

Sara & Sam Schoffer Holocaust Resource Center to Host Free Yad Vashem Educators Workshop Feb. 1

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Galloway, NJ – The Sara and Sam Schoffer Holocaust Resource Center at Stockton University is hosting a free workshop for middle and high school educators on **Monday, Feb. 1, 2016**.

The workshop is a joint project of the Holocaust Resource Center with Yad Vashem, the Holocaust Martyrs' and Heroes' Remembrance Authority in Jerusalem, Israel and the Sam Azeez Museum of Woodbine Heritage of Stockton University.

The seminar will be held from 9 a.m. – 2:30 p.m. at the Sara and Sam Schoffer Holocaust Resource Center located on the second floor of Stockton's Bjork Library. Complimentary resource materials designed and created by Yad Vashem will be distributed. The presenter will be Shani Lourie from Yad Vashem's International School. All New Jersey educators will receive 5.5 professional development hours upon completion of the workshop.

This seminar will provide new resource materials and methodologies designed by Yad Vashem for Holocaust and genocide education to assist in the implementation of the state's Holocaust and genocide mandate. The workshop will have multimedia curriculum, connecting lessons focusing on prejudice reduction, cultural diversity, character education, genocide and discrimination. This curriculum encourages classroom discussions and knowledge relevant to contemporary issues of prejudice. Some areas of discussion will include teaching about the Holocaust in today's classrooms, daily life in the Warsaw Ghetto and the fate of families as seen through artifacts.

To register for the workshop, call the Holocaust Resource Center at 609-652-4699.

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