FORTUNOFF VIDEO ARCHIVE FOR HOLOCAUST TESTIMONIES

TENTH ANNIVERSARY CONFERENCE

YALE UNIVERSITY

THE FUTURE OF MEMORY



October 25 - 26, 1992

Whitney Humanities Center 53 Wall Street

Sterling Memorial Library 130 Wall Street

PROGRAM

Sunday, October 25, 1992 Whitney Humanities Center

9:30 Coffee (WHC Auditorium) 10:00 Welcome - Sheila Wellington, Secretary, Yale University Public Memory and Modern Experience Geoffrey Hartman 10:30 MUSEUMS, MEDIA, MONUMENTS Chair - David Altshuler The Veneration of Ruins James Young Movies and the Falsification of Memory - Richard Bernstein Memory in a Post Modern Age Andreas Huyssen 2:00 THE FUTURE OF MEMORY Chair - Peter Gay Memory's Time Lawrence Langer The Place of Memory and Memory-Places in Modern Israel Sidra Ezrahi and Yaron Ezrahi The Future Paradigms of Jewish Remembrance - Alan Mintz 4:00 A Surfeit of Memory? Speculations on History, Melancholy and Denial Charles Maier Chair - Paula Hyman 5:30 Reception (WHC 208) 8:00 Law School Panel (WHC Auditorium) Undoing the Past

> Robert Burt Bruce Ackerman Harlon Dalton

Paul Kahn, Commentator

Monday, October 26, 1992 Sterling Memorial Library and Whitney Humanities Center

- 9:00 Coffee (SML Lecture Hall)
- 9:30 MEMORY AND IMAGINATION Chair - Peter Demetz Memory and Its Amounts William Gass Age Brings You to Your Father John Edgar Wideman
- 11:15 The Return of the Historically Repressed Dominick LaCapra Chair - David Apter
- 2:00 GENERATIONS (WHC Auditorium) Chair - Albert Solnit History and Memory Deborah Dwork Wounds without Memory Cathy Caruth and Dori Laub Unsettling Words: Memory and Generation - Jonathan Boyarin
- 4:30 Viewing of Testimonies (Dunham Lab - Room 220) 10 Hillhouse Avenue

THE FORTUNOFF VIDEO ARCHIVE FOR HOLOCAUST TESTIMONIES is dedicated to the recording, collection and preservation of videotaped oral testimonies of survivors and witnesses, and to the educational and research use of such testimonies.

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CONFERENCE SPEAKERS

Yale, Law and Political Bruce Ackerman Science David Altshuler Museum of Jewish Heritage, New York Yale, Political Science David Apter and Sociology Richard Bernstein New York Times Yale, Law Robert Burt Jonathan Boyarin New School for Social Research, Anthropology Cathy Caruth Yale, English Harlon Dalton Yale, Law Peter Demetz Yale, German and Comparative Literature Deborah Dwork Yale, Child Study Center Hebrew University, Sidra Ezrahi Institute for Contemporary Jewry Hebrew University, Yaron Ezrahi Political Science William Gass Washington University, Philosophy Peter Gay Yale, History Yale, English and Geoffrey Hartman Comparative Literature, Faculty Advisor, Fortunoff Video Archive Columbia, German and Andreas Huyssen Comparative Literature Paula Hyman Yale, History and Religious Studies Yale, Law Paul Kahn Dominick LaCapra Cornell, History Simmons, English Lawrence Langer Dori Laub Yale, Psychiatry Charles Maier Harvard, History Brandeis, Jewish Studies Alan Mintz Albert Solnit Yale, Pediatrics, Psychiatry, Child Study Center John E. Wideman University of Massachusetts, English James Young University of Massachusetts, English

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