



Generations of the Shoah International Newsletter October 2019

Dear Members and Friends,

This month **GSI** marks its 17th anniversary. In that time, we have become the largest Holocaust survivor family organization in the world. We are the bridge between the international / intergenerational survivor community and the major Holocaust memorials and institutions. We did this without taking a penny that could go to help survivors in financial need. An all-volunteer organization, we rely on your continuing help and support. Thank you for sharing our newsletters with your friends and neighbors.

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. 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 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.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The [International Holocaust Remembrance Alliance \(IHRA\)](http://www.holocaustremembrance.com/funding) grant application process is now open. For more information: <http://www.holocaustremembrance.com/funding>.

REPARATIONS/RESTITUTION

A hearing on [Holocaust insurance legislation](#) was held before the Senate Judiciary Committee in the US Senate on Tuesday, September 17, 2019. See the FYI section below for news articles.

UPCOMING CONFERENCES

12th Annual Powell-Heller Conference for Holocaust Education

October 23 – 25, 2019

Pacific Lutheran University, 12180 Park Ave South, Tacoma, WA

World Federation of Jewish Child Survivors of the Holocaust & Descendants/ GSI/KTA Conference

November 1 – 4, 2019

Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada

The Holocaust and Europe: Research Trends, Pedagogical Approaches and Political Challenges

November 4 – 7, 2019

Das Institut für Zeitgeschichte, Munich, Germany

The 75th Anniversary of the Liberation of Auschwitz

January 26 – 29, 2020

Auschwitz-Birkenau Memorial and Museum, Poland

For more: 212-335-0544 or delegation@preserveauschwitz.org.

50th Anniversary Scholar's Conference on the Holocaust & the Churches

The History and Future of the Holocaust and its Memory

March 7 – 10, 2020

University of Texas at Dallas, Dallas, TX

For more: cynthia.rogers@utdallas.edu

**Approaching the History of Internment:
Reconsiderations of Wartime Britain and Beyond**

March 16 – 18, 2020

IAS Common Ground, Institute of Advanced Studies, Ground Floor, South Wing, University
College London, Gower Street, London WC1E 6BT

**Liberation 75
Global Gathering of Holocaust Survivors, Descendants,
Educators and Friends**

May 31 – June 2, 2020

Metro Toronto Convention Centre, Toronto, Ontario, Canada

UPCOMING WORKSHOPS, SEMINARS & WEBINARS

The Holocaust: History and Lessons

October 10, 24 and 30, 2019

Holocaust Memorial Tolerance Center of Nassau County, Glen Cove, NY

Echoes and Reflections Professional Development Workshop

Analyzing Propaganda & Teaching Media Literacy

October 17, 2019 4:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Udike Farmstead, 354 Quaker Road, Princeton, NJ

Echoes and Reflections Holocaust Education Workshop

Teaching the Diary of Anne Frank

October 18, 2019 9:00 am - 3:00 pm

ADP Center, Montclair State University, Montclair, NJ

Echoes and Reflections Professional Development Workshop

Teaching Jewish Resistance During the Holocaust

October 21, 2019 9:00 am - 3:00 pm

Annunciation Center, College of St. Elizabeth, Morristown, NJ

Damned & Determined:

Immigrants & Refugees During the Holocaust

October 24, 2019 8:00 am – 3:30 pm

Student Life Center, Brookdale Community College, Lincroft, NJ

Introduction to New York's Holocaust Curriculum

October 25, 2019 9:00 am - 2:30 pm

Museum of Jewish Heritage – A Living Memorial to the Holocaust, New York, NY

Election Day Professional Development for Teachers

November 5, 2019

9:00 am - 2:30 pm

Museum of Jewish Heritage – A Living Memorial to the Holocaust, New York, NY

Gumpert Teachers' Workshop**In Hiding: Saving Jewish Lives in the Holocaust**

November 14, 2019 9:00 am - 3:00 pm

Ramapo College of NJ, 505 Ramapo Valley Road, Mahwah, NJ

Professional Development Workshop**Global Implications of Genocide**

November 18, 2019 9:00 am - 3:00 pm

Annunciation Center, College of St. Elizabeth, Morristown, NJ

“Writing to let you know...”**A Scholarly Workshop on Letter from the Holocaust**

February 24 – 27, 2020

Memorial de la Shoah, Paris, France

[Call for Papers A Scholarly Workshop on Letters from the Holocaust](#)**New Approaches in German-Jewish Studies, Refugee and Migration Studies & Public Representations of German and/or German-Jewish History and Culture**

March 26 -27, 2020

Appalachian State University, Boone, NC

UPCOMING EVENTS

Now – October 6, 2019— Holocaust Museum Houston, Lester & Sue Smith Campus, 5401 Caroline St, **Houston, TX**

[**Exhibit: *Points of View: A National Human Rights Photography Exhibition***](#)

Now – October 15, 2019— The Wiener Library for the Study of the Holocaust & Genocide, 29 Russell Square, **London, WC1B 5DP, UK**

[**Berlin/London: The Lost Photographs of Gerty Simon**](#)

Now – October 31, 2019—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.

Now – November 1, 2019—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.

Now – December 31, 2019—Museum of Jewish Heritage, 36 Battery Pl, **New York, NY**
Exhibit: [**Ordinary Treasures: Highlights from the Museum of Jewish Heritage Collection**](#), inspired by the Museum's original Core Exhibition and by the Museum publication *To Life: 36 Stories of Memory and Hope*. Free one-hour guided tours available Tuesdays at 3:00 pm.

Now – December 31, 2019—Center for Jewish History, 15 West 16th Street, **New York, NY**
Exhibit: [**The Art of Exile: Paintings by German-Jewish Refugees**](#), featuring works from the Leo Baeck Institute's art collection made by German-speaking Jewish artists while they were in exile.

Now—January 3, 2020 — Museum of Jewish Heritage, **New York, NY**
Exhibit: [**Auschwitz. Not long ago. Not far away.**](#) The most comprehensive exhibition dedicated to the history of Auschwitz and its role in the Holocaust ever presented in North America, bringing together over 700 original objects and 400 photographs of Auschwitz, from over 20 institutions and museums around the world.

Now – January 12, 2020—Illinois Holocaust Museum & Education Center, **Skokie, IL**
Special exhibit: [**Revealed: Life Behind the Ghetto Walls. Memory Unearthed: The Lodz Ghetto Photographs of Henryk Ross.**](#)

October 2, 2019, 6:30 pm—Center for Jewish History, 15 West 16th St, **New York, NY**
[**Opening Reception**](#) for [**The Art of Exile: Paintings by German-Jewish Refugees**](#), exhibit featuring works created by German-speaking Jewish artists in exile.

October 6, 2019, 9:00 am—Weinberg Commons, 1721 Springdale Rd, **Cherry Hill, NJ**
[**7th Annual March of Remembrance**](#), followed by program *Preserving Memory: Lessons of Yesterday, Today, & Tomorrow*, at 10:30 am at the Raab/Goodwin Center, 1301 Springdale Rd.

October 6, 2019, 1:00 pm—Holocaust Memorial Tolerance Center of Nassau County, **Glen Cove, NY**
Screening of [**Persecuting Evil: The Extraordinary World of Ben Ferencz**](#) with featured speaker **Prof. John Barrett**.

October 6, 2019, 1:00 pm — Museum of Jewish Heritage, **New York, NY**
[**Stories Survive Speaker Series**](#): Hear Holocaust survivor **Steve Hess** discuss his experiences during the Holocaust. RSVP requested.

October 6, 2019, 1:30 pm— Illinois Holocaust Museum & Education Center, **Skokie, IL**
[**Never Heard Never Forget: The Holocaust in the Former Soviet Union**](#), commemoration on the 78th anniversary of the Babiy Yar Massacre. Keynote address by **Howard Reich**, author of *The Art of Inventing Hope: Intimate Conversations with Elie Wiesel*.

October 7, 2019, 7:00 pm—Center for Jewish History, 15 West 16th St, **New York, NY**
Sephardi Scholars Series Presents: [**North African French Resistance: A Well Kept Secret**](#), presented by **Dr. Nicole Cohen-Addad**.

October 10, 2019, 7:30 pm—Jewish Community Centre, **London, UK**
Documentary theater: [*The Karl Hocker Album*](#)

October 11, 2019, 1:30 pm—Ramapo College, Alumni Lounges SC158, **Mahwah, NJ**
[*The Fate of Persons of Mixed Jewish-Non-Jewish Origin in Nazi Germany*](#) with **Carolyn Enger**, 2G internationally acclaimed concert pianist, and **Maren Friedman**, who survived as a hidden child in Nazi Germany.

October 13, 2019, 11:00 am— Illinois Holocaust Museum & Education Center, **Skokie, IL**
Museum Architecture Tour- Symbolic by Design. See how renowned architect Stanley Tigerman infused each space in the Illinois Holocaust Museum with historical and emotional symbolism. www.ilholocaustmuseum.org

October 13, 2019, 1:30 pm— Illinois Holocaust Museum & Education Center, **Skokie, IL**
Survivor Talks – In Our Voices. Take advantage of their unique opportunities to hear Holocaust Survivors tell their stories in person and answer audience questions. For more: www.ilholocaustmuseum.org

October 13, 2019, 1:30 pm— Illinois Holocaust Museum & Education Center, **Skokie, IL**
The Ancient Law: A Cine-Concert featuring Alicia Svigals and Donald Sosin, combining a screening of the recently restored 1923 Weimar silent cinema classic, *The Ancient Law*, with a live original score performed by Klezmer violinist **Alicia Svigals** and pianist/composer **Donald Sosin**. Fees. www.ilholocaustmuseum.org/events

October 13, 2019, 2:00 pm—West Charleston Library, 6301 W. Charleston Blvd, **Las Vegas, NV**
Music and Words: Tribute to the Life and Spirit of Holocaust Survivor and Solo Violinist David Arben. For more: 702-507-3964.

October 16 – 31, 2019—Wofoo Foundation Gallery, Run Run Shaw Library, City University of Hong Kong, **Hong Kong**
[Exhibit: Stars Without A Heaven: Children in the Holocaust](#)

October 17, 2019, 6:30 pm—Illinois Holocaust Museum & Education Center, **Skokie, IL**
No Surrender: A Father, A Son, and an Extraordinary Act of Heroism. **Pastor Chris Edmonds** will share the story of his father Master Sgt. Roddie Edmonds, the only American soldier to date recognized by Yad Vashem as Righteous Among the Nations.
Fees. For more: www.ilholocaustmuseum.org/events

October 17, 2019, 7:00 pm — Museum of Jewish Heritage, 36 Battery Place, **New York, NY**
[Recovering Nazi Looted Art](#). Attorneys **Lawrence Kaye** and **Howard Spiegler** will discuss several cases and provide an overview of the ethical and legal issues involved.

October 20, 2019, 11 am, 12 pm & 1:30 pm — Museum of Jewish Heritage, **New York, NY**
[Architecture Tour of the Museum with Open House New York](#), free 45-minute tours highlighting notable features and engaging visitors to explore how concepts of public memory, Jewish architecture, and the history of the Holocaust converge in a single space.

October 22, 2019, 1:30 pm—Ramapo College, Alumni Lounges SC138, **Mahwah, NJ**
[Year 1938 in the Development of the Holocaust](#) with **Dr. Frank Mecklenburg**, Director of Research and Chief Archivist at The Leo Baeck Institute (LBI).

October 23, 2019, 1:00 pm—ADL Conference Center, 605 Third Ave, **New York, NY**
[Preserving the Memory of the Shoah and Fighting Antisemitism in Europe](#) with guest speaker **Jacques Fredj**, Director of the *Memorial de la Shoah* in Paris. Please RSVP by October 16th to hidden-child@adl.org, security requires all names.

October 23, 2019, 7:00 pm— Illinois Holocaust Museum & Education Center, **Skokie, IL**
[Never Again: Confronting Global Antisemitism](#). **Sylvain Maillard**, MP, French National Assembly and Chairman, Committee on Antisemitism, will explore current challenges of global antisemitism and actions we can take to respond. For more: www.ilholocaustmuseum.org/events

October 24, 2019, 6:30 pm— Illinois Holocaust Museum & Education Center, **Skokie, IL**
Premiere: **[The Tattooed Torah](#)**, the animated adaptation of *The Tattooed Torah*, beloved children's book by Marvell Ginsburg. Celebrate with a screening, reception and Q&A with the film's production team. For more: www.ilholocaustmuseum.org/events

October 26, 2019, 11:00 am— Illinois Holocaust Museum & Education Center, **Skokie, IL**
Museum Architecture Tour- Symbolic by Design. See how renowned architect Stanley Tigerman infused each space in the Illinois Holocaust Museum with historical and emotional symbolism. www.ilholocaustmuseum.org

October 26, 2019, 12:30 pm— Illinois Holocaust Museum & Education Center, **Skokie, IL**
Survivor Talks – In Our Voices. Take advantage of their unique opportunities to hear Holocaust Survivors tell their stories in person and answer audience questions. For more: www.ilholocaustmuseum.org

October 27, 2019, 5:00 pm—Center for Jewish History, 15 West 16th St, **New York, NY**
Book Talk: **[Tehran Children: A Holocaust Refugee Odyssey](#)**, with author **Mikhail Dekel** and **Dr. Natalia Aleksium**, Touro College.

October 28, 2019, 7:00 pm—Center for Jewish History, 15 West 16th St, **New York, NY**
Film: **[Who Will Write Our History](#)**, the story of the Warsaw Ghetto's Oyneg Shabes Archive.

October 28, 2019, 7:00 pm — Museum of Jewish Heritage, 36 Battery Place, **New York, NY**
[William Bernheim: Survival Story and Artist's Journey](#). William will discuss his Holocaust experiences and artwork, which can be seen in his book *My Story: From Hell to Rebirth*.

October 28, 2019, 7:30 pm— Words Bookstore, 179 Maplewood Ave, **Maplewood, NJ**
Book signing: **[Cilka's Journey](#)** with author **Heather Morris**. Ticket price includes one hardcover copy of the book.

October 29, 2019, 2:00 pm — Museum of Jewish Heritage, 36 Battery Place, **New York, NY**
[*An Interfaith Story of Courage and Compassion*](#), with storyteller **Marty Brounstein**, author of *Two Among the Righteous Few: A Story of Courage in the Holocaust*, about Dutch rescuers Frans and Mien Wijnakker.

October 29, 2019, 6:30 pm— Birnbaum JCC, 775 Talamini Rd, **Bridgewater, NJ**
3GNJ: [*How to Tell Your Family's Story*](#): Dinner and discussion with **Miriam Dobin**, 2G author and educator.

October 29, 2019, 7:00 pm—Sixth Street Community Synagogue, 325 E. 6th St, **New York, NY**
3GNY: [A conversation about the transmission \(or lack thereof\) of our grandparents' stories](#) and the impact that knowing/not knowing has had on our lives. **Dr. Marshall Duke**, Professor of Psychology at Emory University, will discuss his research on family narratives and his upcoming project involving 3Gs. He will be joined by **Sara Kaplan**, 3G graduate student who is currently beginning work on her doctoral dissertation on the effects of Holocaust trauma in their grandparents on 3Gs.

October 30, 2019 – March 11, 2020—The Wiener Library for the Study of the Holocaust & Genocide, 29 Russell Square, **London, UK**
Exhibit: [*Forgotten Victims: The Nazi Genocide of the Roma and Sinti*](#)

November 3 – 17, 2019 — **New Brunswick and Princeton, NJ**
Twentieth Annual [*Rutgers Jewish Film Festival*](#) including films about the Holocaust.

November 4 - 10, 2019— College of Saint Elizabeth, 2 Convent Rd, **Morristown, NJ**
[*29th Annual Week of Holocaust Remembrance*](#): Holocaust-related "In-Class Faculty Sessions" open to the community. Special events throughout the week using the lessons of the Holocaust to discuss ways in which we can all combat contemporary hatred.

November 4, 2019, 7:30 pm—Dolan Performance Hall, College of Saint Elizabeth, 2 Convent Rd, **Morristown, NJ**
[*Interfaith Kristallnacht Commemoration*](#) featuring keynote lecture *Kristallnacht: Crescendo and Overture* delivered by **Professor Peter Hayes**, and testimony from Holocaust Survivor **Mark Schonwetter** and his daughter **Ann Arnold**. Dessert reception will follow. Registration required.

November 6, 2019, 4:00 pm— Mead Hall Founder's Room, Drew University, **Madison, NJ**
[*Kristallnacht Commemoration*](#), with **Dr. Joseph Eisinger**, Kindertransport survivor and author of *Flight and Refuge: Reminiscences of A Motley Youth*.

November 6, 2019, 7:00 pm—Manhattanville College, 2900 Purchase Street, **Purchase, NY**
13 Drivers' Licenses tells the story of students from a small German village discovering drivers' licenses taken from Jews by Nazis during the Holocaust. An exhibit will display the license photos, photos of the homes people left behind, and photos of their families and

descendants. Presentation by one of the descendants, **Lisa Salko**. For more: mjasper@hhrecny.org

November 6, 2019, 7:00 pm— Mitchell Hamline School of Law, Conservatory Room 147, 875 Summit Avenue, **St. Paul, MN**
[From the Nazis to the Neo-Nazis](#) with **Fred Amram**, Holocaust survivor, and **Dr. Ellen Kennedy**, World Without Genocide. Fees.

November 7, 2019, 6:30 pm—Illinois Holocaust Museum & Education Center, **Skokie, IL**
Kristallnacht: Beginning of the End, End of the Beginning. The program includes **Hazzan Benjamin A. Tisser**, candle lighting, and “Silenced Voices” by Black Oak Ensemble, recently discovered string trio pieces by Jewish composers, all but one of whom died in Nazi-occupied Europe. For more: www.ilholocaustmuseum.org/events

November 7, 2019, 7:00 pm — Museum of Jewish Heritage, **New York, NY**
[Snapshots From a Lost World](#), a discussion with **Dr. Ann Weiss**, author of *The Last Album: Eyes from the Ashes of Auschwitz-Birkenau*.

November 7, 2019, 7:00 pm — Ulrich Recital Hall, University of Maryland, **College Park, MD**
[Remembering the Jews of Greece: A Musical Journey](#). A program in memory of the Holocaust, honoring the Sephardic Jews of Greece and the broader Mediterranean.

November 9, 2019, 7:00 pm—**[The United Church](#)**, **Washington, DC**
[Remembering the Jews of Greece: A Musical Journey](#). A program in memory of the Holocaust, honoring the Sephardic Jews of Greece and the broader Mediterranean. Suggested donation.

November 10, 2019, 10:00 am - 9:00 pm— Museum of Jewish Heritage, **New York, NY**
Day-Long Commemoration of the 81st anniversary of **[Kristallnacht](#)**, the Night of Broken Glass; museum admission is free.

November 10, 2019, 2:00 pm — Museum of Jewish Heritage, **New York, NY**
Third Annual Dr. Yaffa Eliach Lecture: **[The World of Auschwitz](#)**, with **Dr. Debórah Dwork**, Founding Director of the Center for Holocaust and Genocide Studies at Clark University. Family members of Dr. Eliach’s will also speak about pioneering research and singular life.

November 10, 2019, 2:00 pm — Sperling-Kronberg-Mack Holocaust Resource Center at Midbar Kodesh Temple, **Henderson, NV**
Book Release/Author Presentation and Art Exhibit for ***A Victory for Miriam! The Little Jewish Girl Who Defied the Nazis***, by **Joanne D. Gilbert** and **Miriam M. Brysk**. For more information: jdgilbert18@msn.com.

November 10, 2019, 3:00 pm—**[Shaare Shamayim](#)**, **Philadelphia, PA**
[Remembering the Jews of Greece: A Musical Journey](#). A program in memory of the Holocaust, honoring the Sephardic Jews of Greece and the broader Mediterranean. [Buy Tickets](#)

November 11, 2019, 2:00 pm — Museum of Jewish Heritage, **New York, NY**

Stories Survive: An Eyewitness Account of Kristallnacht. Hear Kristallnacht survivor **Ruth Zimbler**'s first-person account of Kristallnacht.

November 11, 2019, 7:00 pm — Museum of Jewish Heritage, **New York, NY**

Kristallnacht History & Significance: Talk With Natalia Aleksun, Associate Professor, Touro Graduate School of Jewish Studies, will discuss the history leading up to Kristallnacht, and the impact of Kristallnacht on the religious, economic, and social dynamics of Jews within Nazi Germany.

November 12, 2019, 1:30 pm—Ramapo College, Alumni Lounges SC138, **Mahwah, NJ**

Experiences of Refugees Coming to America Related in Their Own Words with **Lee T. Bycel**, Sinton Visiting Professor of Holocaust, Ethics and Refugee Studies at the University of San Francisco and author of *Refugees in America: Stories of Courage, Resilience, and Hope in Their Own Words*.

November 13, 2019, 7:00 pm — Museum of Jewish Heritage, **New York, NY**

Book Launch: **Tehran Children: A Holocaust Refugee Odyssey**, with author **Mikhail Dekel**, daughter of one of the children who found refuge from the Nazis in Iran.

November 13 & 14, 2019, 7:00 pm — St. Ann & the Holy Trinity Church. 157 Montague St, **Brooklyn, NY**

Performance of scenes from Peter Weiss' play **The Investigation**, a searing piece of theater adapted from the Frankfurt Auschwitz Trials of 1963–1965, followed by guided discussions about the lasting impact of mass murder on individuals, families, communities, and countries.

November 17, 2019, 2:00 pm— Illinois Holocaust Museum & Education Center, **Skokie IL**

Citizen 865: The Hunt for Hitler's Hidden Soldiers in America. **Debbie Cenziper**, *Washington Post* investigative reporter, discusses efforts by "Nazi Hunters" in the Justice Department's Office of Special Investigations to bring to justice Nazis who fled to the US after World War II. For more: www.ilholocaustmuseum.org/events

November 17, 2019, 2:30 pm—Saint John the Evangelist Catholic Church, 625 111st Ave. N., **Naples, FL**

Kristallnacht Commemoration with Rabbi Stephen Fuchs, son of a Kristallnacht survivor, and kick-off to ***Butterflies of Hope and Remembrance***. For more: genshoahswfl@gmail.com.

November 17, 2019, 7:00 pm—B'nai Tzedek Congregation, 10601 S. Glen Rd, **Potomac, MD**
Screening of **The Righteous Gypsy** with **Jakov Sadler**. Fees.

November 18, 2019, 12 noon—Aidekman Family Jewish Community Campus, **Whippany, NJ**
Holocaust Council of Greater MetroWest Bagels & Books: ***Something Beautiful Happened*** by **Yvette Manassis Corporon**, about the people of a small Greek island who hid a Jewish family during WWII. Bagels and coffee provided; bring your appetite for a discussion.
For more: holocaustcouncil@jfedgmw.org or call 973-929-3194.

November 21, 2019, 6:30 pm—Wiener Holocaust Library, **London, UK**
[Being Human 2019: Discovering Lost Children after World War II](#)

November 21, 2019, 6:30 pm—Illinois Holocaust Museum & Education Center, **Skokie, IL**
They Shall Be Counted: The Theresienstadt Ghetto Art of Erich Lichtblau-Leskly.
Museum Chief Curator of Collections **Arielle Weininger** will discuss Lichtblau-Leskly's illustrations and Holocaust survivor and toy inventor **Ivan Moscovich** will touch on how art and imagination can serve as a form of resistance. For more: www.ilholocaustmuseum.org/events

November 24, 2019, 2:00 pm— Illinois Holocaust Museum & Education Center, **Skokie IL**
Film & Discussion: ***Memories of the Eichmann Trial.*** David Perlov's 1979 Israeli documentary showcases trial witnesses, Holocaust survivors and others directly involved in the Eichmann case. For more: www.ilholocaustmuseum.org/events

December 1 - 29, 2019—Museum of Jewish Heritage, 36 Battery Pl, **New York, NY**
[The Sorceress](#): One of the very earliest works of Yiddish theatre, this operetta's restored orchestrations are based on pre-Holocaust musical arrangements which were saved from destruction at the hands of the Nazis by the famed "Paper Brigade" of the YIVO in Vilna.

December 2, 2019, 8:00 pm—The Shul Sanctuary, 9540 Collins Ave, **Surfside, FL**
Concert: ***Violins of Hope Strings of the Holocaust.*** Fees. For tickets 305-866-0203.

FYI... FOR YOUR INFORMATION

FYI... Online newsletters

Sir Martin Gilbert book club www.martingilbert.com/sir-martins-book-club-newsletter/

FYI... 2020-2021 Fellowship Opportunities: The United States Holocaust Memorial Museum's Mandel Center for Advanced Holocaust Studies awards fellowships-in-residence to support significant research and writing about the Holocaust. Fellowships are awarded to candidates working on their dissertations (ABD), postdoctoral researchers, and senior scholars. Proposals are welcomed from scholars in all academic disciplines.

Awards are granted on a competitive basis. Fellowships may start as early as September 2020, and must be completed no later than December 2021. For fellowship competition guidelines and to apply, please visit ushmm.org/fellowship-competition.

FYI... For the latest on the [Baltics](#)

FYI... Articles, videos, podcasts and slideshows in the news...*Note: links were active when the newsletter was written but some links may now have been deactivated by the publisher. If a link doesn't work, you can look for the story using a search engine, e.g., [Google](#), [Yahoo](#) or others.*

Across Borders: International

[WWII: eighty years on, the world is still haunted by a catastrophe foretold](#)

[What the British and the French Actually Thought About the Decision to Appease Hitler at Munich in 1938](#)

[Why Every Child Needs to Hear Stories about the Holocaust](#)

[Is World War II History Still Relevant?](#)

[Why World War II History Is Still Relevant](#)

[Faith Amid the Flames](#)

['Never forget,' say Jewish veterans who were proud to fight the Nazis](#)

[How a "Dream Team" of Rescuers Salvaged Masses of Jewish Cultural Treasures Looted by the Nazis](#)

[Fruit from suffering](#)

Australia

[One Holocaust descendant's fight for justice: 'They stole not just our land, but my family's history'](#)

[Son: 'It had to be done'](#)

[Holocaust survivor's striped jacket bears witness to brutality](#)

[Holocaust survivor loses home in Melbourne house fire](#)

[Deborah Lipstadt defeated a Holocaust denier — but the fight is only ramping up](#)

Austria

[Oldest Austrian Holocaust Survivor Dies Aged 106](#)

[Austria set to offer passports in London to Holocaust survivors' descendants](#)

[Legislation will extend citizenship rights to children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren of Austrian Jews who fled Hitler's Third Reich](#)

[German tourist sued for complaints about hotel's Nazi portraits](#)

[Austrian court: Hotel guest had no right to complain about 'Nazi grandpa' photo](#)

[Austrian Firm Chosen To Design Babi Yar Holocaust Memorial](#)

Belgium

[Opinion | Ghent's Holocaust memorial must be better respected](#)

[Belgian politician puts his own swastika painting in window of Brussels art gallery](#)

[University Denounced for Showing Sign Language for 'Jewish' as a Hooked Nose](#)

Bulgaria

[Central Synagogue in Bulgaria's capital Sofia celebrating 110 years since inauguration](#)

Canada

[Holocaust museum gets \\$100,000 from Ottawa for expansion](#)

[Canada accused of promoting Holocaust revisionism with memorial in Ukraine](#)

[Austria honours Montreal-based Holocaust educator](#)

[Alice Hoffman blends mysticism with real-life horrors in latest book](#)

[Alice Hoffman Brings Magical Realism to the Holocaust Novel](#)

['The Painted Bird' Holocaust Drama Prompts Mass Walkout at Toronto](#)

[Refugee Boulevard: New audio tour shows listeners how Holocaust survivors made Montreal home | CBC News](#)

['Signposts along the road to Auschwitz': 90-year-old Holocaust survivor Irving Roth tells his story in Saskatoon](#)

[Pianist plays high and low notes of her mother's life](#)

[Nazi comedy 'Jojo Rabbit' wins Toronto film fest prize](#)

[Nazi Comedy Wins People's Choice Award at Toronto Film Festival](#)

Czech Republic

[Nazi Occupation Of Prague - Radio Free Europe](#)

[Archaeologists Find Mass Grave at Nazi Camp in Czech Republic](#)

Denmark

[Rosh Hashanah History: The Warning That Saved Denmark's Jews](#)

Egypt

[Play about the Holocaust raises questions about changing mindsets in Egypt | Ahmed Megahid | AW](#)

Estonia

[Estonian Jewish Community Marks Holocaust Mourning Days In September](#)

France

[What We Can Learn From a Town That Saved Thousands in WWII](#)

[Bust of Hitler Discovered in French Parliament](#)

[Her Love for France's First Jewish Prime Minister Made Her Follow Him to Buchenwald](#)

[A Top French Novelist Published Holocaust Denials and Caricatures 30 Years Ago](#)

[Bestselling French author expresses relief as his antisemitic drawings are uncovered 30 years on](#)
[Filmmaker Roman Polanski's Film About French-Jewish Officer Framed for Treason Premieres](#)
[Memoir by one of France's most famous Jewish writers is made into a second movie](#)

Germany

[Former SS soldier sentenced to death for Nazi massacre dies, aged 96, after escaping justice](#)

[Giving In to Hitler](#)

[The Nazi Archives: Where Germany's Dark Past is Stored on Paper](#)

[Berlin celebrates postwar visitor program for ... - Al Arabiya](#)

[Jewish Holocaust Survivors Return To Berlin As Part Of German Reconciliation Program](#)

[Brief / Germany eases nationality law for descendants of Holocaust victims](#)

[The cello saved her life: Anita Lasker-Wallfisch | DW | 03.09.2019](#)

[80 Years Ago How A Very Different Schindler's List Helped Ignite WWII](#)

[World War Two: German president asks Poland to forgive Nazi 'tyranny'](#)

[In WWII commemoration, German president apologizes to Poland, omits Jewish victims](#)

[Nazi-looted art returned to heirs of German-Jewish art collector](#)

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