

## THE GHIL LIBRARY

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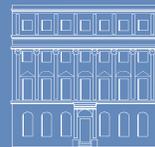
Acquisitions of the most important works on German history are as comprehensive as possible. The intention is to cover the whole spectrum of German historiography, providing a reliable base for research on all aspects of German history. The library is conveniently located in the heart of Bloomsbury, close to the British Museum, Senate House and the LSE.

The Common Room offers space for group discussions and chats over a cup of tea.



**Nearest Underground stations:**  
Holborn and Tottenham Court Road

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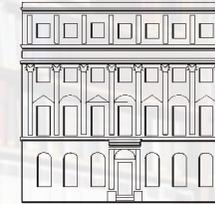
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### Opening Times

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Thursday: 10:00-20:00

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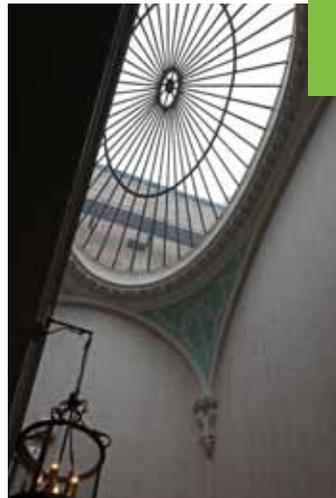
Most comprehensive and up-to-date library on German history in the UK. Recently published books can be made available to readers very quickly and we invite readers to make suggestions for new acquisitions.

- Quiet and spacious work areas in a beautiful historical building
- 80 000 books in German and English (including translations were available)
- Subscription to 230 current periodicals including all important German regional history journals
- German and English newspapers and magazines
- Specialised library staff answer enquiries and assist with research
- Facilities for photocopying and scanning (no charge for scanning to USB)
- Free wifi and internet access for registered users
- Library catalogue available online at <http://www2.ghil.ac.uk/catalogue>

- A wide range of electronic publications, bibliographical databases, full-text resources and e-journals available for readers to consult in the library, e.g. *Digizeitschriften*, *Frankfurter Allgemeine Zeitung 1949-1992*, *Justiz und NS-Verbrechen*, *Kindlers Literatur Lexikon*, *Munzinger Archiv* and others
- Access to Refugee Voices, a major audio-visual archive for the study of the Holocaust and the history of German refugees and migrants to Britain
- Important microform collections of primary sources, e.g. *Deutsche Zeitschriften des 18. und 19. Jahrhunderts*, *Pressearchiv zur Geschichte Deutschlands sowie zur Internationalen Politik 1949-1960*, *Partei und Staat in der DDR* and many more

All books and journals are freely accessible on open shelves but cannot be taken out on loan.

Study in the quiet atmosphere of a John Nash building.



## ACCESS

The library is open to the public. No appointment is necessary. Readers' tickets, for which a passport photo and recent proof of address are required, are available at reception free of charge.

## READERS WITH DISABILITIES

Access to the GHIL from the street is via a few steps. However, a ramp can be provided to enable wheelchair users to enter the building. A lift connects all floors of the building and a toilet is available for disabled visitors. Please contact us in advance if assistance is required.

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Guided tours of the library are available at 4 p.m. before the Tuesday seminars. Induction for new readers at the time of registration. Tours for groups are available by arrangement at any time.

Further details are available at:  
<http://www.ghil.ac.uk/library>