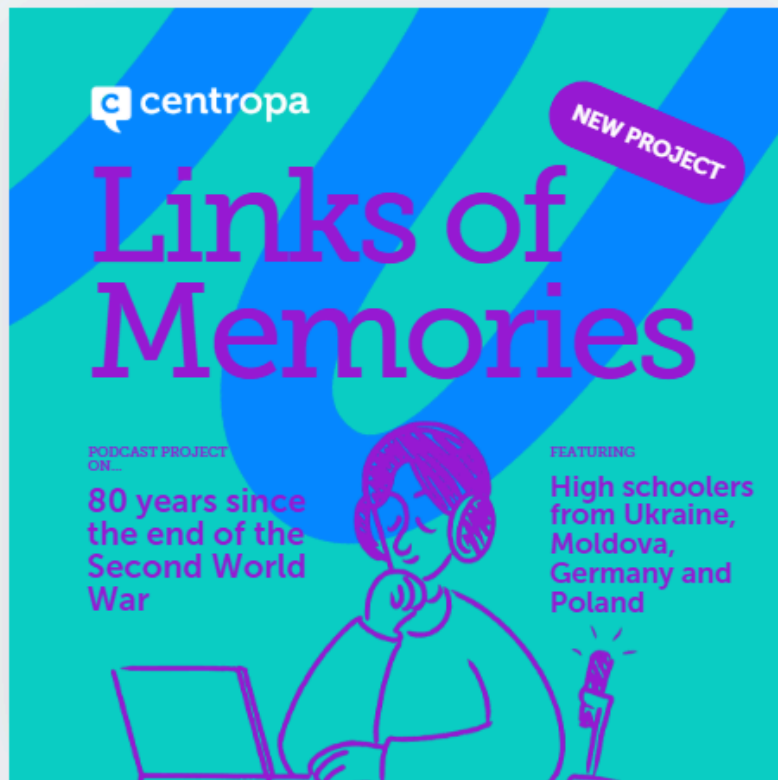




High School Competition 2025/2026
“Links of Memories -
80 years since the end of World War II”

Deadline: January 31, 2026

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Dear teachers and students,

For the **International Youth Competition** in the project “Links of Memories - 80 years since the end of World War II”, we invite students from **Germany, Moldova, Poland, and Ukraine** to send us their creative projects in the category:

- **Podcasts or audio features**

on one of the following topics:

- **80 years since the end of World War II in my country / town**
- **Biography (with a specific focus on End of War stories) of a Jewish person from my region in the Centropa archive**

Very welcome are, for example, projects that highlight the significance of the 80th anniversary since the end of the War in your country, town or region; commemoration places and activities and their relevance to you; Jewish biographies throughout history of your country or town, with a focus on their post-War experiences; following the traces of a biography from the Centropa Archive in your region.

Please refer to the [Podcasts / Audio guidelines](#) for instructions on your submission.

If you need help or have any questions, reach out to our local coordinators:

- Germany: Esther Cotoarba, cotoarba@centropa.org
- Moldova: Ion Ungureanu, ungureanuion.14@gmail.com
- Poland: Katarzyna Suszkiewicz, katarzyna@galiciajewishmuseum.org
- Ukraine: Bozhena Pelenska, Pelenska@insha-osvita.org

Submission deadline: January 31, 2026. Submit your project [here](#).

Prize: The winning entry from each country will be invited to a weekend in Krakow, including an official award ceremony. The event will take place from April 18th to 19th in Krakow (Poland).

Please share this call with interested parties!

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