




The Olga Lengyel Institute for Holocaust Studies and Human Rights

Cultivating Social Responsibility: Lessons from the Holocaust and the Rich Soil of the Central Valley of California

An Interdisciplinary Inquiry on Teaching the Holocaust

Fresno, CA

July 25 – 29, 2022



Educators will assume the roles of student and teacher as they consider best teaching practices and deepen their knowledge of the Holocaust, Jewish culture, and the Central Valley's role during Japanese Internment and the Farmworkers movement. **Highlights include:**

- Day trip to Simonian Farms and the Japanese American Memorial at the Fresno Fairgrounds
- Guest Scholars and Survivor Testimony
- Consideration of best pedagogical practices using inquiry-based learning, reflective writing, and project-based learning to examine social justice and human rights in the classroom
- Exploration of the history of the Japanese American experience during WWII
- Understanding of the Armenian Genocide

The seminar is facilitated by **Hilary Levine**, MA in Holocaust and Genocide Studies and **Tosha Tillotson**, MA in Education. Both are classroom teachers, administrators and founders of Avenues for Change: Holocaust and Genocide Education

This professional development seminar is offered at no cost to educators through the generous support of TOLI and our partners. All participants will receive:

- Professional Development hours
- Opportunity to earn units from CSU Fresno
- A small stipend
- Selected books and teaching resources
- Breakfast and lunch daily
- Transportation to and entry fee for field trips
- Intimate conversation with Holocaust survivor
- Mini-grant availability of up to \$1,000
- Access to a large, involved, heavily-resourced network of Human Rights educators

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