

## **Marc Verschooris**

Marc Verschooris (1956) is a former lecturer at the HoGent (University College). Since 1994, he has done research and published on the resistance, the collaboration and the persecution of the Jews in Ghent during the Second World War. On the occasion of the 75<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the liberation, his first studies on the war activities of Albert Mélot (1915-2010): "De papegaai is geschoten" (1994) and "Wachten op de maan van mei" (2000) will be completely revised. They will be ready for publication in 2019.

He is a member of the scientific committee which prepares the exhibition "The Museum of Crime" (Stam Ghent from 26.10.2018 to 30.04.2019). His collaboration also led to the in-depth study "De gebroken arm der wet" on the judicial police with the public prosecution office in the jurisdiction of the General Prosecutor of Ghent (1937-1947).

An important focal point remains remembrance education as an important pedagogical project. He also specialises in the research on the trivialisation and the relativising of the collaboration in Flanders during the Second World War.