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AUSCHWITZ JEWISH CENTER
CENTRUM ŻYDOWSKIE W OŚWIĘCIMIU
המרכז היהודי באושוויץ

Auschwitz Jewish Center Study Program for Students Abroad Sample Syllabus

Thursday – Krakow

[Throughout afternoon] Rolling check-in to hotel

7:00 p.m. Meet in hotel lobby

7:30 p.m. Welcome dinner at Karma (ul. Krupniczna 12)

Discussion: Introductions, Q&A on contemporary Poland, Holocaust memory and Polish-Jewish relations

Friday – Krakow

Breakfast at hotel

9:30 a.m. Meet in hotel lobby

10:00 a.m. Tour of Kazimierz including synagogues and the area of the former ghetto with AJC staff

12:00 p.m. Lunch at Bagelmama (ul. Dajwór 10)

1:00 p.m. Tour continues

3:30 p.m. Testimony from Righteous Among the Nations at Klezmer-Hois (ul. Szeroka 6)

Discussion: The Polish Narrative & Approaches to Polish-Jewish History

Free time

7:30 p.m. Optional Shabbat services

8:30 p.m. Dinner at JCC Krakow (ul. Miodowa 24)

Saturday – Oświęcim

Breakfast at hotel

- 9:00 a.m. Board vans for Oświęcim with bags
- 10:30 a.m. Tour of the Auschwitz Jewish Center and its exhibits, *The Jews of Oswiecim* and *New Life*, as well as Jewish Oświęcim. Info at www.ajcf.org and www.oshpitzin.pl.
- Discussion: Whose story is it to tell? Examining historical perspectives*
Q&A preparation for Auschwitz I
- 1:00 p.m. Lunch at the Center for Dialogue and Prayer (<http://cdim.pl/en>)
- 2:00 p.m. Study tour of Auschwitz I
- 5:00 p.m. Return to hotel, time for personal reflection or participation in Festival events
- 7:00 p.m. Dinner at the AJC
- Discussion: Memorializing the Holocaust, the relevance of authenticity, reconciling Oświęcim*
Q&A preparation for Auschwitz II-Birkenau

Sunday – Oświęcim /Krakow

- 7:45 a.m. Breakfast
- 8:30 a.m. Study tour of Birkenau
- 1:00 p.m. Lunch
- 2:00 p.m. Depart for Krakow
- Free time
- 4:00 p.m. A walk through the main sites of Krakow or free time
- 6:30 p.m. Dinner at Nostalgia (ul. Karmelicka 10)
- Discussion: Commemoration and memorializing for the future, staying involved with the AJC & MJH*

Monday – Krakow

- Breakfast at hotel
- Departures