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## Application for Consideration for Nomination to Special Programs

As an accredited and recognized museum, Holocaust Museum Houston sometimes has the opportunity to recommend regional educators – which include Texas and southwest Louisiana teachers and HMH-trained docents – to various learning programs in the United States and abroad. The Museum also has funding (full and partial) for three specific programs. We are seeking a pool of applicants to consider for these programs and request you complete this form so that we may contact you should an opportunity become available.

If you are selected for nomination by HMH, you will be notified and a request will be made that you fill out the official application for the program.

If you have any questions, please contact the director of education at 713 942-8000, ext. 123 or e-mail [teachertraining@hmh.org](mailto:teachertraining@hmh.org).

**Please note:** Each program has a comprehensive application with specific criteria. The form below is not the actual application for a program. Submitting this application is not a guarantee of funding or acceptance to any of the programs noted.

**Programs of Application** (check those that apply; in the blank that follows, please note the year you would be available for that program):

- Henia Leibman Fellowship:** This fellowship supports funding for one to two educators to attend Yad Vashem's International Seminar in Israel. This seminar occurs for a three-week period in July of each year. \_\_\_\_\_
- Lea Krell Weems Fellowship:** This scholarship supports funding for one to two educators to participate in the Jewish Resistance Teacher's Program. This travel-study program includes Germany, Poland and Israel and occurs for three weeks in July each year. \_\_\_\_\_
- Jewish Foundation for the Righteous Nomination:** Each summer (usually in late June or early July), this prestigious one-week advanced studies program occurs at Columbia University in New York City. \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: Cell: \_\_\_\_\_ Home: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: Home \_\_\_\_\_@\_\_\_\_\_ Work \_\_\_\_\_@\_\_\_\_\_

School Name: \_\_\_\_\_

School Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Subject(s) taught: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade levels: \_\_\_\_\_

No. years teaching: \_\_\_\_\_

**HMH Programs Attended** (check all that apply; note year(s) in blanks that follow item):

- Warren Fellowship for Preservice Teachers \_\_\_\_\_
- Max M. Kaplan Summer Institute for Educators \_\_\_\_\_
- One-Day Teacher Workshop(s) \_\_\_\_\_
- Conference Presentation \_\_\_\_\_

**Please respond to the questions that follow.** You may attach an additional typed page if you wish.

1. How long do you have to teach about the Holocaust in your current teaching assignment?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
2. What materials do you use in teaching about the Holocaust?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
3. Why do you think Holocaust education is important today?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
4. What leadership role(s) do you currently have in your school, district or professional organization?

After completing any program, you will be called upon to serve as a resource for the Museum. Specifically, as a participant selected for a special program, you would commit to do the following:

- Represent Holocaust Museum Houston in a professional manner, to include attending all sessions of the program, participating as requested in the program and dressing in appropriate attire as recommended by the program.
- Submit a written report on your experience and how you plan to implement it in the coming academic year within one month (1) of completing the program. If possible, please include one to three photographs in your report.
- Attend the Holocaust Museum Houston Max M. Kaplan Summer Institute for Educators within two (2) years of completing the program identified below. At this institute you may be asked to speak about your experience.
- Attend at least two (2) HMM one-day teacher workshops within three (3) years of completing the program identified below. At these workshops, you may be asked to speak about your experience.
- Present at least one professional development session related to the program's content to your department, school or district within one (1) year of completing the program identified below. You must submit the agenda for this session, copies of the materials used, and an executive summary of the evaluation you created for your session.
- Advise Holocaust Museum Houston's Education Department when you present professional development sessions on the program's content so that its full, long-term impact can be evaluated.
- Invite other educators to participate in Holocaust Museum Houston's professional development opportunities for five (5) years following the completion of the program noted below.
- Present about the program's content and its impact on your teaching to the HMM Education Committee or the HMM Board of Trustees, *if requested*.
- Participate in special project needs, *if requested* by Holocaust Museum Houston Education staff, to include – but not limited to – pilot programs and assessments of curriculum and programs for five (5) years following the completion of the program noted.

**Return this form to:**

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