

Inaugural Minnesota Holocaust Educators Network Seminar Minneapolis-Saint Paul, Minnesota

July 30 - August 5, 2017

The Holocaust and The Meaning of Place

A weeklong seminar for K-12 educators and administrators to explore place-based, inquiry lessons around the Holocaust, the Dakota exile and other social justice topics

Seminar Location: University of Minnesota, Twin Cities Campus

Seminar Co-Leaders:

Maureen Mahoney, 7-8 English Language Arts Teacher, American Indian Magnet School

Merry Meltz, K-8 Literacy & Content Integration Coach, American Indian Magnet School



Badote, where the Minnesota and Mississippi Rivers meet, in the painting View of Fort Snelling by Edward Thoma. In the background is Fort Snelling, where in 1862 many hundreds of Indians were imprisoned following the Dakota War.

Seminar Highlights will include:

Holocaust Survivor testimonies | Dakota Descendant testimonies | Field experiences at Mount Zion Temple, Saint Paul and Dakota Historic sites from Mendota to Mankato | Model lessons using primary source documents | Inquiry and place-based learning | AND many others...

Participants receive:

- Low cost housing on U of M/Twin Cities campus (if needed)
- Free copies of selected Holocaust & Dakota related books
- Echoes & Reflection curriculum
- Most meals
- \$100 stipend

Participants are eligible for:

- Classroom grants up to \$1000
- Professional development hours
- U of M credit options may be pursued individually

Participants will:

- Complete pre-seminar readings and engage in on-line discussions
- Attend scheduled sessions
- Complete reflective writing assignment
- Create an action plan
- Join the Holocaust Educator Network at completion of seminar

For More Information and to Register, Go To:

<https://www.thememorallibrary.org/satellite-program/st-paul/>

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