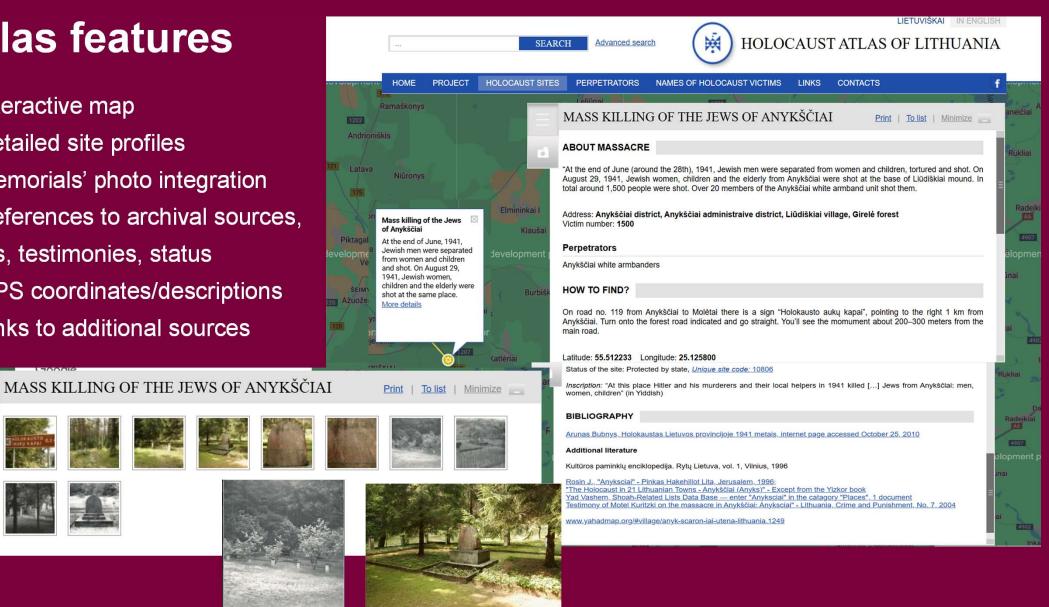






## Atlas features

- Interactive map
- Detailed site profiles
- Memorials' photo integration
- References to archival sources,
- books, testimonies, status
- GPS coordinates/descriptions
- Links to additional sources



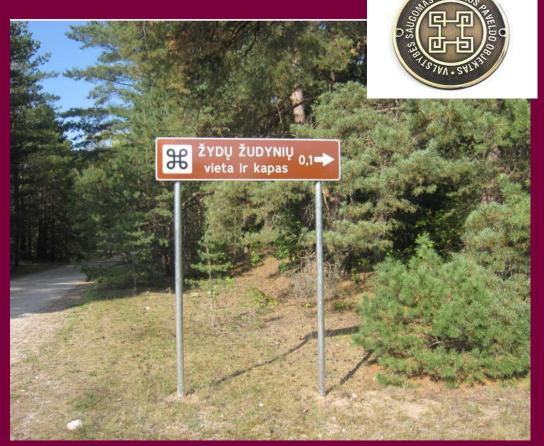
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# Holocaust sites as national heritage

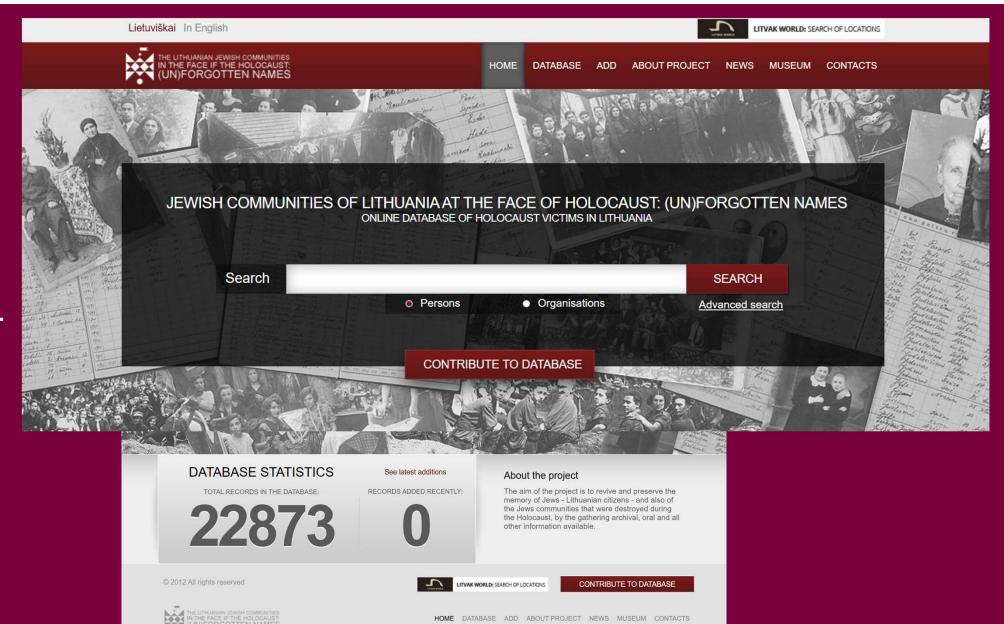
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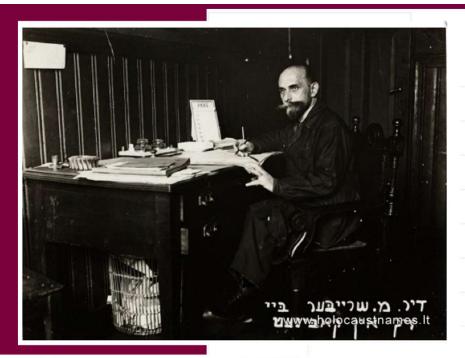
7 regional branches

48 district branches



Register of Cultural Heritage of Lithuania . Marcinkevičius public library in Prienai, Cultural heritage department





| Val | lentina | Schreiber |  |
|-----|---------|-----------|--|
|     |         |           |  |

| Birth date         | 1892   |
|--------------------|--|
| Gender             | Female   |
| Place of residence | Šiaulių g. 4, Vilniaus getas, Vilnius (See on the map) |
| Date of death      | unknown  |
| Survived holocaust | not survived   |
| Trade              | Cook   |
| Maritial status    | Married  |
| Name of spouse     | Mateusz (Matitjahu, Moišė) Schreiber                   |
| Number of children | 2  |
| Mentioned last     | 1942   |
| Publication        | LCVA, f. R-643, ap. 5, b. 156.                         |
|                    |  |

#### Rachela Schreiber

| Parental name      | Mateusz                              |
|--------------------|--------------------------------------|
| Birth date         | 1926                                 |
| Gender             | Female                               |
| Date of death      | unknown                              |
| Survived holocaust | not survived                         |
| Trade              | Cook                                 |
| Parents            | Mateusz (Matitjahu, Molšé) Schreiber |
| Maritial status    | Single                               |
| Mentioned last     | 1942                                 |
| Publication        | LCVA, f. R-643, ap. 5, b. 156.       |

| Mateusz (Matitjahu, Moišė) Schreiber |  |  |
|--------------------------------------|--|--|
| Birth date                           | 1887   |  |
| Gender                               | Male   |  |
| Place of residence                   | Šiaulių g. 4, Vilniaus getas, Vilnius (See on the map) |  |
| Date of death                        | 1944   |  |
| Survived holocaust                   | not survived   |  |
| Murder place                         | Klooga, Estija   |  |
| Trade                                | Head of electrition workshop                           |  |
| Maritial status                      | Married  |  |
| Name of spouse                       | Valentina Schreiber                                    |  |
| Number of children                   | 2  |  |
| Daugher's name                       | Rachela Schreiber                                      |  |

Sulamita Schreiber

among Jews ORT

1942

Society for the Promotion of Trades and Diligence

LCVA, f. R-643, ap. 5, b. 156.

#### Additional information

2 Daugher's name

Part of organization

Mentioned last

Publication

H. Krukas, Paskutinės Lietuvos Jeruzalės dienos, Vilnius, 2004.

# **Projects advantages**

- Accessibility
- Visual dimension
- Educational use
- Preservation of memory
- Possibility to contribute

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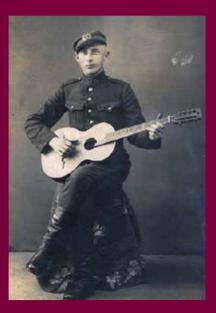


Photos: Varèna local museum, personal p

# Challenges

- Incomplete data
- Ethical dilemmas
- Technological needs
- Lack of staff members
- Funding shortage

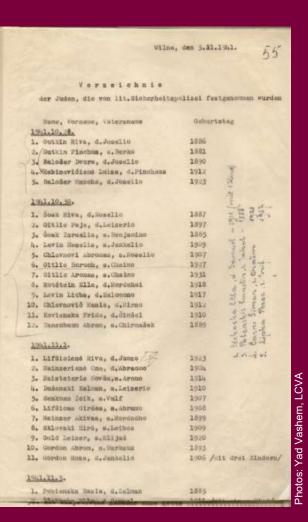








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# Conclusions

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- Unique tool combining geography and history
- Part of memory culture
- Foundation for research and education









# Thank you

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