1. Record Nr. UNISA996588064103316 Autore Schwartz Daniel R. Titolo Ancient Jewish Historians and the German Reich: Seven Studies // Daniel R. Schwartz Pubbl/distr/stampa München; ; Wien:,: De Gruyter Oldenbourg,, [2024] ©2024 **ISBN** 3-11-076534-9 Edizione [1st ed.] Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (XVII, 180 p.) Disciplina 943.007202 Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Monografia Livello bibliografico Apart from an opening survey of modern study of ancient Jewish Sommario/riassunto history, which emphasizes the foundational role of German-Jewish scholars, the studies united in this volume apply philological methods to the writings of four of them: Heinrich Graetz, Isaak Heinemann, Elias Bickerman(n), and Abraham Schalit. In each case, it is argued that some seemingly trivial anomaly or infelicity, in a publication about such ancient characters as Antiochus Epiphanes, Herod, and Josephus, points to the way in which the historian constructed, and revised, his understanding of the Jews' situation under Greeks or Romans in light of his perception of the Jews' situation under the Second or Third Reich. The collection also includes a study that focuses on a Jewish medievalist, Philipp Jaffé, and unravels the indirect but inexorable process that led from a scholarly feud about the editing of medieval Latin texts, in the 1860s, to the "Berlin Antisemitism Dispute" (Berliner

opening act of modern German antisemitism.

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