Dear Members and Friends,


Please remember to send in your Yom Hashoah program information for this newsletter. We started posting commemoration listings in this edition.

Thank you,

*Generations of the Shoah International (GSI)*

Membership in our interactive leadership listserv is open to leaders / representatives of landsmanschaften and other Holocaust-related groups. If your local survivor, second generation or third generation group has not yet delegated a representative to join the GSI interactive online discussion / listserv group, please join us now. We already have dozens of members throughout the USA and from other countries. This global interactive listserv is the fastest way to reach the survivor community: genshoah@gmail.com.

For event submissions: [www.genshoah.org/contact_gsi.html](http://www.genshoah.org/contact_gsi.html). Please fill out the information requested in the text areas and submit it to us at genshoah@gmail.com. You must send us your information no later than the 23rd of the month if you wish for it to appear in the upcoming month’s issue.

To search the newsletter by geographic area: Search by country for programs outside the USA or use the city and / or state abbreviations for those areas in the USA.

All times listed below are local unless otherwise stated.

Visit our GSI website at [www.genshoah.org](http://www.genshoah.org) for updated information on new books, films, helpful links to Holocaust-related organizations and institutions, etc. Survivors, their children and grandchildren are welcome to post contact information for their local groups on our website.
**GSI** has an “open” Facebook Group that anyone can join and invite others to join. Feel free to introduce yourself to your brothers and sisters in the survivor community and communicate directly with them without having to be cleared by a third party. Use the group to find old friends and relatives. Join us and meet new friends. Our page is visible to Facebook members at www.facebook.com/groups/genshoah/. Joining Facebook is free and easy: www.facebook.com.

**UPCOMING CONFERENCES**

**48th Annual Scholars' Conference on the Holocaust and the Churches**
March 3-5, 2018
The Ackerman Center for Holocaust Studies, University of Texas – Dallas, Dallas, TX
For information: http://ascconf.org/

**The Holocaust and Motherhood**
March 22-23, 2018
Royal Holloway, University of London Egham, Surrey, England
For more: The Holocaust and Motherhood - Research - Royal Holloway ...

**Graduate Student Conference**
**Resistance and Collaboration in Occupied Europe**
April 2, 2018
Yale University, New Haven, CT
For more: www.academia.edu/34834269/, Giovanni Miglianti giovanni.miglianti@yale.edu or Karolina Kolpak karolina.kolpak@yale.edu

**Colloquium 2018: Stand Up Against Hate**
May 9, 2018  9:15 am – 12:30 pm
Collins Arena (Parking Lot 6), Brookdale Community College
765 Newman Springs Road, Lincroft, NJ
For more information & to register go to: https://chhange.org/exhibits-events/events/36th-annual-colloquium.  For questions, call Chhange at 732-224-1889 or email contact@chhange.org

**Third Biannual Conference for Holocaust Education Centers**
May 22 – 25, 2018
US Holocaust Memorial Museum, Washington, DC
For more: https://events.ushmm.org/profile/form/index.cfm?PKformID=0x39825abcd

**10th International Conference on Holocaust Education at Yad Vashem**
**Holocaust Education: Time, Place, and Relevance**
June 25 – 28, 2018
International School for Holocaust Studies, Yad Vashem, Jerusalem, Israel
Register: https://secure.yadvashem.org/education/intl_conference/index.asp
Museum Teacher Fellowship Program
July 9 – 13, 2018
US Holocaust Memorial Museum, Washington, DC
Learn more

2018 Arthur and Rochelle Belfer National Conference for Educators
English Language Arts Session: July 23 – 25, 2018
Social Studies / History Session: July 26 – 28, 2018
US Holocaust Memorial Museum, Washington, DC
Learn more

The Holocaust: Global Perspectives and National Narratives
November 1 – 4, 2018
Washington University in St. Louis, St. Louis, MO
For more: hef@northwestern.edu

UPCOMING WORKSHOPS, SEMINARS & WEBINARS

Intergenerational Legacies of Trauma in Families
February 6, 2018  10:00 am – 3:00 pm
Marriott, West Palm Beach, FL
Click here to register

Meeting Hate with Humanity: Life During the Holocaust
February 20 - 23, 2018
Museum of Jewish Heritage – A Living Memorial to the Holocaust, New York, NY
For more information: https://mjhnyc.org/events/meeting-hate-humanity-life-holocaust/

No Asylum: World War II Refugee Politics
February 26, 2018  9:00 am - 3:00 pm
Annunciation Center, College of St. Elizabeth, Morristown NJ
For registration and more information: http://cse.edu/ holocaustcenter/

Spring Program for High School Teachers
The Wannsee Conference: Planning the Holocaust
March 12, 2018  8:30 am - 2:00 pm
Mercer Rm/Daley’s Dining Hall, Rider University, Lawrenceville, NJ
For registration and more information:
https://drive.google.com/file/d/1kc m7JFhbYhPDC4ZqPl0b6Alk9Y5HAi22/view?usp=sharing
https://drive.google.com/file/d/1_NVr4EyZkOSbQRwtZrGa1C6nY9PVJ8Q2/view?usp=sharing
From the Holocaust to Social Justice: Three-Part Study Seminar  
March 19, 26, and April 2, 2018  4:00 pm  
Drew University, Dorothy Young Center for the Arts, 106, Madison, NJ  
Free and open to the public. Participants welcome to any / all sessions. For more: Yasmin Acosta, yacosta1@drew.edu / www.drew.edu/chs / ctrholst@drew.edu

Democracy at Risk: Holocaust and Human Behavior  
March 21 and 22, 2018  
JCC of Greater Stowe, 1189 Cape Cod Rd, Stowe, VT  
For information and registration: www.holocaustmemorial-vt.org/2018-workshops/

Justice After Atrocity?  
April 19 – 20, 2018  
Kean University, Union, NJ  
For more: http://grad.kean.edu/mahgs/master-seminar. Call for papers: dklein@kean.edu

Summer Institute  
The Holocaust and Jewish Civilisation  
July 2 – 11, 2018  
Royal Holloway Campus, Egham, Surrey, England  
For information: HolocaustRI@rhul.ac.uk.

Summer Workshop for Scholars  
"Your brother's blood cries out to me": Face-to-face Killings During the Holocaust  
July 9 – 11, 2018  
Yad Vashem, Jerusalem, Israel  
Information and Application Form July 2018

Buried Words:  
A Workshop on Sexuality, Violence and Holocaust Testimonies  
October 11, 2018  
Toronto, Canada  
For more: stephanie@azrielfoundation.org

UPCOMING EVENTS

Now – February 9, 2018—The Wiener Library for the Study of the Holocaust & Genocide  
29 Russell Square, London, England  
Exhibition: On British Soil: Nazi Occupation in the Channel Islands, the story of the many thousands persecuted during the German occupation of the Channel Islands, 1940–1945.
Now - February 23, 2018—Museum of Jewish Heritage, 36 Battery Place, **New York, NY**  
20th Anniversary Exhibit: **Learning to Remember**, highlights of some of the most compelling, thought-provoking, and historically significant exhibitions presented by the Museum in the last two decades. For more: [http://mjhnyc.org/current-exhibitions/](http://mjhnyc.org/current-exhibitions/)

Now – February 24, 2018—Arthur M. Berger Art Gallery Manhattanville College, 2900 Purchase Street, **Purchase, NY**  
Exhibit: **Mother-Survivor: Personal History Lea Weinberg** solo exhibition. For more: [www.leaw-sculptor.com](http://www.leaw-sculptor.com).

Now – February 26, 2018—United Nations Headquarters, **New York, NY**  

Now – February 28, 2018—United Nations Headquarters, **New York, NY**  

Now – February 28, 2018—Museum of Jewish Heritage, 36 Battery Pl, **New York, NY**  

Now - March 14, 2018, 10:00 am–12:00 pm—7605 Old York Rd, **Melrose Park, PA**  
Adult Jewish Learning: **The Church and the Holocaust** with **Dr. Ruth Sandberg**. For more: [www.gratz.edu](http://www.gratz.edu).

Now – March 31, 2018—Congregation Emanu-El of Westchester, 2125 Westchester Avenue, **Rye, NY**  
Exhibition: **Cartoonists against the Holocaust Exhibition and Presentation** brings back 150 amazing cartoons, together with scores of compelling period photographs that place the cartoons in the context of the Nazi genocide and the world’s response as events unfolded. For more: (914) 967-4382, or [www.hhrecny.org](http://www.hhrecny.org)

Now – March 31, 2018—Center for Jewish History, 15 West 16th Street, **New York, NY**  
Exhibit: **The Paper Brigade: Smuggling Rare Books and Documents in Nazi-Occupied Vilna**, a story of cultural resistance about a group of slave laborers in the Vilna ghetto who smuggled and hid rare books and manuscripts in the midst of the Holocaust. For more: [www.cjh.org/culture/exhibitions/the-paper-brigade](http://www.cjh.org/culture/exhibitions/the-paper-brigade)

Now – April 29, 2018—Museum of Jewish Heritage, 36 Battery Pl, New York, NY  
Exhibit: **New Dimensions in Testimony**, featuring specialized display technologies and next-generation natural language processing to provide an intimate experience with a Holocaust survivor. For more information: [http://mjhnyc.org/current-exhibitions/](http://mjhnyc.org/current-exhibitions/)
Now – April 29, 2018—Museum of Jewish Heritage, 36 Battery Pl, New York, NY
Exhibit: The Number on Great-Grandpa’s Arm, featuring the short HBO documentary accompanied by rotoscope animation which brings the film’s archival footage and photos to life.
For more: http://mjhnyc.org/current-exhibitions/

Now – April 30, 2018—LA Museum of the Holocaust, Pan Pacific Park, Los Angeles, CA
Exhibit: Filming the Camps from Hollywood to Nuremberg. For more information: www.lamoth.org/exhibitions/temporary-exhibits/filming-the-camps-from-hollywo/

Now – May 3, 2018—Aidekman Family Jewish Community Campus, Whippany, NJ
Exhibit: From Memory to History: Faces and Voices of the Holocaust. Created by the Holocaust Council of MetroWest, this exhibit describes the experiences of original eyewitnesses to the Holocaust through photo collages with explanatory text, videotaped interviews, and historical artifacts. This year the exhibit will also feature Holocaust Heroes: Fierce Females, tapestries and sculpture by Linda Stein. For more information: holocaustcouncil@jfedgmw.org or call 973-929-3194.

Now – June 17, 2018—Arte Canal Exhibition Center, Madrid, Spain
International traveling exhibition on the history of Auschwitz. For more: www.auschwitz.net.

Now – September 23, 2018— Illinois Holocaust Museum & Education Center, Skokie, IL
Exhibit: 75th Anniversary of the Warsaw Ghetto Uprising, telling the stories of the uprising’s leaders and local Survivors who lived through the heroic resistance through photos. For more: www.ilholocaustmuseum.org.

February 1, 2018, 6:30 pm—Johannesburg Holocaust & Genocide Center, Forest Town, South Africa
Screening: Perlasca: The Courage of a Just Man. The film follows the real story of Giorgio Perlasca, a disillusioned former Italian Fascist supporter who later worked to save Jews. To confirm your attendance, click RSVP.

February 1, 2018, 7:00 pm—Museum of Jewish Heritage, New York, NY
Documentary Screening: Big Sonia, about how an eviction notice prompts a Holocaust survivor to revisit her harrowing past as a refugee and witness to attempted genocide. For more information and to reserve a seat: http://mjhnyc.org/events/big-sonia/

February 1, 2018, 7:00 pm—Aidekman Family Jewish Community Campus, Whippany, NJ
Opening Reception for Holocaust Council of Greater MetroWest’s From Memory to History: Faces and Voices of the Holocaust exhibit with keynote speaker, Dr. David Fishman, Professor of Jewish History at The Jewish Theological Seminary, and author of The Book Smugglers: Partisans, Poets, and the Race to Save Jewish Treasures from the Nazis. RSVP: holocaustcouncil@jfedgmw.org or 973-929-3194.
February 3, 2018, 8:00 pm—JCC MetroWest, 760 Northfield Ave, West Orange, NJ
New Jersey Jewish Film Festival Extra: *The Testament*, about a Jewish historian investigating a Holocaust atrocity who uncovers an identity-challenging family secret. For tickets and more information: [http://jccmetrowest.org/njff/](http://jccmetrowest.org/njff/)

February 4 – June 24, 2018—Illinois Holocaust Museum & Education Center, Skokie, IL
Exhibit: *Speak Truth to Power: Human Rights Defenders Who Are Changing Our World*, highlighting the experiences of nearly 50 courageous Upstanders from around the world to educate visitors about human rights, and urge them to take action. For more: [Upcoming Special Exhibitions](http://www.ilholocaustmuseum.org/?s=speak+truth+to+power&x=0&y=0)

February 4, 2018, 1:00 pm—Museum of Jewish Heritage, New York, NY
*Stories Survive Speaker Series*: Hear Polish Holocaust survivor George Bear discuss his experiences during the Holocaust. For more information and to reserve a seat: [https://mjhnyc.org/events/stories-survive-speaker-series-george-bear/](https://mjhnyc.org/events/stories-survive-speaker-series-george-bear/)

February 5, 2018, 6:30 pm—Wiener Library for the Study of the Holocaust & Genocide, 29 Russell Square, London, UK

February 7, 2018, 6:30 pm—Wiener Library for the Study of the Holocaust & Genocide, 29 Russell Square, London, UK

February 7, 2018, 7:00 pm—Aidekman Family Jewish Community Campus, Whippany, NJ
Holocaust Council of Greater MetroWest’s Real to Reel Holocaust Film Series: *The Matchmaker*, an Israeli film about a teenager working for a matchmaker who is a Holocaust survivor, and how both their lives are altered. For more: [holocaustcouncil@jfedgmw.org](mailto:holocaustcouncil@jfedgmw.org) or 973-929-3194.

February 10 – July 15, 2018—Florida Holocaust Museum, St Petersburg, FL
Exhibit: *Operation Finale: The Capture & Trial of Adolf Eichmann*, the secret history behind the capture, extradition, and trial of one of the most notorious escaped Nazi war criminals, told using recently declassified artifacts from the Mossad, Israel’s Secret Intelligence Service. For more: [www.flholocaustmuseum.org/](http://www.flholocaustmuseum.org/)

February 11 – May 6, 2018—Holocaust Documentation & Education Center, 303 North Federal Highway, Dania Beach, FL

February 11, 2018, 2:00 pm—Illinois Holocaust Museum & Education Center, Skokie, IL
Film & Discussion: *Besa: The Promise*. Acting upon their code of honor, Muslim men and women saved nearly all of Albania’s Jewish population in World War II. This film tells the
stories of these heroes through two men: photographer Norman Gershman, who documented first-person accounts of the rescuers, and Muslim-Albanian Rexhep Hoxha, son of a rescuer. Free with museum admission. Reservations required; www.ilholocaustmuseum.org/events

February 11, 2018, 7:30 pm—Nova Southeastern University East Campus Alumni Hall, 3100 SW 9th Ave, Fort Lauderdale, FL

February 15, 2018, 12 noon—Aidekman Family Jewish Community Campus, Whippany, NJ
Holocaust Council of Greater MetroWest Lunch & Learn with a Holocaust survivor. Please bring a dairy lunch; beverage and cookies provided. RSVP: holocaustcouncil@jfedgmw.org or 973-929-3194.

February 15, 2018, 7:00 pm—Center for Jewish History, 15 West 16th St, New York, NY
Cuba’s Forgotten Jewels: A Haven in Havana, a film about refugees escaping Europe for Havana and the challenges they faced in an exotic and unfamiliar land. For tickets and more: http://programs.cjh.org/

February 15, 2018, 7:00 pm—US Holocaust Memorial Museum, Washington, DC
Saints and Liars: American Relief and Rescue Workers during the Nazi Era with Dr. Debórah Dwork. For information and tickets: www.ushmm.org/online/calendar/eventDetails.php?event=MASHAPIROLEC0218

February 20, 2018, 7:00 pm—Center for Jewish History, 15 West 16th St, New York, NY
History Matters: A conversation with Professor Jan Gross, Princeton University, on Europe, the Holocaust, and the rise of the right. For tickets and more: http://programs.cjh.org/

Exhibit: Fate Unknown: The Search for the Missing after the Holocaust. For more: www.wienerlibrary.co.uk/Upcoming_Exhibitions

Exhibit: Memory Unearthed: The Lodz Ghetto Photographs of Henryk Ross, featuring more than 200 photographs, supplemented by artifacts and testimony presented in the context of Lodz Ghetto history. For more: https://mjhnyc.org/exhibitions/status/upcoming/

February 25, 2018, 2:00 pm — Holocaust Documentation & Education Center, 303 North Federal Highway, Dania Beach, FL
The Power of Propaganda Panel: David Lawrence, newspaper publisher and editor, Bruce Rogow, former Dean of Nova Southeastern University Law Center and First Amendment Expert, Tom Steinfatt, School of Communications, University of Miami. Fees. For information and to RSVP education@hdec.org or 954-929-5690 x 304.

February 25, 2018, 2:00 pm— Illinois Holocaust Museum & Education Center, Skokie, IL
Live Performance: We are the White Rose: Teen Voices of Resistance. Local high school
students perform an original play based on contemporary upstanders and the courageous student resistance movement, The White Rose, one of the few German groups that spoke out against Nazi policies during the Holocaust. Reservations required; [www.ilholocaustmuseum.org/events](http://www.ilholocaustmuseum.org/events)

February 25, 2018, 6:00 pm—Annunciation Center, College of St. Elizabeth, Morristown NJ
Film Screening: [No Asylum](http://cse.edu/holocaustcenter/), the story of Otto Frank’s attempts to gain asylum for his family in the US, followed by discussion with Director Paula Fouce and Jonathan Brent, Executive Director, YIVO Institute for Jewish Research. For more: [http://cse.edu/holocaustcenter/](http://cse.edu/holocaustcenter/)

February 28, 2018, 6:30 pm—Wiener Library for the Study of the Holocaust & Genocide, 29 Russell Square, London, UK
Book launch: *The Participants: The Men of the Wannsee Conference*. [Book your place](http://www.ilholocaustmuseum.org/events)

March 4, 2018, 2:00 pm—Holocaust Documentation & Education Center, 303 North Federal Highway, Dania Beach, FL
**Bitter Ironies**, a prelude to *Colors of the Holocaust* Art Exhibition by Toby Gotesman Schneier. Fees. For information and to RSVP education@hdec.org or 954-929-5690 x 304.

March 4, 2018, 2:00 pm—Illinois Holocaust Museum & Education Center, Skokie, IL
Book & Author: *The Crime of Complicity: The Bystander in the Holocaust*. Amos N. Guiora, University of Utah law professor and retired lieutenant colonel in the Israel Defense Forces, uses lessons learned from the Holocaust to show the consequences of non-intervention in his book. Reservations required; [www.ilholocaustmuseum.org/events](http://www.ilholocaustmuseum.org/events)

March 11, 2018, 10:00 am - 8:00 pm—Illinois Holocaust Museum & Education Center, Skokie, IL
The fifth annual JCC Chicago Jewish Film Festival features the finest in recent film offerings with Jewish themes. See one, two or more films, each followed by an audience discussion. Screenings include the critically acclaimed *1945*, *Destination Unknown*, *Vitch* and *Zuzana: Music Is Life*. Fees. Reservations required; [www.ilholocaustmuseum.org/events](http://www.ilholocaustmuseum.org/events)

March 11, 2018, 2:00 pm—Holocaust Documentation & Education Center, 303 North Federal Highway, Dania Beach, FL
**A German Life: Against All Odds Change is Possible** with Dr. Bernd Wollschaelder, who will discuss his life experience as a young man seeking truth about his family and his spiritual orientation. Fees. For information and to RSVP education@hdec.org or 954-929-5690 x 304.

March 14, 2018, 12 noon—Aidekman Family Jewish Community Campus, Whippany, NJ
Holocaust Council of Greater MetroWest Lunch & Learn with a Holocaust survivor. Please bring a dairy lunch; beverage and cookies provided. RSVP: [holocaustcouncil@jfedgmw.org](mailto:holocaustcouncil@jfedgmw.org) or 973-929-3194.

March 15 – 25, 2018—JCC MetroWest, 760 Northfield Ave, West Orange, NJ
Eighteenth Annual New Jersey Jewish Film Festival, featuring a selection of films that address issues of the Holocaust and memory. Please visit [http://jccmetrowest.org/njjff/](http://jccmetrowest.org/njjff/) for the most up-to-date information on films and post-screening discussions.
March 18, 2018, 2:00 pm—Holocaust Documentation & Education Center, 303 North Federal Highway, Dania Beach, FL

**Pursuing Nazi Propagandists and Other Nazi Criminals** with Eli Rosenbaum, Director of Human Rights Enforcement Strategy and former Director for the Department of Justice Office of Special Investigations, who will discuss bringing Nazi War Criminals in the US to justice. Fees. For information and to RSVP education@hdec.org or 954-929-5690 x 304.

March 19, 2018, 7:30 pm—Annunciation Center, College of St. Elizabeth, Morristown NJ

Film Screening in association with NJ Jewish Film Festival: **1945**, about the deep undercurrents that run beneath the simple surface in a quaint village that's ultimately forced to face up to its "ill-gotten gains" from the Second World War. For more: [http://cse.edu/holocaustcenter/](http://cse.edu/holocaustcenter/)

March 22, 2018, 6:30 pm—Wiener Library for the Study of the Holocaust & Genocide, 29 Russell Square, London, UK

Women’s experience of the Holocaust remains a marginal subject. As we prepare to celebrate the twentieth anniversary of Brana Gurewitsch’s path-breaking **Mothers, Sisters, Resisters**, Dr. Zoë Waxman seeks to explain why it is that women are still being silenced, and why motherhood, in particular, deserves serious attention. [Book your place](#)

March 27, 2018, 7:00 pm—Aidekman Family Jewish Community Campus, Whippany, NJ

Holocaust Council of Greater MetroWest’s Real to Reel Holocaust Film Series: **Suite Francaise**, feature film starring Michelle Williams, based on Irène Némirovsky's novel of the same name. For more: [holocaustcouncil@jfedgmw.org](mailto:holocaustcouncil@jfedgmw.org) or 973-929-3194.

March 27, 2018, 7:30 pm—Temple Emanu-El, 756 East Broad St, Westfield, NJ

**Survivors Club: The True Story of a Very Young Prisoner of Auschwitz** with authors, Michael Bornstein, Holocaust survivor and his daughter Debbie Bornstein Holinstat, followed by a book signing and reception. For more: [www.tewnj.org/events/survivors-club.html](http://www.tewnj.org/events/survivors-club.html)

April 8, 2018, 11:00 am—Chhange. Bankier Library Building (Parking Lot 5) Brookdale Community College, 765 Newman Springs Road, Lincroft, NJ

Public Opening of **Journeys Beyond Genocide: The Human Experience** which tells the story behind the Armenian Genocide, the Holocaust and the Genocide against the Tutsi in Rwanda. Visit the exhibits webpage at: [www.chhange.org/exhibits-events/exhibits/journeys-beyond-genocide](http://www.chhange.org/exhibits-events/exhibits/journeys-beyond-genocide). For questions, please call 732-224-1889 or email contact@chhange.org

April 11, 2018, 6:45 pm—Wilkins Theatre, Kean University, 1000 Morris Ave, Union NJ

Annual Yom HaShoah Holocaust Commemoration with keynote speaker Robert Bielsky, son of partisan leader Tuvia Bielski. Bus transportation will be provided from Whippany or West Orange JCC’s, to reserve seats, call 973 929-3067. For more information and to RSVP: [holocaustcouncil@jfedgmw.org](mailto:holocaustcouncil@jfedgmw.org) or call 973-929-3194

April 12, 2018, 12:00 pm —Aidekman Family Jewish Community Campus, Whippany, NJ

Holocaust Council of Greater MetroWest **Yom HaShoah** Commemoration and memorial candle-lighting ceremony, followed by a Lunch & Learn staged reading: **In Their Words, Stories of**
Resistance. Lunch will be served. For more information, please contact holocaustcouncil@jfedgmw.org or call 973-929-3194.

April 12, 2018, 4:00 pm—Mead Hall, Founders Room, Drew University, Madison, NJ
Yom HaShoah Commemoration: Talk by Hana Berger Moran, who was liberated from Mauthausen as a baby. The story of Hana and her mother is included in the book Born Survivors: Three Young Mothers and Their Extraordinary Story of Courage, Defiance and Hope. For more: www.drew.edu/holocaust-genocide-study-department/about-us/events/

April 15, 2018, 1:30 pm—JCC of Greater Stowe, 1189 Cape Cod Rd, Stowe, VT
Yom Hashoah Commemoration: community interfaith program including a screening of The Lady in Number 6: Music Saved My Life with executive producer Frederic Bohbot. For more information: info@jcogs.org.

April 15, 2018, 3:00 pm—Temple Beth Sholom, Las Vegas, NV
Yom Hashoah Commemoration with guest Eric Lichtblau, author of The Nazis Next Door: How America Became a Safe Haven for Hitler's Men. For more: genshoah1@cox.net.

April 15, 2018, 4:00 pm—Congregation Beth El, 222 Irvington Ave, South Orange, NJ
41st Annual South Orange/Maplewood Interfaith Yom HaShoah Commemoration with keynote speaker Robert Max, author of The Long March Home: An American Soldier’s Life as a Nazi Slave Laborer. The traditional Walk of Remembrance will begin at 3:00 pm. For more: www.rememberandtell.org

April 17, 2018, 7:30 pm—Miron Student Center Little Theater, Kean University, Union, NJ
Is Antisemitism Respectable Again?, a conversation with Abraham H. Foxman, Director of the Center for the Study of Antisemitism at the Jewish Heritage Museum. For more information: http://grad.kean.edu/mahgs/calendar

April 19, 2018, 7:30 pm—Kean Hall, Room 127, Kean University, Union, NJ
Crimes of War, Crimes of Atrocity: The Possibility of Justice, a lecture by Lawrence Douglas, James J. Grofald Professor of Law, Jurisprudence & Social Thought, Amherst College. For more information: http://grad.kean.edu/mahgs/calendar

April 24, 2018, 7:30 pm—CAS Room 106, Kean University, Union, NJ
Casablanca, Hitler’s Refugees, and the Hollywood Screen, a lecture by Noah Isenberg, Professor of Culture and Media at the New School, and author of We’ll Always Have Casablanca: The Life, Legend, and Afterlife of Hollywood’s Most Beloved Movie. For more information: http://grad.kean.edu/mahgs/calendar

April 26, 2018, 7:00 pm—Aidekman Family Jewish Community Campus, Whippany, NJ
Holocaust Council of Greater MetroWest’s Real to Reel Holocaust Film Series: Defiant Requiem, followed by a discussion with producer Patti Askwith Kenner and conductor Murry Sidlin. For more: holocaustcouncil@jfedgmw.org or 973-929-3194.
**FYI... FOR YOUR INFORMATION**

*FYI...* Online newsletters
YIVO Newsletter  [View this message on our website.](#)


*FYI...* The International Holocaust Remembrance Alliance issued the [Bern Summary Report](#).
The International Holocaust Remembrance Alliance (IHRA) has a redesigned website  [www.holocaustremembrance.com](http://www.holocaustremembrance.com)

*FYI...* Echoes and Reflections has created a new film in their video toolbox: [Liberators and Survivors: The First Moments](#).

*FYI...* “Murder and Extremism in the United States in 2017,” a new report from ADL’s Center on Extremism.

*FYI...* For anyone doing genealogical searches in Ukraine: [http://jewua.info/](http://jewua.info/)

*FYI...* For the latest on the Baltics: [http://defendinghistory.com/welcome-to-defending-history](http://defendinghistory.com/welcome-to-defending-history)
See also: [http://defendinghistory.com/blaming-the-victims](http://defendinghistory.com/blaming-the-victims)


*FYI...* Project Witness is seeking survivors who spent the war in Siberia or Central Asia, Uzbekistan or Tashkent: [siberia@projectwitness.org](mailto:siberia@projectwitness.org).

*FYI...* Obermayer German Jewish History Awards:  [http://obermayer.us/award/awardees/Moog-eng.htm](http://obermayer.us/award/awardees/Moog-eng.htm)

*FYI...* From the JTA archive
January 3, 1933  [Hitler's New Year's Message to Nazis Bears Tone of Pessimism; Victory No Longer Predicted](#)
January 31, 1938  [Nazi Press, Marking 5th Year of Hitler Regime, Boasts of Jews' Elimination](#)
January 2, 1968  [Dutch synagogue that was destroyed by Nazis is restored](#)

*FYI...* Videos, audios, podcasts and/or slideshows of interest:

**Across Borders – International**

[Watch: Social Media Campaign for Holocaust Remembrance Reaches Hundreds of Millions](#)
Canada
'My grandparents were Nazis.' Rachel Seiffert mines her family's dark past

Denmark
How Denmark saved its Jews

France
Watch: Memorial prayer recited at European Parliament

India
The Jews who found refuge in India

Israel
Perspectives | #WeRemember: global Holocaust remembrance campaign
Watch: Israel Honors Righteous Diplomats
Watch: Pence and Netanyahu Visit Yad Vashem Holocaust Museum
The Last Survivor
The Essential Link - Trailer

Netherlands
Watch: The tragic Jewish hero behind Holland's Madurodam miniature park
Audrey Hepburn: Resistance Warrior Who Fought Nazis

Philippines
Safe Haven in the Philippines

Tunisia
Watch: Tunisians Trash Holocaust Exhibit, Call Genocide a ‘myth and Lie’

UK
Watch – Jewish MP’s emotional speech: Holocaust memories are ‘seared into me’
Holocaust survivor Leslie Kleinman BEM who lost his entire ... - The Sun
International Holocaust Remembrance Day exhibition: Photography during the Holocaust
I survived two concentration camps’ -
Trailer | Holocaust: The Revenge Plot
**USA**

Janet Kirchheimer - Six Words Live - Tenement Museum
These 10 Survivors can never forget the Holocaust

Holocaust Survivor: Hitler Tried To Kill Me, But ‘I Won, Not Him’
The lie that saved Holocaust survivor's life - CNN Video

A picture is worth 1000 Words

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