



Preserving the Legacy of
Holocaust and Genocide Education
at Sonoma State University in
Celebration of the 30th Anniversary
of the Lecture Series on the
Holocaust and Genocide
and the Retirement of
Professor Myrna Goodman

Honoring Past Faculty, Alliance Board Members, and Program Supporters

Sunday, January 26, 2014 2:00 PM to 5:00 PM Congregation Ner Shalom 85 La Plaza, Cotati, California 94931 This event is dedicated to the memories of
Robert L. Harris and Paul V. Benko
for their vision, heart, and dedication—
their counsel, compassion and wisdom continue to guide us.

A special acknowledgment to Sylvia Sucher, who quietly serves as the inspiration, guiding light and very soul of the Alliance for the Study of the Holocaust and Genocide

It is also dedicated to all those whose names appear in this program because of their roles over the past thirty years in sustaining the Lecture Series, the Alliance for the Study of the Holocaust and Genocide, and the SSU Center for the Study of the Holocaust and Genocide

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Today's event is co-sponsored by

The Alliance for the Study of the Holocaust and Genocide and

The SSU Center for the Study of the Holocaust and Genocide

# Today's Program

Video produced by Ilka Hartmann for the event honoring Holocaust survivors in 2006 (with music by Joel Braverman)

Introductory Remarks by Christyne Davidian, President, Alliance for the Study of the Holocaust and Genocide

Welcome by President Ruben Armiñana, Sonoma State University

Remarks by Provost Andrew Rogerson, Sonoma State University

Presentation of Golden Resolution by the Sonoma County Board of Supervisors by District Supervisor Susan Gorin

Presentation of Proclamation from the City of Santa Rosa by City Council Member Julie Combs

Presentation of Proclamation from the City of Petaluma by Alliance Board Member Brian Boyajian

Keynote address by Her Excellency Professor Mathilde Mukantabana, Ambassador from the Republic of Rwanda to the United States

Clip from Video interview with Founding Board Member Sylvia Sucher about the creation of the Alliance and the Lecture Series

#### Break

Musical Selection "Vi Ahin Zol Ikh Geyn" ("Where Shall I Go") by performed by Mama Loshn: Rhonda Findling (Percussion), Gale Kissin (Vocals), and Suzanne Shanbaum (Guitar)

# Steve Godfryd, Live Auction

Remarks by Past Alliance President and Professor Emerita Barbara Lesch McCaffry honoring past Alliance Board members and Holocaust and Genocide Survivors

Remarks by Interim Dean John Wingard, School of Social Sciences, Sonoma State University honoring Professor Emerita Myrna Goodman

Remarks by Center Director and Professor Emerita Myrna Goodman on the Lecture Series and honoring its faculty

Closing Remarks and Conclusion of silent auction by Christyne Davidian

We request that all those being honored stay for group photographs at the conclusion of the program

#### **Alliance History**

The Alliance for the Study of the Holocaust was formed in 1983 on behalf of the victims and survivors of the Holocaust and the need to tell their stories and for others to learn from their experiences. Those who began this collaborative effort between the community and members of the Sonoma State University faculty promised to let the world know of the atrocities that had occurred. The initial intention was primarily to learn the facts, act on them, and never forget.

As a result of these efforts, a highly successful annual lecture series on the Holocaust and Genocide was created at Sonoma State University. As a University-community partnership, the Board includes members of the community, University faculty and administrators, and students who have participated in the Lecture Series. In 2010, the name of the Alliance was changed to the Alliance for the Study of the Holocaust and Genocide to reflect its revised mission and its continuing educational commitment to include all those affected by genocide.

#### **Alliance Mission Statement**

#### **Our Mission**

Honor the experience and preserve the memory of the innocent victims, survivors, and rescuers impacted by the tragedy of genocide

Support Holocaust and Genocide education in conjunction with the Center for the Study of the Holocaust and Genocide at Sonoma State University

#### Our Work

Attract, collaborate, and coordinate with scholars, survivors, and experts

Outreach to our community, schools, and survivor groups

Seek funding and support methods to preserve memory

### **Our Vision**

Inspire a "never again" moral stance that focuses on our common humanity

Promote personal action and proactive prevention awareness of the causes of intolerance, genocide, and denial

#### Alliance 2013-14 Board Members

Herbert Hans Angress Brian Boyajian Todd Cereghino Christyne Davidian Flora Lee Ganzler Myrna Goodman Dick Grant Yehoyada Mbangukira Barbara Lesch McCaffry Chiaya Rawlins Arline Thomas Senior Advisors

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# The Center for the Study of the Holocaust and Genocide

The Center for the Study of the Holocaust and Genocide is a non-profit academic institute housed in the Department of Sociology at Sonoma State University. The Center was established when Dr. John Steiner, now Emeritus Professor of Sociology at SSU, a Holocaust scholar and a death camp survivor, assumed a leading role in its development. The Center was formally constituted in February 1987 for the purpose of providing education about the origins, nature and consequences of the Holocaust. In addition to Ms. Carol B. Hurwitz, the first administrator of the Center, 15 permanent faculty from disciplines throughout the University have been involved on a regular basis in the Center's efforts to provide an interdisciplinary education on the Holocaust and genocide to the SSU campus and to the larger community.

In recent years, the Center has broadened and expanded its focus to include the study of issues surrounding other historical and modern genocides. The primary activities of the Center have been public Holocaust Lectures throughout the Spring Semester each year; the development of Holocaust resource materials, publications, videotapes, etc.) for campus, school, and public use; and cooperative efforts with the Alliance for the Study of the Holocaust, to provide Holocaust education in the SSU service area schools. The Center promotes research on Holocaust themes and has sponsored conferences, teacher training workshops, film series and author presentations. In collaboration with the Schulz Information Center it endeavors to maintain and enhance the SSU Holocaust collection.

For more information about the Center's activities, please contact Dr. Myrna Goodman, Center Director at, 707) 664-4296 or centerh@sonoma.edu or consult the Center website at: <a href="http://www.sonoma.edu/holocaust/center.html">http://www.sonoma.edu/holocaust/center.html</a>.

Study the nature of hate: Prevent the escalation of prejudice into genocide

# Timeline for the Alliance, the Lecture Series and the Center

1983	Alliance organized in June of 1983
1984	First lecture series, Spring 1984)
1985	Lecture series offered as a one-unit course
1986	Lecture series offered as a two-unit course
1987	Women & the Holocaust Conference
1987	Initial videotaping of series, by Bernard Offen)
1987	SSU Center for Holocaust Studies created
1988	Sonoma County Survivors Project, affiliated w/ the Center & Alliance)
1994	Lecture series offered as a three-unit course, with a discussion section)
1995	Lecture series offered as a an upper-division General Education course
1999	Paul V. Benko Endowment established
2002	Name of the Center changed to Center for the Study of the Holocaust and Genocide
2004	First streaming video broadcast of the series
2004	Armenian Genocide Memorial Lecture Fund established
2006	Event honoring Sonoma County Holocaust survivors held on September 17, 2006
2009	Erna & Arthur Salm Holocaust & Genocide Memorial Grove Dedication on March 29,
	2009
2009	Adele Zygielbaum Endowment Fund established
2010	Name of the Alliance changed to Alliance for the Study of the Holocaust and Genocide
2013	Anne Frank sapling installed in the Memorial Grove on April 14, 2013

# Lecture Series Instructional Faculty (1987-2013)

Philip Beard, SSU German
Denny Bozman-Moss, SSU English
Flora Lee Ganzler
Myrna Goodman, SSU Sociology
Daniel Harris
Ilka Hartmann, SSU German
Barbara Lesch McCaffry, SSU Hutchins School of
Liberal Studies
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Diane Parness, SSU Political Science
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Studies

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# **Alliance Board Presidents**

Robert L. Harris, 1984-1994
Paul V. Benko, 1995-1996, Executive Board
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Joel Neuberg, 1995-1996, Executive Board
Sylvia Sucher, 1995-1996, Executive Board
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Joel Neuberg, 1997-2003
Barbara Lesch McCaffry, 2003-2009
Christyne Davidian, 2009-Present

#### **Founding Alliance Board Members**

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# Alliance Board Members (1983-2013)

Hans Angress, Holocaust survivor

Yesica Arrendondo, SSU student Board member

**Shelley Bauer** 

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Coordinator

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Richard Zimmer, Administrative Coordinator, 1985-1991

Steve Watrous, Administrative Coordinator, Fall 1988

Robert Brown, Administrative Coordinator, Spring

Carol B. Hurwitz, Program Coordinator, 1992-1994

John Steiner, Senior Scholar, 1994-Present Diane Parness, Academic Coordinator, 2013-Present

# SSU Faculty Who Spoke in the Series

 $Les\ Adler, SSU\ Hutchins\ School\ of\ Liberal\ Studies$ 

Harold Alderman, SSU Philosophy

Mary Bates, SSU Art

Philip Beard, SSU German

Roger Bell, SSU Philosophy

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Literature

Daniel Harris

Dennis Harris, SSU History

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John Steiner, SSU Sociology

Francisco Vazquez, SSU Hutchins School of Liberal

Studies

Steve Watrous, SSU History

Tony White, SSU History

Eric Williams, SSU Criminology and Criminal

Justice

Richard Zimmer, SSU Hutchins School of Liberal

Studies

# Select List of Local, National and International Scholars and Artists Who Spoke or Performed in the Series

Mikko Allane, Shoah Visual History Foundation

Stephan Astourian, UC Berkeley

Kathi I. Austin, Stanford

Zachary Baker, Stanford University

Yehuda Bauer, Yad Vashem

Michael Berenbaum, American Jewish University

Bruno Bettelheim

Paula Birnbaum, University of San Francisco

Morgan Blum JFCS Holocaust Outreach Program

Jacob Boas, Holocaust Library & Research Center

(San Francisco)

Mitch Braff, Jewish Partisans Educational

Foundation

Ze'ev Brinner, UC Berkeley

Catskills Klemorim

Robert L. Cohn, Northwestern University

Barbara Epstein, UC Santa Cruz

Paula Fass, UC Berkeley

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Mary Felsteiner, San Francisco State University

John Felsteiner, Stanford University

Jerry Fowler, U.S. Holocaust Memorial Museum

Brenda Flyswithhawks, Santa Rosa Junior College

Phyllis Gerstenfeld, CSU Stanislaus

Hamdan Gouumaa, Global Majority

Viktoria Hertling, University of Nevada, Reno

Robert H. Hewsen, Rowan University

Richard Hovannisian, UCLA

Douglas Huneke, Westminster Presbyterian

Church, Tiburon

Hasmik Harutyunyan, folklorist

Jennifer Jordan, University of Wisconsin,

Milwaukee

Jan Karski, Georgetown University

Kitka Women's Vocal Ensemble

Robert Krikorian, George Washington University

Dickran Kouymijian, CSU Fresno

Sergio La Porta, CSU Fresno

Peter Li, Rutgers University

Sandy Lowe, SRJC

# Select List of Local, National and International Scholars and Artists Who Spoke or Performed in the Series (cont'd)

Floyd M. Matson University of Hawaii Daniel Matt, Graduate Theological Union Lejla Mavris, Global Majority and Bosnian genocide survivor

Mathilde Mukantabana, Friends of Rwanda Association & Consumnes Community College

Mei Nakano, Japanese-American Citizens' League Joel Neuberg, Holocaust Center of Northern California

Samuel Oliner, Humboldt State University

**Avner Perry** 

Soucheata Poeuv, Khmer Legacies

Lynne Rappaport, Pomona College

Sani Rifati, Voices of Roma

Carol Ritter, The Richard Stockton College of New Jersey

Ellis Rivkin, Hebrew Union College

Rabbi Michael A. Robinson, Congregation Shomrei Torah

Naomi Roht-Arriaza, Hastings College of the Law Lucia Roncalli. M.D.

Fred Rosenbaum, Lehrhaus Judiaca

Robert W. Ross, Graduate Theological Union

John K. Roth, Claremont McKenna College

Mina Rush, Jewish World Watch

Ruth Sachs, Center for White Rose Studies

Claudio Segré, UC Berkeley

Robin Seletsky, SUNY Oneonta

Lani Silver, Holocaust Oral History Project

Nechama Tec, University of Connecticut

Michael Thaler, Holocaust Center of Northern California

Frederic Tubach, UC Berkeley

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Rene Van Rooyen, Office of the U.N. High

Commissioner on Refugees

James Waller, Keene State College

Jack Weinstein, Facing History and Ourselves

Carl Wilkins, World Outside My Shoes

Reverend Cecil Williams, Glide Memorial Church

Diane Wolf, UC Davis

Philip Zimbardo, Stanford University

# Holocaust and Genocide Survivors and Rescuers Who Spoke in the Series

Hans Angress, Holocaust survivor

Leon Bass, Holocaust liberator

Alfred Batzdorff, Holocaust survivor

Maurice Blaug, Holocaust survivor

Hilde Catz, Holocaust survivor

Hans Cohn, Holocaust survivor

Christyne Davidian, 3rd generation Armenian

genocide survivor

Max Drimmer, Holocaust survivor

Knud Dyby, Holocaust rescuer

Lucille Eichengreen, Holocaust survivor

Fritz Hirschberger, Holocaust survivor

Ernest James, Holocaust liberator

Lillian Judd, Holocaust survivor

Betty Kale, Holocaust survivor

Dennis Judd, 2<sup>nd</sup> generation Holocaust survivor

Elaine Leeder, Sonoma State University & 2nd

generation Holocaust survivor

William Lowenberg, Holocaust survivor

Gloria Lyon, Holocaust survivor

Robert Melson, Purdue University and Holocaust

survivor

Mel Mermelstein, Holocaust survivor

Odette Meyers, Holocaust survivor

Judith Meisel, Holocaust survivor

René Moelho, Holocaust survivor

Simon Mudahogora, Tutsi genocide survivor

Julia Nemeth, 2<sup>nd</sup> generation Holocaust survivor

Irene Opdyke, Holocaust rescuer

Bernard Offen, Holocaust survivor

Blair Pleasant, 2nd generation Holocaust survivor

Arn-Chorn Pond, Cambodian genocide survivor

Christina Radich, 2<sup>nd</sup> generation Holocaust rescuer

Jeannette Ringold, Holocaust survivor (Bay Area

Hidden Children's Group)

Bernat Rosner, Holocaust survivor

Jeanetta Sagon, Holocaust survivor

Mira Schelub, Holocaust survivor

Paul Schwarzbart, Holocaust survivor

Stephen Schwartz, 2nd generation Holocaust

survivor

Herman Shein, Holocaust survivor

Tharcisse Seminega, Rwandan genocide survivor

Otto Springer, Holocaust rescuer

Hiroki Sugihara, 2nd generation Holocaust rescuer

Michael Thaler, Holocaust survivor

Luong Ung, Cambodian genocide survivor

Rudolf Vrba, University of British Columbia &

Holocaust survivor

Mrs. Morris Weiss, Holocaust survivor

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Music: Myrna Goodman and Katie Musick and *Mama Loshn:* Rhonda Findling, Gale

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Our regrets to anyone we may have left off the list of hard-working and dedicated people who helped plan and support this event or anyone connected with the Alliance, the Lecture Series or the Center whose names we inadvertently omitted



Myrna Goodman, Ph.D., Professor Emerita, Department of Sociology, and Director of the Center for the Study of the Holocaust and Genocide, Sonoma State University



Keynote Speaker: Her Excellency Professor Mathilde Mukantabana Ambassador from the Republic of Rwanda to the United States

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