

SETON HALL UNIVERSITY'S JEWISH-CHRISTIAN STUDIES GRADUATE PROGRAM

Invites educators and other interested individuals to attend:

JEWISH EDUCATION DURING THE NAZI PERIOD AND HOLOCAUST EDUCATION TODAY

In 1933 the first legislative acts of the National Socialist government in Germany included an attack on Jewish presence in schools and universities. Increasingly over the next few years the laws and practices of the majority population left the Jewish community in isolation. Jewish resistance to the exclusion from the benefits of an education for children and young adults took many forms.

Two experts will help show us how the study of the Shoah (Holocaust) at age-appropriate levels can be enhanced to meet the needs of our day in the context of current anti-Jewish bigotry.

Dr. Marion Kaplan will present an overview of the ways that educators and parents worked with a variety of initiatives to overcome the isolation of Jewish children from the general culture and to emphasize the foundation that Jewish educational principles and values provided to cope with difficult times.

Dr. Thomas Fallace will discuss the history of Holocaust and Genocide Education in New Jersey, which has become a model for the nation.

Thursday, March 5, 2020 from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.
Nursing Amphitheatre, Nursing Building, Seton Hall University, South Orange Campus



Marion Kaplan, Ph.D. is Skirball Professor of Modern Jewish History at New York University and has received the National Jewish Book Award for *Gender and Jewish History* (with Deborah Dash Moore, 2011), *Between Dignity and Despair: Jewish Life in Nazi Germany* (1998) and *The Making of the Jewish Middle Class: Women, Family and Identity in Imperial Germany* (1991). Her newest book, *Hitler's Jewish Refugees: Hope and Anxiety in Portugal, 1940-45*, was published by Yale University Press in 2020.



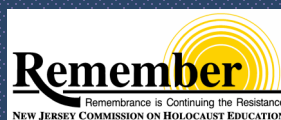
Thomas Fallace, Ph.D. is Professor of Education at William Paterson University and has published several books on the history of education in the United States during the early 20th century, including *In the Shadow of Authoritarianism: American Education in the Twentieth Century* (2018) and *The Emergence of Holocaust Education in American Schools* (2008).

This study day is offered free of charge including lunch, but you must register. To RSVP please click [here](#) or contact the Reverend Lawrence Frizzell at lawrence.frizzell@shu.edu or (973) 761-9751. If you are an educator, please provide the name of your school when registering. The study day will offer five professional development credit hours to New Jersey educators and is sponsored financially by the New Jersey Commission on Holocaust and Genocide Education and Msgr. John M. Oesterreicher Endowment.



Jewish-Christian Studies Graduate Program

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Jewish Education during the Nazi Period and Holocaust Education Today

Date: Thursday, March 5, 2020
Time: 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.
Place: Nursing Amphitheatre (Room NU113), Seton Hall University
Address: 400 South Orange Avenue, South Orange, NJ 07079

- 8:30 am Registration**
- 8:55 am Greeting of the College of Arts and Sciences**
- Dean Peter Shoemaker
- 9:00 am Prayer and Introduction**
- Rev. Dr. Lawrence Frizzell
- 9:15 am “Jewish Children beyond the Three R's: Traditional and Emergency Education in Nazi Germany ”**
- Dr. Marion Kaplan
- 10:30 am Break**
- 10:50 am “The Origins of Holocaust Education in New Jersey”**
- Dr. Thomas Fallace
- 12:10 pm Lunch**
- 1:15 pm Workshop 1 - Dr. Marion Kaplan**
“Jewish Children and ‘Aryan’ Children in the Nazi State”
- Workshop 2 - Dr. Thomas Fallace**
“Playing Holocaust: The Origins of the Controversial Gestapo simulation game”
- 2:45 pm Summation of plenary session**
- 3:00 pm Distribution of certificates**

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