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Pavel Hofman – Do you know him?

Victoria Bursa (geb. Melcer) would like to make contact with Pavel Hofman (or Hoffman or Hofmann) who is, or was, a travel agent in Jerusalem. He came originally from Ostrava. Does anyone know him?

**Battle for the Airwaves:
radio and the 1938 Munich crisis**
David Vaughan in conversation with Sir John Tusa

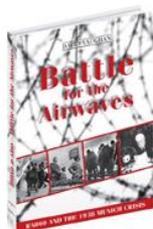
Thursday 9 October 2008, 6.30 pm
Embassy of the Czech Republic
26 Kensington Palace Gardens, London W8 4QY

Seventy years on from the fateful events of 1938, when the Anglo-French policy of appeasement led to the dismemberment of Czechoslovakia and the onset of World War Two, ***Battle for the Airwaves: radio and the 1938 Munich crisis*** by David Vaughan looks at the Munich crisis as it was played out on the radio stations of Czechoslovakia, Germany, Britain and the United States.

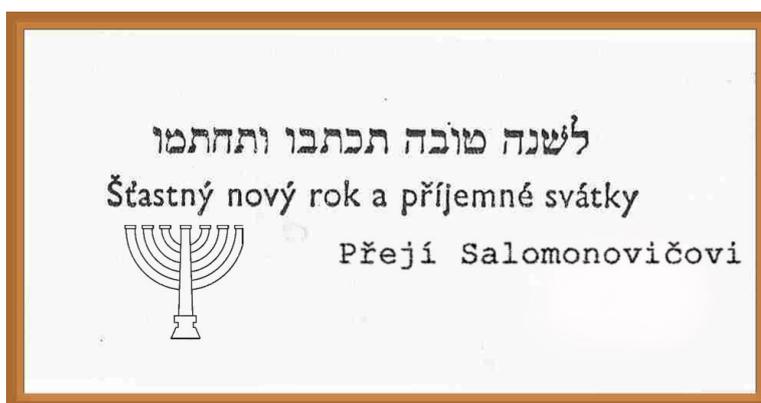
To mark the book's publication and the 70th anniversary of this event, veteran British broadcaster **John Tusa** will talk to award-winning journalist and broadcaster **David Vaughan**, about radio's key role in the run-up to the Munich Agreement and beyond. Using archival radio recordings, from Nazi sloganeering and Chamberlain's soundbites ("peace in our time") to measured Czechoslovak pleas and live reports from correspondents, they will illustrate how radio brought the threat of war directly into the homes of listeners and made the crisis immediate while at the same time arguing that the 1938 battle for the airwaves was one of the first global media events, marking the beginning of the age of the modern electronic media.

Admission free
Booking necessary:
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**Battle for the Airwaves:
radio and the 1938 Munich crisis.**
240p with CD recording of key radio broadcasts.
Published by Cook Communications, a
communications consultancy, and Radioservis a.s.,
the publishing division of Český rozhlas, the Czech
Republic's public service radio broadcaster.
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I wish you all the best for the coming New Year - Shana Tova!
Zipora (Nir)

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Vše nejlepší v Novém roce 5769
Vám přeje
Fero Bányai (Prague Jewish Community)