Drew University Center for Holocaust/Genocide Study Collections

Records of the Center for Holocaust/Genocide Study Finding Aid

Creator: Drew University Center for Holocaust/Genocide Study

Title: Records of the Center for Holocaust/Genocide Study

Dates: 1993-2015

Abstract: This collection contains material related to the Drew University Center for

Holocaust/Genocide Study, particularly events and conferences that the center has hosted. These materials include publications, conference handouts, event files,

and video tapes.

Extent: 4 boxes, 2.5 linear feet

Languages: English

Repository: Drew University Library, Madison NJ

Historical Note

The Drew University Center for Holocaust/Genocide Study was established in 1992 following the awarding of a grant from the New Jersey Commission on Holocaust Education. Since that time, the Center has become an advocate for educating the community about the Holocaust and other genocides. As part of this outreach, the Center hosts or participates in a variety of events each year that provide academics and the general public with the chance to learn about and discuss these events. In addition, the Center supports and enriches both undergraduate and graduate studies at Drew University by inviting notable scholars and speakers to campus, organizing visits to the United States Holocaust Memorial Museum, and providing educational resources that enhance and encourage the study of the Holocaust. Each year, the Center hosts a conference in November in memory of *Kristallnacht*. Along with the annual *Yom HaShoah* commemoration, this conference serves as an important foundation for the Center's yearly activities. The Center also produces print and online material for researchers, students, and educators to use as reference tools.

The mission of the Center is to commemorate those who perished in the Holocaust and to celebrate those who survived; to educate upcoming generations to "remember for the future"; and to dedicate its energies to ongoing research and scholarship. The Center's mission includes those genocides that foreshadowed the Holocaust, those that followed it, and those that continue to erupt.

Scope and Content Note

The Records of the Center for Holocaust/Genocide Study is part of the larger group of archival collections from the Drew University Center for Holocaust/Genocide Study. This archival collection includes files related to the annual conferences that the Drew

University Center for Holocaust/Genocide Study has hosted since 1993, as well as material related to publications from the late 1990s and early 2000s. The documents in this collection consist of public-facing materials such as conference programs and published newsletters, but also include behind-the-scenes material related to the generation of these events and publications. The records in this collection are divided into two main series, descriptions of which are available below.

Arrangement

Series I. Conferences

Subseries A. Print Material

Subseries B. Audio/Visual Material

Series II. Publications

Subseries A. Perspectives on the Holocaust

Subseries B. Nes Ammim

Administrative Information

Acquisition

Drew University Center for Holocaust/Genocide Study Collections transferred to Drew University Library, 2014.

Restrictions

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Related Material

Additional collections within the Drew University Center for Holocaust/Genocide Study Collections include:

- Andrew Liput Collection
- Carol Rosen Collection
- Imre Farkass Collection

- Moments in Time Collection
- The Nuernberg-Fuerth Survivors Group Collection
- Victor Wegard Collection
- Witold Szymanski Collection
- Extraneous Materials Collection

Local resources and collections related to Holocaust studies include:

- Center for Holocaust, Human Rights & Genocide Education, Brookdale Community College, Lincroft, NJ
- The Center for Holocaust and Genocide Studies, William Paterson University, Wayne, NJ
- New Jersey Commission on Holocaust Education, Trenton, NJ
- Leo Baeck Institute, New York City, NY
- Sara & Sam Schoffer Holocaust Resource Center, Stockton University, Galloway,
 NJ

Index Terms

Organizations

Drew University (lcnaf)

Subjects

Holocaust, Jewish (1939-1945) (lcsh) Holocaust survivors (lcsh) Jews—History—20th century (lcsh) Nazi Holocaust (lcsh) World War, 1939-1945 (lcsh)

Document Types

Correspondence (aat) Periodicals (aat) Video recordings (aat)

Container List

Series I. Conferences

Series Description and Arrangement: Series I Conferences contains material related to the annual conference hosted by the Center for Holocaust/Genocide Study. The series is divided into two subseries. Subseries A Print Material includes conference programs, welcome packets, attendee information, and other documents related to the conferences. These items are arranged in chronological order, from 1993-2015. Subseries B Audio/Visual Material consists of videotape and DVD recordings of select conferences. These recordings include video and audio of conference presentations and discussions. The recordings were only made for conferences from 1994-1999 and 2006 and are also arranged in chronological order.

Subseries A. Print Material

Box 1

- Conference program from *Death and Deliverance: Hungarian Jewry, the Holocaust, and Raoul Wallenberg, "Angel of Rescue"* conference, 4 November 1993
- Conference packet from *The Liberation of Dachau: Fifty Years Later* conference, 10 November 1994
- Conference packet from *Gypsies in the Holocaust: The Nazi Assault on Roma and Sini* conference, 9 November 1995
- Prep materials, handouts, and conference packet from *The Holocaust and the Book* conference, 11 November 1996
- Conference packet from Psychology of the Third Reich: Factors Influencing the Decision to Join Up? To Rescue? To Remain Neutral? conference, 13 November 1997
- Conference packet from Sixty Years After Kristallnacht: German-Jewish Relations in Germany Today conference, 29 October 1998
- Conference packet from *The American Experience of the Holocaust* conference, 4 November 1999

Box 2

- Conference packet from *Uses and Abuses of Language in Holocaust/Genocide: Facing a Challenge Still with Us Today* conference, 8 November 2000
- Conference packet from Expressing the Inexpressible: Art of the Holocaust conference, 1 November 2001
- Conference packet from Moving Beyond Trauma: Insights from the Holocaust/Applications Today conference, 7 November 2002
- Conference packet from Nurnberg: Seedbed of Holocaust Crimes/Emblem of Post-Holocaust Justice and Responsibility conference, 13 November 2003
- Conference packet from *The Diary as Witness: Victor Klemperer's Unique Chronicle of the Decline and Ultimate Destruction of Jewish Life in Nazi Germany* conference, 11 November 2004
- Conference packet from *Living Room Witnesses: American Television and the Holocaust* conference, 3 November 2005

- Conference packet from National Socialism "Embodied": Body Politics, Sports, and the Holocaust conference, 2 November 2006
- Conference packet from *Holocaust Denial and Anti-Semitism Entwined: Historical, Activist, and Educational Perspectives* conference 15 November 2007 (2 copies)
- Conference packet from Scattered to the Winds: Desperate Attempts by Jews to Escape the Nazis conference, 13 November 2008
- Conference packet from Samuel Bak: Artist/Witness to the Holocaust conference, 12 November 2009
- Conference packet from *Responses to the Holocaust and its Aftermath by American Presidents: Realpolitik or Real Justice?* conference, 11 November 2010
- Conference packet from *Music and the Holocaust: Ideology and Identity* conference, 3 November 2011
- Conference packet from *The Holocaust in Poland: A Terrible Yet Extraordinary History* conference, 15 November 2012
- Conference packet from *Understanding the Long Rippling Effect of Nazi Propaganda for the Arab World* conference, 15 November 2013
- Conference packet from *Hollywood and Nazi Germany*, 1933-1945: Stories Told/Stories Untold conference, 13 November 2014
- Conference program from *Medicine, Bioethics, and the Holocaust: Reflecting on the Past to Protect the Future* conference, 16 April 2015

Subseries B. Audio/Visual Material

Box 3

- Conference videotape: *The Liberation of Dachau: Fifty Years Later*, Tape 1, 10 November 1994
- Conference videotape: *The Liberation of Dachau: Fifty Years Later*, Tape 2, 10 November 1994
- Conference videotape: *The Liberation of Dachau: Fifty Years Later*, Tape 3, 10 November 1994
- Conference videotape: *The Liberation of Dachau: Fifty Years Later*, Tape 4, 10 November 1994
- Conference videotape: *The Liberation of Dachau: Fifty Years Later*, Tape 5, 10 November 1994
- Conference videotape: *Gypsies in the Holocaust: The Nazi Assault on Roma and Sini*, Tape 1, 9 November 1995
- Conference videotape: *Gypsies in the Holocaust: The Nazi Assault on Roma and Sini*, Tape 2, 9 November 1995
- Conference videotape: *Gypsies in the Holocaust: The Nazi Assault on Roma and Sini*, Tape 3, 9 November 1995
- Conference videotape: *Gypsies in the Holocaust: The Nazi Assault on Roma and Sini*, Tape 4, 9 November 1995
- Conference videotape: The Holocaust and the Book, Part I, 14 November 1996
- Conference videotape: The Holocaust and the Book, Part II, 14 November 1996
- Conference videotape: The Holocaust and the Book, Part III, 14 November 1996
- Conference videotape: The Holocaust and the Book, Part IV, 14 November 1996
- Conference videotape: The Holocaust and the Book, Part V, 14 November 1996

- Conference videotape: Psychology of the Third Reich: Factors Influencing the Decision to Join Up? To Rescue? To Remain Neutral?, Part I, 13 November 1997
- Conference videotape: Psychology of the Third Reich: Factors Influencing the Decision to Join Up? To Rescue? To Remain Neutral?, Part II, 13 November 1997
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- Conference videotape: Sixty Years After Kristallnacht, Part I, 29 October 1998
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- Conference videotape: Sixty Years After Kristallnacht, Part III, 29 October 1998
- Conference videotape: Sixty Years After Kristallnacht, Part IV, 29 October 1998
- Conference videotape: Sixty Years After Kristallnacht, Part V, 29 October 1998
- Conference videotape: *The American Experience of the Holocaust*, Part I, 4 November 1999
- Conference videotape: *The American Experience of the Holocaust*, Part II, 4 November 1999
- Conference videotape: *The American Experience of the Holocaust*, Part III, 4 November 1999
- Conference videotape: *The American Experience of the Holocaust*, Part IV, 4 November 1999
- Conference videotape: *The American Experience of the Holocaust*, Part V, 4 November 1999
- Conference DVD: National Socialism "Embodied": Body Politics, Sports, and the Holocaust, Part 1, 2 November 2006
- Conference DVD: National Socialism "Embodied": Body Politics, Sports, and the Holocaust, Part 2, 2 November 2006
- Conference DVD: National Socialism "Embodied": Body Politics, Sports, and the Holocaust, Part 3, 2 November 2006
- Conference DVD: National Socialism "Embodied": Body Politics, Sports, and the Holocaust, Part 4, 2 November 2006

Series II. Publications

Series Description and Arrangement: Series II Publications contains material related to publications produced by the Drew University Center for Holocaust/Genocide Study. The series is divided into two subseries. Subseries A *Perspectives on the Holocaust* contains copies of the Center's primary publication, *Perspectives on the Holocaust*. The materials are arranged in chronological order and span 1997-2007. Subseries B *Nes Ammim* contains material related to the writing of articles related to the *Nes Ammim* community in Israel. These materials include promotional files for *Nes Ammim*, writers' files, and correspondence. They are arranged in chronological order.

Subseries A. Perspectives on the Holocaust

Box 1

Perspectives on the Holocaust, Vol. 1 No. 1-Vol. 9 No. 1 (1997-2007)

Subseries B. Nes Ammim

Box 1

Nes Ammim Brochures, 1981-c. 1993 Kathleen Rusnak, Nes Ammim files, 1995 Nes Ammim videotape, c. 1997

Handouts on Nes Ammim, 1997-1998

Copies of "Report from *Nes Ammim*" articles by Kathleen Rusnak and Rian Binnendijk, published in *Perspectives on the Holocaust*, Vol. 1 No. 2-Vol. 5 No. 1 (1997-2001)

Rian Binnendijk, *Nes Ammim* files, 2000-2002