

**ASSOCIATION OF HOLOCAUST ORGANIZATIONS
2018 WINTER CONFERENCE
JANUARY 7-9
USHMM
Washington, DC**

Sunday, January 7

12:00 p.m. -12:30 p.m. Arrival - Classroom B – Pick up name badges

**12:30 p.m. – 1:00 p.m. Greetings and Introduction - Rubinstein Auditorium
Dr. William L. Shulman, President AHO**

1:00 – 2:30 p.m. Session I - *“Lower than Animals”: The Ever-Changing Relationship between American Occupation Authorities and Jewish Displaced Persons In the American Zone of Germany* – Rubinstein Auditorium

**Presenter: Dr. Kierra Crago-Schneider
USHMM**

2:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. Refreshment Break – Classroom B

3:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m. Session II *Antisemitism Across Borders* – Rubinstein Auditorium

**Presenter: Mark Weitzman
Simon Wiesenthal Center**

4:30 – 5:00 p.m. A screening of the newest film from Echoes & Reflections, produced by Yad Vashem’s International School for Holocaust Studies, entitled “Liberators and Survivors: The First Moments”. – Rubinstein Auditorium

Monday , January 8

Please enter the Museum on the 15th St. side (Raoul Wallenberg Place)

8:30 – 9:00 a.m. Coffee, Tea, Breakfast pastries – Classroom B

9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. Session III *American Responses to the Nazi Threat: Highlights and Themes of a New USHMM Special Exhibition* – Rubinstein Auditorium

**Presenter: Gretchen Skidmore
USHMM**

10:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. Refreshment Break – Classroom B

10:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. Session IV *The Future of Holocaust Memory* – Rubinstein Auditorium

**Presenter: Dr. Judith Gerson
Rutgers University**

12:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m. Buffet Lunch in Portals – Offices of the Levine Institute for Holocaust Education (10 minute walk from Museum)

2:00 p.m. – 3:15 p.m. Session V *Waging Rescue: War Refugee Board* – Rubinstein Auditorium

**Presenter: Dr. Rebecca Erbelding
USHMM**

3:15 p.m. – 3:45 p.m. Refreshment Break – Classroom B

3:45 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. Session VI *Saints and Liars: American Aid and Rescue Workers in Nazi Europe* -Rubinstein Auditorium

**Presenter: Dr. Deborah Dwork
Clark University**

Tuesday, January 9

Please enter to Museum on the 15th St. side

8:30 – 9:00 a.m. Coffee, tea, breakfast pastries

9:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. Session VII *The Undesireables: U.S. immigration Policy 1938-1942 through the Eyes of a German Village* – Rubinstein Auditorium

**Presenter: Michael Dobbs
USHMM**

10:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. Refreshment Break – Classroom B

11:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. Session VIII *Germany's Two Genocides: From the Herero to the Holocaust* – Rubinstein Auditorium

**Presenter: Dr. Ellen Kennedy
World Without Genocide**