32nd Annual Sonoma State University

2015 Holocaust and Genocide Lecture Series

January 20-May 5, 2015 / Tuesdays 4:00 PM-5:50 PM
Warren Auditorium (Ives Hall)

SSU Students: POLS 307, Perspectives on the Holocaust and Genocide, counts as upper-division General Education credit under GE category D5

A CENTURY OF GENOCIDE

January 20: WEIMAR: CRADLE OF CATASTROPHE
Professor Diane L. Parness, Ph.D., Sonoma State University

January 27: BREAKING THE SILENCE: A HOLOCAUST CHILDHOOD
Paul A. Schwarzbart

February 3: THE ARMENIAN GENOCIDE
Professor Sergio La Porta, Ph.D., CSU Fresno Armenian Studies Program

February 10: ORPHANS OF THE GENOCIDE:
ARMENIAN GENOCIDE EDUCATION THROUGH FILM
(This film has been nominated for a Regional Emmy Award)
Bared Maronian, Award Winning Filmmaker
Armenian Genocide Memorial Lecture

February 17: THE DAYMARE: SHOAH CHILDHOOD MEMORY & REMEMBRANCE
Professor Elaine Leeder, Ph.D., Sonoma State University

February 24: RESISTING THE PERPETRATORS
Professor Christopher Browning, Ph.D.,
Frank Porter Graham Professor Emeritus, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill
Adele Zygielbaum Memorial Lecture

March 3: ORIGINS OF ANTI-SEMITISM IN EUROPE
Professor Barry Preisler, Ph.D., Sonoma State University

March 10: THE CONCEPT OF GENOCIDE
Professor Myrna Goodman, Ph.D., Sonoma State University

March 17: SPRING BREAK (campus closed)

March 24: BECOMING EVIL
Professor James Waller, Ph.D.,
Cohen Endowed Chair of Holocaust and Genocide Studies, Keene State College
Robert L. Harris Memorial Lecture

March 31: CESAR CHAVEZ DAY (campus closed)

April 7: PORAJMOS: THE ROMANI GENOCIDE & ITS AFTERMATH
Professor Ana Bracic, Ph.D., University of Oklahoma

April 14: RWANDA TWENTY YEARS AFTER GENOCIDE
Ambassador Mathilde Mukantabana, Rwandan Ambassador to the United States

April 21: CLIMATE CHANGE, BORDER REGIONS, & THE GENOCIDE IMPULSE
Professor Alex Alvarez, Ph.D., Northern Arizona University

April 28: DARFUR, GENOCIDE, & THE ROLE OF U.S. FOREIGN POLICY IN THE 21st CENTURY
Professor Erik Solevad Nielsen, Ph.D., Sonoma State University

May 5: LESSONS LEARNED FROM A HOLOCAUST CHILDHOOD
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Study the nature of hate: Prevent the escalation of prejudice into genocide