

# TEACHING THE HOLOCAUST

## Three-day Summer Course for Teachers

22, 23 and 24 August 2016

Supported by: the Teacher Education Section of the  
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**N.B.** This programme can be attended independently or as part of the  
Certificate in Holocaust Education awarded by Trinity College, Dublin

**Venue:** Neill Theatre, Long Room HUB, Trinity College Dublin

### Presenters:

Peter Garry, BA, MA, MEd, École Européenne 3, Brussels  
Anthony McElligott, BA, PhD, MRIA, University of Limerick  
Yiftach Meiri, BA, International School of Holocaust Studies, Yad Vashem  
Paul Salmons, BSc, PGCE, Centre for Holocaust Education, University College London  
Oliver Sears, Second Generation Holocaust survivor  
Kristin Thompson, United States Holocaust Memorial Museum

**Academic Director:** Zuleika Rodgers, BA, PhD, Department of Near and Middle Eastern  
Studies, Director, Herzog Centre, Trinity College Dublin

**Course Coordinator:** Lynn Jackson, Director of Education, HETI

## MONDAY 22 AUGUST 2016

- 08.30-09.00 **Registration and Coffee**  
09.00 -09.30 **Welcome and Introduction**  
Lynn Jackson  
**Certificate in Holocaust Education awarded by Trinity College**  
Zuleika Rodgers, Director, Herzog Centre, TCD  
09.30-09.45 **Stepping stones of the Holocaust, Glossary, short booklist**  
Lynn Jackson  
09.45-11.00 **From Stepping Stones to Interpretations: Understanding the Holocaust**  
Anthony McElligott, University of Limerick
- 11.00-11.30 **COFFEE**
- 11.30-12.30 **Path to Nazi genocide**  
Kristin Thompson, USHMM
- 12.30-13.15 **LUNCH**
- 13.15-14.15 **Pre-war Jewish Life (lesson plan)**  
Peter Garry, École Européenne 3, Brussels
- 14.15-14.30 **COFFEE**
- 15.00-17.00 **Holocaust Timeline (workshop)**  
Paul Salmons, UCL Centre for Holocaust Education  
17.00-17.30 **Review of the day – all educators**

GROUP PHOTOGRAPH

## TUESDAY 23 AUGUST 2016

- 08.30-09.00 Morning Coffee
- 09.00-10.30 **Being Human: Victims, perpetrators, bystanders, resisters, rescuers**  
Paul Salmons, UCL Centre for Holocaust Education
- 10.30-10.45 **COFFEE**
- 10.45-12.00 **Everyday Life in the Warsaw Ghetto**  
Yiftach Meiri, Yad Vashem
- 12.00-12.45 **LUNCH**
- 13.00-14.15 **PUBLIC LECTURE** by Anthony McElligott, University of Limerick  
**“A false lead, the mists of time, and some questions: The Holocaust in the Eastern Aegean, 1944”**
- 14.15-15.15 **Some Were Neighbours**  
Kristin Thompson USHMM
- 15.15-15.45 **COFFEE**
- 15.45-17.00 **The Kindertransports: an Irish perspective** (lesson plan)  
Peter Garry, École Européenne 3, Brussels
- 17.00-17.45 **Review of the day** – all educators

## WEDNESDAY 24 AUGUST 2016

- 08.30-09.00 Morning coffee
- 09.00-10.15 **Return to Life**  
Yiftach Meiri, Yad Vashem
- 10.15-10.30 **COFFEE**
- 10.30-11.30 **Critical Approaches to Historical Sources**  
Anthony McElligott, University of Limerick
- 11.30-12.30 **Oath and Opposition – Education under the Third Reich**  
Kristin Thompson, USHMM
- 12.30-13.30 **LUNCH**
- 13.30-14.45 **Second Generation Reflection: The Objects of Love**  
Oliver Sears
- 14.45-15.00 **Concluding remarks**  
Zuleika Rodgers, Director, Herzog Centre, TCD
- 15.00-15.30 **COFFEE and CAKE**
- 15.30-16.30 Review  
Questions  
Materials  
Assignments for Certificate students

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