

**ASSOCIATION OF HOLOCAUST ORGANIZATIONS  
28th ANNUAL CONFERENCE  
Texas Holocaust and Genocide Commission  
Austin, Texas  
June 1-4, 2013**

**Saturday, June 1 –**

**Opening of Exhibit *Jewish Refugees and Shanghai* 6:00 P.M.  
Old Pecan Street Room**

**AHO Reception 7:00 – 10:00 p.m. Travis Room**

**Sunday, June 2**

**All meals for the Conference will be in the Travis Room**

**7:00 – 9:00 a.m. Breakfast**

**8:30 – 9:00 a.m. Orientation for First-Time Attendees Austin I  
Chair: Susan Myers, Vice-President, AHO**

**Registration 9:00-10:00 a.m. – Mezz A**

**Book Exhibit – Lakeview Room**

**9:00 – 10:15 A.M. Focus Groups I**

**Session A – *How to Create a Social Media Strategic Plan* Austin III**

**Presenter: Ira Perry, Director of PR & Marketing  
Holocaust Museum Houston**

**Chair: Sarah Weiss  
Center for Holocaust and Humanity Education/Cincinnati**

**Session B - *The Care and Feeding of Boards of Directors* Austin I+II**

**Presenter: Cynthia Nunn, President  
Center for Non-Profit Management  
Dallas, Texas**

**Chair: Stanlee Stahl**  
**Jewish Foundation for the Righteous**

**10:30 – 11:45 A.M. Focus Groups II**

***A. Locating, Acquiring and Preserving Artifacts* Austin I+II**

**Presenter: Gregg Philipson**  
**Texas Holocaust and Genocide Commission**

**Chair: Stephen Goldman**  
**Holocaust Memorial Center/Michigan**

***B. How to Obtain Financial Stability* Austin III**

**Presenter: Rick Krosnick**  
**Chief Development Officer**  
**Jewish National Fund**

**Chair: Beth Dotan**  
**Ghetto Fighters' Museum, Israel**

**11:45 A.M. – 12:45 P.M. Buffet Lunch -**

**All sessions will be in the Austin Room**

**1:00 – 2:30 P.M. Session I - *Hitler's East and the American West:  
Comparing Conquest and Genocide***

**Presenter: Dr. Edward Westermann**  
**Texas A&M University – San Antonio**

**Chair: Dr. Robert Bernheim**  
**Holocaust and Human Rights Center of Maine**

**2:30 – 2:45 P.M. Refreshment Break**

**2:45 – 4:15 P.M Session II *Bonhoeffer: Pastor, Martyr, Prophet, Spy***

**Presenter: Eric Metaxas**

**Author and Founder and Host of Socrates in the City**

**Responder: Mickey Meyers, Holocaust Museum Houston**

**Chair: Dr. Marilyn Harran**

**Rodgers Center, Chapman University**

**5:30 p.m. Buses will leave for the reception**

**6:00 – 9:00 p.m. Reception – at the Texas Club, University of Texas**

**Buses will leave for the hotel at 9:00 p.m.**

**Monday, June 3**

**7:00 -8:15 A.M. Breakfast -**

**8:30 – 10:00 A.M. Session III *Medical Warriors: Doctors and Nurses  
in Resistance During the Holocaust***

**Presenter: Dr. Cheyenne Martin**

**Rebecca and Edwin Gale Professor of Ethics  
School of Nursing, University of Texas**

**Chair: Dr. Harvey Kornberg**

**Koppelman Holocaust Center  
Rider University/New Jersey**

**10:00 -10:30 A.M. Refreshment Break**

**10:30 A.M. – 12:00 P.M. Session IV – *The Impact of Social Media on Holocaust Education***

**Presenters: Dan Napolitano**  
**USHMM**  
**Kori Street**  
**USC Shoah Foundation Institute**

**Chair: Tom White**  
**Cohen Center, Keene College, NH**

**12:00 – 2:00 P.M. Business Luncheon -**  
**Chair: Dr. William L. Shulman,**

**Agenda:**

- a. President's report**
- b. Treasurer's report – Jean Zeldin, Treasurer**
- c. Election of AHO Board**
- d. Report on ITF and other International Organizations**
- e. New Business**

**2:15 – 3:45 P.M. Session V *Using Theatre in Holocaust Education***

**Presenters: Kevin Moriarty**  
**Artistic Director, Dallas Theater Center**

**Chair: Arnold Mittelman**  
**President, Holocaust Theater Archive of the National Jewish Theater Foundation**

**4:00 – 5:30 P.M. Session VI – *Conversations with Survivors of Genocide***

**Panel: Gilbert Tuhabonye -Burundi**  
**Ambassador Sichan Siv - Cambodia**  
**Dr. Anna Steinberger - Poland**

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

**8:00 – 11:00 P.M. AHO Board Meeting Congress Room**

**Tuesday, June 4**

**7:00 – 8:45 A.M. Breakfast -**

**9:00 – 10:30 A.M. Session VII *Rescue in the Philippines***

**Presenters: Barbara Sasser**

**Sarah Weiss**

**The Center for Holocaust & Humanity Education**

**Chair: Mark Weitzman**

**Simon Wiesenthal Center**

**Planning Committee:**

**Alice Murray**

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