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Holocaust 101: Teaching About the Holocaust

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<u>Monday, July 10, 2017</u>

8:15 a.m.	Leave Hotel for HMH - MetroRail
8:45 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.	Introductions and Overview
9:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.	Dry Timber: The Role of Eugenics and Antisemitism during the Holocaust Background history, primary source analysis, film clip from "Conspiracy"
10:30 a.m. – 10:45 a.m.	Break
10:45 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.	Spark: Building the Nazi State Northeim Case Study, Gallery Walk of Primary Sources
12:15 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.	Lunch / Tour HMH on own
1:30 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.	Berlin Memorial Law Activity / Gallery Walk Cont'd
2:00 p.m. – 2:45 p.m.	Favorable Weather: War and Genocide (Part 1) Animated Maps (USHMM), Einsatzgruppe Case Study
2:45 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.	Break
3:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Favorable Weather: War and Genocide (Part 2) Einsatzgruppe Case Study cont'd, Wannsee Protocol, Killing Centers, Auschwitz Album
4:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.	Resources and Questions

<u>Tuesday, July 11</u>

8:15 AM	Leave hotel for HMH - MetroRail
8:45 AM – 10:00 AM	Welcome and Introductions — <u>Dr. Mary Lee Webeck</u> , Director of Education, Holocaust Museum Houston
10:00 AM – 10:15 AM	Break
10:15 AM – 12:15 PM	Fascism: "When Our Dictator Turns Up" — <u>Dr. Ann Millin,</u> Historian, Educational Initiatives, United States Holocaust Memorial Museum
12:15 PM – 1:00 PM	Lunch
1:00 PM – 2:30 PM	Integrating Social Studies, Language Arts and Holocaust Literature — <u>Dr. Sherry L. Field</u> , Assistant Dean for Teacher Education, Outreach and Recruiting, College of Education, University of Texas at Austin
2:30 PM – 2:45 PM	Break
2:45 PM – 4:15 PM	They Fought Back: Jewish Resistance to the Third Reich — <u>Dr. John</u> <u>Cox</u> , Associate Professor of International Studies; Director, Center for Holocaust, Genocide, and Human Rights Studies; University of North Carolina at Charlotte
4:15 PM – 4:30 PM	Discussion and Q&A
<u>Wednesday, July 12</u>	
8:15 AM	Leave hotel for HMH - MetroRail
8:45 AM – 9:00 AM	Resources
9:00 AM – 10:30 AM	"After the Witnesses Leave Us: Using Mute Testimony in Our Classrooms" — <u>Dr. Karen Shawn</u> , Visiting Associate Professor of Jewish Education, Azrieli Graduate School of Jewish Education and Administration, Yeshiva University
10:30 AM – 10:45 AM	Break
10:45 AM – 12:15 PM	"Never Again"?: Genocide Before and After the Holocaust — <u>Dr.</u> <u>John Cox</u> , Associate Professor of International Studies; Director, Center for Holocaust, Genocide, and Human Rights Studies: University of North Carolina at Charlotte

12:15 PM – 1:00 PM	Lunch
1:00 PM – 2:30 PM	American College Students and the Nazi Threat — <u>Dr. Ann Millin</u> , Historian, Educational Initiatives, United States Holocaust Memorial Museum
2:30 PM – 2:45 PM	Break
2:45 PM – 4:15 PM	Teaching Primary Sources: New Educational Supplements Based on Documents of the International Tracing Service - <u>Mark</u> <u>Alexander</u> , Ph.D. Student, George Washington University; Researcher, United States Holocaust Memorial Museum
4:15 PM – 5:00 PM	Discussion and Q&A
5:00 PM – 6: 30 PM	Dinner and free time in the Museum
6:30 PM - 8:00 PM	Antisemitism: Then and Now Public Lecture - Max M. Kaplan Summer Institute's Gerald Kaplan Endowed Lecture with <u>Mark Weitzman</u>

Location: Albert and Ethel Herzstein Theater

Mark Weitzman is director of government affairs and the director of the Task Force Against Hate and Terrorism for the Simon Wiesenthal Center. He is also the chief representative of the center to the United Nations in New York.

Weitzman is a member of the official U.S. delegation to the International Holocaust Remembrance Alliance (formerly the Task Force for International Cooperation on Holocaust Education, Remembrance and Research), where he chairs the Committee on Antisemitism and Holocaust Denial. He is a member of the advisory panel of Experts on Freedom of Religion or Belief of the Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe (OSCE) and co-chairs the Working Group on International Affairs of the Global Forum on Antisemitism.

Weitzman is also a participant in the program on Religion and Foreign Policy of the Council on Foreign Relations. He is also a board member and former vice president of the Association of Holocaust Organizations and was member of the advisory board of the Institute for the Study of Global Antisemitism and Policy at Yale University, as well as a longtime member of the official Jewish-Catholic Dialogue Group of New York.

Weitzman has authored many publications and books and is a winner of the 2007 National Jewish Book Award for best anthology for antisemitism.

Thursday, July 13

8:15 AM	Leave hotel for HMH
8:45 AM – 9:00 AM	Sharing Resources & Announcements — Summer Institute Faculty
9:00 AM – 10:30 AM	Current Antisemitism: Q & A — <u>Mark Weitzman</u> , Director of Government Affairs, the Simon Wiesenthal Center
10:30 AM – 10:45 AM	Break
10:45 AM – 12:15 PM	Post-Holocaust Photography – <u>Kelly Webeck</u> , Visual Arts Educator, Warren Fellowship Photographer 2008 – present
12:15 PM – 1:00 PM	Lunch
1:10 PM – 1:30 PM	Walk to MFAH
1:30 PM – 3:00 PM	Connecting Photography to Genocide — <u>Anne Wilkes Tucker</u> , Curator Emerita of Photography, Museum of Fine Arts Houston
3:00 PM – 4:15 PM	Break and Free Time at MFAH or HMH
4:15 PM – 5:45 PM	Choosing the Right Materials: Values and Meaning-Making in the Wake of the Shoah — <u>Dr. Karen Shawn</u> , Visiting Associate Professor of Jewish Education, Azrieli Graduate School of Jewish Education and Administration, Yeshiva University
5:45 PM – 6:30 PM	Dinner
6:30 PM - 8:00 PM	Racism, Fascism and Genocide: Past and Present
	Max M. Kaplan Summer Institute Public Lecture, Author Appearance & Book Signing with <u>Dr. John Cox</u>

Location: Albert and Ethel Herzstein Theater

Dr. John Cox is Associate Professor of International Studies at the University of North Carolina at Charlotte where he directs the Center for Holocaust, Genocide & Human Rights (HGHR) Studies.

His first book, "Circles of Resistance: Jewish, Leftist, and Youth Dissidence in Nazi Germany" was published in 2009, and his most current book, "To Kill a People: Genocide in the Twentieth Century" was published in February 2016 by Oxford University Press. John earned his Ph.D. in History at UNC-Chapel Hill in 2006. He began at UNC Charlotte in 2011, after teaching History for five years at Florida Gulf Coast University, where he founded and directed a Holocaust & Human Rights Studies Center.

Cox's current research projects analyze anti-Nazi resistance within Buchenwald and the postwar memory and political uses of that resistance; Jewish participation in the fight against Franco in Spain; and an analysis of the relationship of capitalism to genocide. John is also publishing a memoir written by a German-Jewish anti-Nazi resister, and co-editing a major volume on world genocide, to be published in 2018.

Friday, July 14

8:15 AM	Leave hotel for HMH
8:45 AM – 9:00 AM	Sharing Resources & Announcements — Summer Institute Faculty
9:00 AM – 10:30 AM	Exploring Purpose in Holocaust Education: A German Site of Memory as Case Study — Irene Ann Resenly, Ph.D. Candidate, University of Wisconsin - Madison
10:30 AM – 10:45 AM	Break
10:45 AM – 12:15 PM	To the Future: Member of the 2 nd Generation Tell Their Family's Stories — <u>Mike Cahn</u> and <u>Barry Halpern</u> , Members of Houston's 2G Community
12:15 PM – 12:30 PM	Complete Institute Evaluations
12:30 PM – 1:00 PM	"Give Aways" and Boxed Lunch (To eat at HMH or take with you)