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***TEACHING ABOUT
THE HOLOCAUST***

**SEMINAR FOR EDUCATORS
FROM CROATIA**

July 18 – 31, 2005

SEMINAR PROGRAM



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Monday, July 18

01:20 arrival at Tel Aviv airport, transportation to the hotel in Jerusalem

12:00 lunch at hotel

13:00-18:00 tour of Jerusalem
Mr. Zlatko Hirschl, tour guide

18:00-19:30 orientation at Yad Vashem, official opening of the seminar
His Excellency, Mr. Ivan Del Vechio, Ambassador of the Republic of
Croatia in Israel
Ms. Zita Turgeman, ISHS, Yad Vashem

20:00 dinner at hotel

Tuesday, July 19

08:30-10:00 What is the Holocaust and what isn't the Holocaust?
Dr. Rob Rozett, Yad Vashem

10:00-10:30 break

10:30-12:00 presentation of a pedagogical, mobile unit on Poland and Polish Jewry
before the Holocaust
Ms. Shira Magen, ISHS, Yad Vashem

12:00-12:30 break

12:30-13:30 A guided tour from a pedagogical perspective in Yad Vashem, down
to the Valley of the Communities and inside of it
Ms. Zita Turgeman, ISHS, Yad Vashem

13:00-13:30 lunch break in the Valley

13:30-15:30 survivor testimonies on Jewish life before the Holocaust

15:30-16:00 break

16:00-17:30 Croats, Israelis and the Holocaust- putting the focus on us- debriefing
with Dr. Natan Kellerman, AMCHA



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Wednesday, July 20

- 08:30-10:00 Jewish life in Germany between the two World Wars
Dr. Guy Miron, Yad Vashem
- 10:00-10:30 break
- 10:30-13:00 A guided visit to the New Historical Museum of Yad Vashem
Ms. Zita Turgeman, ISHS, Yad Vashem
- 13:00-14:00 lunch break
- 14:00-15:30 The Educational Philosophy of the ISHS
Ms. Shulamit Imber, ISHS, Yad Vashem
- 15:30-16:00 break
- 16:00-17:30 The ITF Guidelines for Holocaust Education
Ms. Gretchen Skidmore, USHMM

Thursday, July 21

- 08:30-10:00 From Modern Antisemitism to Nazi Ideology
Prof. David Bankier, Yad Vashem
- 10:00-10:30 break
- 10:30-12:00 Anti-Judaism in the Middle Ages- the roots of Modern Antisemitism –
educational workshop for high-school
Ms. Yael Richler-Friedman, ISHS, Yad Vashem
- 12:00- 13:00 lunch break
- 13:00-14:30 Persecution of the Jews in Nazi Germany, 1933-1939
Prof. David Bankier, Yad Vashem
- 14:30-15:00 break
- 15:00-16:30 Discussion on “Why to teach about the Holocaust” together with Yad
Vashem staff and Ms. Gretchen Skidmore
- 19:00-21:00 guided tour in the Israel Museum

Friday, July 22

08:30-10:00 The use of the internet in Holocaust Education
Ms. Gretchen Skidmore, USHMM

10:00-10:30 break

10:30-11:15 Age-appropriate educational workshop on Nazi Germany “But the story didn’t end that way”, for high school
Mr. Yiftah Meiri, ISHS, Yad Vashem

11:15-11:30 break

11:30-12:30 Age-appropriate educational workshop on stereotypes and Xenophobia, for elementary and middle school
Ms. Zita Turgeman, ISHS, Yad Vashem

free afternoon

Evening: visiting a Friday evening prayer at a synagogue
Shabbat meal together at the hotel
With Rabbi Luciano

Saturday, July 23

A tour to the Massada, and the Dead Sea

Sunday, July 24

07:00 optional: Sunday mass at the Ad Senaculum church on Mt. Zion

09:00 leaving for Tel-Aviv from the hotel

10:00-12:00 Guided visit in the Diaspora Museum

12:00-13:00 lunch

13:00-18:00 Tour of Tel Aviv and Jaffa
Mr. Zlatko Hirschl, tour guide

Monday, July 25

- 08:30-09:00 introduction to the subject of the Ghettos
Mr. Yiftah Meiri, ISHS, Yad Vashem
- 09:00-09:30 introduction to age-appropriate workshops in the subject of the ghettos-
“Between the Worlds- Social Circles in the Theresienstadt Ghetto” and
“...As In Days Gone By- Struggling for Cultural and Spiritual Life in Ghetto Lodz”- for high school
“Memories in a box”- for primary school
Mr. Yiftah Meiri and Ms. Michal Berman, ISHS, Yad Vashem
- 09:30-10:00 break
- 10:00-11:30 workshop in two groups, by choice, on the two subjects
Mr. Yiftah Meiri and Ms. Michal Berman, ISHS, Yad Vashem
- 11:30-11:45 break
- 11:45-12:15 introduction to the Pedagogical Center
Ms. Michal Berman, director, Pedagogical Center, Yad Vashem
- 12:15-14:00 lunch break and free time in Yad Vashem
- 14:00-15:30 The Stages of the “Final Solution”
Dr. David Silberklang, Yad Vashem
- 15:30-16:00 break
- 16:00-17:00 Educational workshop on the book “The soldier with the Golden buttons” by Miriam Aviezer Steiner
Ms. Miriam Aviezer-Steiner and Ms. Zita Turgeman, ISHS, Yad Vashem

Evening at hotel: Israeli folk dance

Tuesday, July 26

- 08:30-10:00 Croats, Israelis and the Holocaust- putting the focus on us- debriefing with Dr. Natan Kellerman, AMCHA
- 10:00-10:30 break
- 10:30-12:00 An educational unit on the Jasenovac camp
Ms. Hava Baruch, ISHS, Yad Vashem
- 12:00-13:00 lunch break
- 13:00-14:30 Educational tour of Yad Vashem
Ms. Zita Turgeman, ISHS, Yad Vashem
- 14:30-15:00 break
- 15:00-17:00 How to use testimonies in the classroom- a workshop with Holocaust survivors

Wednesday, July 27

- 08:30-10:00 Educational workshop on "Return to life"- how Holocaust survivors continued their life after liberation
Ms. Hava Baruch, ISHS, Yad Vashem
- 10:00-10:30 break
- 10:30-11:30 Educational workshop on Righteous among the Nations
Ms. Zita Turgeman, ISHS, Yad Vashem
- 11:30-13:30 lunch break and free time in Yad Vashem
- 13:30-16:30 Presentations of the Croat participants with pedagogical discussion with YV staff

evening at hotel: optional meeting with Ms. Marsha Goren, the manager of "Global Dreamers", an international educational project

Thursday, July 28

- 08:30-10:00 Holocaust denial- workshop
Ms. Shira Magen, ISHS, Yad Vashem
- 10:00-10:30 break



- 10:30-12:00 Prosecution of Nazi War Criminals
Dr. Efraim Zuroff
- 12:00-14:00 lunch break, free time in Yad Vashem
- 14:00-15:30 Croats, Israelis and the Holocaust- putting the focus on
us- debriefing with Dr. Natan Kellerman, AMCHA
- 15:30-15:45 break
- 15:45-16:45 Seminar evaluation/ ceremony
- evening: farewell dinner

Friday-Saturday, July 29-30

Guided tour to North-Israel
Sleeping at Kibbutz Nes Amim

Mr. Zlatko Hirschl, tour guide

Sunday, July 31

leave Israel