

The Social Justice Lecture Series Presents:

REFLECTING ON THE HOLOCAUST



TRANSFER OF MEMORY



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TRANSFER OF MEMORY PHOTOGRAPHY EXHIBIT

October 8 - 23, CSU Art Gallery (Basement Floor)

This exhibition illustrates Holocaust survivors living in Minnesota, in their homes, in full color. Each is a story of survival during exceedingly difficult circumstances. As a collection, these images focus on life and hope. From Europe to Minnesota, it was here they fashioned their dreams, their futures, and their families. Their lives are constant reminders about the value of freedom and the enduring human spirit. Photographer David Sherman and writer Lili Chester, in partnership with the Jewish Community Relations Council of Minnesota and the Dakotas, created this photography exhibition.

The Gallery is open during the CSU operating hours:

Mondays - Fridays: 6:30 AM – 12:00 AM • Saturdays: 8:00 AM – 12:00 AM

Sundays: 10:00 AM – 12:00 AM

This exhibit is free and open to the public.

A SURVIVOR REMEMBERS THE HOLOCAUST with FRED AMRAM

October 9, 2:00 - 3:15 PM, Ostrander Auditorium, CSU

The Holocaust is remembered for its atrocities – the millions murdered by the Nazis. But how did it begin? Were there warning signs? Could it happen in the United States? Fred Amram, an award-winning story teller, relates some of his experiences in Nazi Germany and explores some lessons learned. A Q&A period will bring the lessons of history into the 21st century.



3:15 - 4:00 PM, CSU Art Gallery

Following the talk, the Transfer of Memory exhibit curators will be present at the Exhibit in the CSU Art Gallery to answer any questions and provide tours of the exhibit.

This talk and exhibit is free and open to the public.

ECHOES & REFLECTIONS TEACHER TRAINING

Tuesday, October 16, 2:00 PM - 5:00 PM, Morris Hall 103

Echoes & Reflections is a training for teachers dedicated to reshaping the way that teachers and students understand, process, and navigate the world by supporting effective teaching of the Holocaust. This is a program for K-12 educators and educators-in-training. The program provides access to a range of classroom-ready content, sound teaching pedagogy and instructional strategies — all designed to engage students in a comprehensive study of events and to explore how the Holocaust continues to influence social issues in the world today.

An RSVP is required to attend, due to the targeted audience for this training. Please contact Dr. Kyle Ward at kyle.ward@mnsu.edu to RSVP.

FINDING ART IN MY PHOTOGRAPHY

with DAVID SHERMAN

Wednesday, October 17, 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM
Morris Hall 103

NBA Team Photographer for the Minnesota Timberwolves and Minnesota Lynx, David Sherman is also the creative mind behind the Transfer of Memory exhibit. In this talk Sherman will discuss how Transfer of Memory opened his creativity and allowed him to think of his daily and personal work in terms of art instead of only its commercial application. He will discuss how creating Transfer of Memory allowed him to develop an artful voice which he now uses actively to participate in the conversations of today's issues.



This talk is free and open to the public.

CLOSING RECEPTION FOR THE TRANSFER OF MEMORY EXHIBIT

Monday, October 22, 5:00 - 6:00 PM, CSU Lounge, next to the Art Gallery

Join us for a closing reception of the Transfer of Memory Exhibit. The closing ceremony will include brief commentary by exhibit curators, Laura Zelle, Susie Greenberg and JCRC's executive director Steve Hunegs. Attendees will have the opportunity to talk with the speakers, one another, tour the exhibit, and to celebrate this powerful series of events that has provided the Minnesota State Mankato community an opportunity to learn about the Holocaust, both its past and the lessons we can learn from it for a more peaceful and just future.

This event is free and open to the public. Light appetizers will be provided.

CALLING ALL PROFESSORS:

Do you want to incorporate any of these events into your classes? Please do! We can set up attendance and sign-up sheets if you want to bring the whole class or just offer extra credit. We can also provide your students **FREE** copies of the book *Witness to the Holocaust: Stories of Minnesota Holocaust Survivors and Liberators*. More details and a free download are available at: <https://www.minndakjrc.org/witnesses-to-the-holocaust.html>

Contact Carol Glasser at the email below if you would like to have sign up sheets at any of the events or books ordered for your class.

Questions about any of these events? Contact Carol Glasser at carol.glasser@mnsu.edu or 507-389-1345

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