



**6 - 7 September 2019**

**Committee Room 1**

**UCL Institute of Education, London**

**13 September – 11th October 2019**

**(Launch: Friday 20 September, 6.30pm)**

**Stratford Library, London**

**28 October - 2 November 2019**

**18 November - 20 November 2019**

**(Launch: Monday 18 November, 3pm)**

**London Metropolitan Archives, London**

**26 November - 2 December 2019**

**(Launch: Tuesday 26 November, 2pm)**

**The Wiener Library, London**



This exhibition includes extracts from interviews, rarely seen photographic archives (Robert Dawson Collection, Roma Support Group) and artwork by Roma artist Robert Czibi.

Throughout the ages, Roma people's experience has often been marginalised or written out of history altogether. This project has captured a plethora of Roma voices, which reflect the varied nature of human experience of one Europe's most discriminated ethnic minorities.

The 'Roma Stories' Oral History Project shares experiences and stories of Roma people from Eastern and Central Europe who live in London. A series of orally transmitted histories focus on the Roma genocide in the Second World War (the Forgotten Holocaust), life in postwar communist countries, why and how individuals and families migrated to the UK. They tell us how Roma identity is perceived, how it is changing, how they people experience living in London and how they belong here.

# Roma Stories

**TOURING EXHIBITION**

**6 SEPTEMBER – 2 DECEMBER 2019**

'God helped us to get here!'

Baronita Adam





## Pre-War Roma Lifestyle

'My grandfather was a smith and villagers gave him money in return, sometimes food, sometimes a bottle of wine.'

Janos Sandor Horvath

## Roma - The Forgotten Holocaust

'They said: "We will spare you because you have blue eyes, but you're going to watch this." And they shot them, one after the other.'

Mania Malik

## Migration

'What can I say... we had no school, no doctors, no documents, no name... we were nothing.'

Baronita Adam

## Roma Now

'I thank God that our children have a good standard of living now, they go to school, they have rights...they are the same as everyone else.'

Baronita Adam

Artist: Robert Czibi