

«Teaching about 20th Century European Jewish History»

Training seminar for 35 teachers from Greece, Germany, North Macedonia, and Slovenia by the Jewish Museum of Greece and Centropa in cooperation with the General Secretariat of Religious Affairs

Ionic Center, Athens, 11 – 13 October 2023

Program

Day 1	
14:00-14:30	Registration of participants at Ionic Center, 11 Lysiou str.
14:30-15:00	Brief welcome addresses: Representative of the Greek Ministry of Education and Religious Affairs (tbc), Representatives of JMG and Centropa
15:00-15:30	Ice breaker activity conducted by, Ludwig Peter, Murnau, Germany) and one Greek teacher (Katerina Efraimidou)
15:30-16:00	Historical Lecture Historical Lecture «Greek Jews 19th-20th centuries» by Dr. Eleni Kouki, Jewish Museum of Greece
16:00-16:30	Coffee break
16:30-17:00	Presentation of HerStories project by Alexandra Patrikiou of JMG and Fabian Rühle of Centropa
17:00-18:30	Workshop by JMG and Centropa. Screening of the Centropa short film “A bookstore in six chapters” about the Molho family. Introduction to Centropa’s interviews with Jewish Holocaust survivors from Greece and Germany: participants split in five groups to discuss how the materials can be used in class.
18:30-19:00	Group presentations (5 min) on workshop results. Feedback by JMG, Centropa and other participants.
19:30	Welcome dinner (Tzitzikas and Mermigas Restaurant)
Day 2	
09:30-10:00	Registration of participants at Jewish Museum of Greece (39, Nikis st)
10:00-11:00	Guided tour of Jewish Museum of Greece
11:00-11:15	Walk to Ionic Center
11:15-11:45	Coffee break at Ionic Center
11:45-12:15	Historical Lecture on the Holocaust in Greece by Alexandra Patrikiou (JMG)
12:15-13:00	Workshop by Centropa Balkan coordinators Daniela Sterjova from Skopje and Damjan Snoj from Ljubljana
13:00-14:00	Lunch at Ionic Center with coffee
14:00-14:45	Film screening: “From Frankfurt to Tel Aviv” about Erna Goldmann (German version with English subtitles). Discussion

	moderated by Maximilian von Schoeler (Centropa) and Markus Freundorfer
14:45-16:00	Marketplace of ideas. Greek and German teachers present their projects about Jewish history and Holocaust education using Centropa materials: -Kyriaki Efraimidou presents a German-Greek project work from JMG-Centropa Poland seminar (April 28-30, 2023) -Olga Gkouma presents how she uses the Molho film -Markus Freundorfer presents how he used the movie "From Frankfurt to Tel Aviv" about Erna Goldmann -Kirstin Lakeberg will present the "Courageous people" project which she developed with teachers from Greece and the US
16:00-17:00	Presentation of student film by Joanna Prodromidou (30 min) Reflection and wrap up.
	Free evening
	Day 3
08:30-11:00	Bus excursion to Chaidari , the site of the largest concentration camp in Greece. Anna Pantelakou and Alexandra Patrikiou (JMG) will be our guides.
11:00-12:30	Return to Athens for a visit to the synagogue and Holocaust memorial organized by the Jewish Museum of Greece.
13:00-14:00	Lunch
14:00-14:30	Reflection in small groups on the morning excursion moderated by Fabian Rühle (Centropa) and Alexandra Patrikiou (JMG)
14:30-15:00	Participants fill out the online survey provided by Centropa and JMG
15:00-15:30	Final wrap up discussion
15:30	End of official program. Greek participants depart.
16:30-18:30	International participants tour the Acropolis Museum on their own
October 14	International participants check out and depart

This seminar has been designed for teachers of secondary education and organised with the cooperation of the General Secretariat of Religion of the Greek Ministry of Education and Religious Affairs. The seminar will take place at the **Ionic Centre**, 11 Lysiou str., Athens. Knowledge of the English language is required.

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