Auschwitz as Place: Past, Present and Future
An International Symposium, Exhibition and Film Screening

January 9 - 12, 2020 | Jewish Museum of Florida | 301 Washington Avenue, Miami Beach

Join the Steven J. Green School of International and Public Affairs and the Jewish Museum of Florida for an international symposium, exhibition and film screening presented by FIU’s Holocaust and Genocide Studies Program in recognition of the 75th anniversary of the liberation of the Auschwitz death and concentration camp complex.

Auschwitz—A Place on Earth: The Auschwitz Album
Exhibition Opening | Thursday, January 9, 2020 | 7 PM | Jewish Museum of Florida

Over one million Jewish men, women and children were murdered during the Holocaust in Auschwitz-Birkenau, the largest extermination camp. The so-called Auschwitz Album is the only known visual documentation of the arrival of a transport of Jews to Auschwitz-Birkenau. The compelling photographs in this exhibition created by Yad Vashem in Jerusalem document the “processing” of Jews from the Carpatho-Ruthenia region up to but not including their mass murder.

Made in Auschwitz: The Untold Story of Block 10
Film Screening | Saturday, January 11, 2020 | 8 PM | Jewish Museum of Florida

Co-sponsored with the Miami Jewish Film Festival

This chilling documentary uses intimate survivor testimonies, archival footage and legal records to tell the story of over 400 young women who underwent medical experimentation in Auschwitz under Carl Clauberg, an enterprising, sadistic gynecologist. Discussion following the screening with Director Sonya Winterberg and Dr. Mihaela Moura Kocoglu of the FIU Center for Women’s and Gender Studies. For more information, go to miami jewish film festival.org.

International Symposium
Presentations & Panel | Sunday, January 12, 2020 | 12 PM - 6 PM | Jewish Museum of Florida

Experts examine the historical and symbolic significance of the Auschwitz camp network and museum, as well as the importance of Auschwitz as a tourist destination, in social media, and more. Confirmed participants include Dr. Robert Jan van Pelt, Rabbi Avi Baumol, and Dr. Meghan Lundigan.

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All events are free and open to the public. For more information, please call 305-672-5044.