Seminar for British and Danish Educators
Terezín
February 5-8, 2016
Danish Institute for International Studies (DIIS)
Holocaust Educational Trust (HET)
Terezín Memorial
Yad Vashem, International School for Holocaust Studies

FRIDAY FEBRUARY 5

10:00-12:00  Arrival at Prague airport
12:30-14:00  Bus from airport to Terezín
14:00-14:30  Arrival in Terezín and receiving keys
14.30-15:15  Introductions and outline of the seminar, including key issues to be addressed:
    • What made Terezín distinct from other ghettos/camps?
    • How does Terezín add to our understanding of the Holocaust?
      Responding to sites in Terezín:
    • How can Terezín be used in the classroom/as a site visit?
    • How, and to what effect, is the Holocaust memorialised in Terezín?
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15:15-16:45  Orientation tour of Terezín
      Solvej Berlau, Stine Thuge (DIIS), Tom Jackson (HET), Yiftach Meiri (Yad Vashem)
16:45-17:30  Small group discussion (mixed British/Danish) focused on:
    • How individuals teach or otherwise engage with the Holocaust
    • The approach and types of resources used when teaching the Holocaust
    • What they want to gain from the seminar
17:30-18:00  Whole group feedback
18:00-19:00  Dinner

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SATURDAY FEBRUARY 6

08:00-09:00  Breakfast
09:00-09:15  Greetings  
  
  Jan Špringl, Terezin
09:15-10:45  The History of the Terezín ghetto – Lecture  
  Jan Roubínek, Terezin Memorial
10:45-11:15  Q & A’s from participants to lecturer – history of Terezín  
  Jan Roubínek, Terezin Memorial
11:15-11:30  Break
11:30-13:00  Tour of Terezin Part I  
  Petra Pěničková, Terezin Memorial
13:00-14:00  Lunch
14:00-15:30  Tour of Terezin Part II  
  Petra Pěničková, Terezin Memorial
15:30-16:00  Break
16:00-17:45  Meeting with witnesses - survivors from Terezín  
  Dagmar Lieblová; Doris Grozanovièová
17:45-18:15  Reflection after testimony  
  Solvej Berlau, Stine Thuge (DIIS), Tom Jackson (HET), Yiftach Meiri (Yad Vashem)
18:15-19:15  Dinner
19:15-21:15  Film: “Into the North” - Stories of the saved children: Czech children in Denmark and Great Britain with Q&A session with Ms. Judita Matyášová (film director)

SUNDAY FEBRUARY 7

08:00-09:00  Breakfast
09:00-10:00  Ghetto Terezín Museum Tour: History Museum and Art Museum  
  Petra Pěničková, Terezin Memorial
10:00-12:00  Free time to explore the museum exhibitions or other parts of Terezín
12:00-12:45  Lunch
12:45-14:00  Workshop: DIIS educational tool on the history of the Danish Jews in Terezín - film & group work  
  Solvej Berlau, Stine Thuge, DIIS
14:00-14:45 The Meiselschwein Family – workshop using a comic story written in Terezin
*Yiftach Meiri, Yad Vashem*

14:45-17:30 Group work focusing on the different sites in Terezín.
Groups of 5 or 6 visit one of the following sites:
- Magdeburg barracks
- Attic replica in Magdeburg
- Propaganda in Theresienstadt (main square, fortifications, selected buildings)
- Jugendheim
- Rathausgasse 1
- Train tracks
- Crematorium/Jewish cemetery
- Columbarium/tunnels
- Memorial by the Ohře river

17:30-17:45 Break
17:45-18:00 Introduction to “Brundibar”
18:00-18:45 "Brundibar” a children's opera – Live performance
*Czech theatre group*

19:30-22:00 Farewell Dinner
Pizzeria

**MONDAY FEBRUARY 8**

08:00-09:00 Breakfast
09:00-10:00 Presentation - HET materials
*Tom Jackson, HET*
10:00-11:00 Discussion in small groups sharing teaching practices about Terezin
11:00-12:00 Concluding discussion
12:00-13:00 Lunch
13:00-16:00 Travel to Lidice, visiting memorial
16:30-17:00 Arrival at Prague Airport