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Remembrance for the Future: Memorial and Renewal through Stage Performance

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What do Jewish theater companies throughout the Diaspora have in common? What makes Jewish theater universal? Who are the target audience groups of the **Jewish Theater of Austria**? From the start, the creative work of the Jewish Theater of Austria has sought to commemorate the tragic events of the 20th Century and produces critically reflective, new works set in the present.



Warren Rosenzweig is a playwright, director, and producer of contemporary nonprofit theater. The former Producing Artistic Director of New York's award-winning BACA Downtown Theater for new plays, performance art, experimental theater, and dance performance, Rosenzweig founded the Jewish Theater of Austria in 1999 and is its Artistic Director. He is an active member of the Dramatists Guild of America and has been a guest lecturer in Theater Studies at the University of Vienna.



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This event is free and open to the public.

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