Seminar for Teachers and Pedagogues from Germany -
at the
International School for Holocaust Studies, Yad Vashem
31. 10. - 6. 11. 2010

Valley of the Communities, Class 1

Sunday, October 31th Arrival in Jerusalem

14:50  Arriving at Ben Gurion Airport (Flight Number: LH 686)
       Check-in at Hotel Jerusalem Gold, Jerusalem
18:00  Dinner in Hotel
19:30  Bus leaves for Guided Tour: Jerusalem by night (Old City)
       Uriel Kashi, Tour Guide

Monday, November 1st Yad Vashem – Getting acquainted with the Site and its Educational Concept

08:30-10:00  Welcome and Introduction - Opening of the Seminar and First Orientation
             Uriel Kashi, European Department, ISHS, Yad Vashem
10:00-10:30  Break
10:30-12:00  The Educational Concept of the The International School for Holocaust Studies (ISHS)
             Dr. Noa Mdayton, European Department, ISHS, Yad Vashem
12:00-13:00  Lunch Break
13:00-14:30  Judaism – An Introduction to the Basic Concepts of Judaism
             Rabbi Yeshayahu Balog, European Department, ISHS, Yad Vashem
14:30-15:00  Break
15:00-17:00  Guided Site tour: Remembrance in Yad Vashem and the Israeli Society:
             Avenue of the Righteous, Warsaw Ghetto Square, Hall of Remembrance,
             Children’s Memorial, Memorial to the Deportees
             Uriel Kashi, European Department, ISHS, Yad Vashem
17:00-17:30  Reflections on the Day and Open Discussion
             Uriel Kashi, European Department, ISHS, Yad Vashem

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Tuesday, November 2 Getting acquainted with the site and its Educational concept II – Pre-War Jewish Life in Europe

08:30-10:00 The Jewish Culture as an integral part of part of European History before the Holocaust  
_Shlomo Balsam, ISHS, Yad Vashem_

10:00-10:30 Break

10:30-12:15 From Anti-Semitism to Nazi Ideology, a Continuing Tradition or a new Phenomenon?  
_Dr. Rafi Vago, Tel Aviv University_

12:15-14:00 Lunch Break  
Exploring the Yad Vashem Campus individually

14:00 Group-Photo and Pick up Headphones at ISHS  
14:30-16.30 The New Holocaust History Museum: The Exhibition’s Concept  
Distribution of Headphones  
_Uriel Kashi, European Department, ISHS, Yad Vashem_

16:30-17:30 Reflections on the Day and Open Discussion  
_Uriel Kashi, European Department, ISHS, Yad Vashem_

20:00-21:30 Lecture, The Identity of the State of Israel  
_Noah Klieger, Journalist, Yedioth Ahronoth_  
(at the hotel)

Wednesday, November 3 Good Practice: Age appropriate teaching of the Holocaust. From the young-age level up to high-graders

08:30-09:30 _Educational and Age-oriented Approach_  
_Dr. Noa Mkayton, European Department, ISHS, Yad Vashem_

09:30-11:00 Individual Work Time, Preparation of presentation ISHS teaching units by the participants of the seminar

_I wanted to fly like a butterfly. A tender account of the Holocaust through the eyes of a young survivor (for Elementary School and Junior High School students)_

_Tommy. A multi disciplinary workshop on paintings of a father for his son in Ghetto Terezin_

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“The Daughter We had Always Wanted”: An ISHS Teaching Unit for Junior High School about Marta, a young Jewish child who lived in Czortkow, Poland. At the tender age of eight, Marta was sent by her mother to live under an assumed identity with a non-Jewish family in Warsaw who risked their lives to protect her.

The Salitter-Report: A Multi-Perspective Workshop about the Gray Zones between Perpetrators and Bystanders. The Story of a Deportation from Düsseldorf to Riga

11.00 – 11.30 Break
11.30 – 13.00 Presentation ISHS teaching units by the participants of the seminar
Uriel Kashi, Dr. Noa Mkayton European Department, ISHS, Yad Vashem
13:00-14:00 Lunch Break
14:00-15.30 “Everyday life in a Ghetto” A multi-disciplinary workshop presenting the daily life in the Ghetto through different media: historical photo’s, eyewitnesses accounts, movies and diaries.
Uriel Kashi, European Department, ISHS, Yad Vashem
15:30-16:00 Break
16:00-17.30 “Operation Barbarossa”. A turning point in WW II: The beginning of “The Final Solution”
Dr. Daniel Uziel, The Yad Vashem Archives
17:00-18:00 Reflections on the Day and Open Discussion
Uriel Kashi, European Department, ISHS, Yad Vashem

Thursday, November 4 The world after 1945

08:30-10:00 Return to Life, The Aftermath
Daniel Rozenga, European Department, ISHS, Yad Vashem
10.00-10.30 Break
10:30-11:30 Rightous Among The Nations
Ehud Loeb, European Department, ISHS, Yad Vashem
11.30-12.00 Break
12:00-13:00 The Psycho-Social Impact of the Holocaust on Individual Victims
Dr. Nathan Kellermann, Amcha
13:00-14:00 Lunch Break
14:00-17:00 Workshop with Survivors (Pessach Andermann, Yehudit Yerushalmi, Moshe Bender)
   Uriel Kashi, European Department, ISHS, Yad Vashem
14:00-14:30 Introduction
14:30-16:30 Meeting with the survivors.
16:30-17:00 Reflection of the meeting
16:30-17:00 Break
17:00-17:30 Reflections on the Day and Open Discussion
   Uriel Kashi, European Department, ISHS, Yad Vashem
20:00-22:30 Farewell Dinner at the Caffit BaGan HaBotani Restaurant
   Yehuda Burla Street 12

Friday, November 5 Commemoration of the Holocaust after 1945

09:00-10:30 The Categorical Imperative of Memory as Jewish Identity Tool
   Awi Blumenfeld, Joseph Carlebach Institute for Jewish Teaching
10:30-11:00 Break
11:00-11:30 The Yad Vashem Website and Database of Holocaust Victims’ Names
   Uriel Kashi, European Department, ISHS, Yad Vashem
11:30-12.30 Final Evaluation
   Uriel Kashi, European Department, ISHS, Yad Vashem

Saturday, November 6

12:30 Leaving to the Airport
16:35 Departure Flight to Frankfurt LH 687