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## A Global Perspective on Antisemitism and the Left Podcast series of the Weidenfeld Institute of Jewish Studies

Antisemitic incidents in 2021 in the UK reached an all-time high, according to gures compiled by the Community Security Trust, the charity that seeks to protect the Jewish community and which monitors antisemitism.

The majority of these antisemitic incidents appear to be linked to events in the Middle East but some stem from the activities of far right and neo-Nazi homegrown organisations.

However home-grown antisemitism is not con ned to the far right. A series of webcasts and podcasts just launched by the Institute examines the phenomenon of left antisemitism in the UK, Germany and the United States.

Commenting on the series Professor Gideon Reuveni, Institute Director said: 'Since the Second World War, antisemitism has mainly

## Kim Wünschmann appointed Director of the Institute for the History of the German Jews in Hamburg

Kim Wünschmann served as DAAD Lecturer at the Centre for German-Jewish Studies from 2015 to 2017. After four years at LMU Munich she has taken up a new position as Director of the Institute for the History of the German Jews in Hamburg (IGdJ). With fond memories of her time at Sussex she sends warm regards and a short report:

'To head a research institution that, when established in 1966, was the rst in the Federal Republic to dedicate itself entirely to German-Jewish history, IIs me with great joy and deep respect. During my own studies, I got to know the Institute as a place of inspiring scholarship

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