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SEPTEMBER 11

Berlin Wall Dedication

Concordia University / George R. White Library & Learning Center Lobby

10:30 – 11:30am

No RSVP required / catered event / **FREE**

Concordia University is honored to install and dedicate a remnant piece of the Berlin Wall and custom display cabinet made possible by the generous donation of Don Mertes, John and Sharon Fehrs, William and Pam Hubble, Karen Goodwin, John Dinkel, Ron Hays, Clayton Andrews, Bill and Brenda Johnson, Roy and Shirley Christiansen. The remnant is an international symbol of freedom and will become a permanent exhibit in the George R. White Library and Learning Center.

SEPTEMBER 20

Oregon Holocaust Memorial Tour by Jill Slansky

Washington Park

7:00 - 7:45pm

RSVP to [lchurch@cu-portland.edu](mailto: church@cu-portland.edu)

SPACE IS LIMITED - RSVP TO RESERVE YOUR SPACE! / **FREE**

Jill Slansky, past president of the Oregon Holocaust Resource Center, provides a guided tour of the Holocaust Memorial located in downtown Portland's beautiful Washington Park. The memorial features a stone bench adorned with wrought-iron gating, screened from the street by rhododendron bushes. To register for this guided tour, email lchurch@cu-portland.edu.

SEPTEMBER 20

Presentation by Les and Eva Aigner- Holocaust Survivors

Concordia University / George R. White Library & Learning Center Lobby

2:00 - 4:00pm

No RSVP required / catered event / **FREE**

Les and Eva Aigner both survived persecution by the Nazis during World War II. Today, after over 50 years of marriage, the memories of their youth remain alive as they tell their stories to a new generation.

SEPTEMBER TBD

Presentation by Dick Hill and Ceiridwen Terrill

Location: TBD

Time: TBD

No RSVP required / **FREE**

Concordia professors, Dr. Dick Hill and Dr. Ceiridwen Terrill present information and pictures from their recent 2015 summer trip to Japan where they were visited atom bomb devastation sites and attended commemorative 70th Anniversary events.

FOR MORE INFORMATION

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PROGRAM

**AUGUST 1 -
SEPTEMBER 30**

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THE ZONES PROJECT 2015:
The August 1st Zone Project event will end at Concordia University in time to attend our first event. Peace and Justice Works and Oregon PSR volunteers have put up posters all around the Portland metro area reminding people of the grim reality of the world's nuclear nightmares. This project describes the effects of a one megaton nuclear weapon, 50 times as powerful as the one dropped on Hiroshima on August 6th, 1945. For illustrative purposes, Peace and Justice Works has created a map to show the effect if ground zero were the middle of the Burnside Bridge in Portland. For more details and to help with The Zones Project, contact Sean Tenney at 503-274-2720.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 1

Educating for Peace: Poets Respond to the Nuclear Age 70 Years After Hiroshima & Nagasaki

Concordia University / George R. White Library & Learning Center Lobby

3:00pm – 5:00pm

No RSVP necessary / catered event / **FREE**

Co-sponsored by Mountain Writers Series and Oregon Physicians for Social Responsibility (OPSR). Guest poets include Oregon Poet Laureate, Peter Sears, Past Washington Poet Laureate, Kathleen Flenniken, Leah Stenson, Allison Cobb, and poets from the community that have submitted their work.

AUGUST 6

2015 Wholistic Peace Institute Peace Lunch with keynote speaker Ed Kawasaki, Atomic Bomb Survivor

Concordia University / George R. White Library & Learning Center Lobby

11:00am: Prayer Vigil / 12:00 - 2:00pm: Lunch

RSVP to garyspanovich@wholisticpeaceinstitute.com / \$35.00 per person

A prayer vigil, free and open to the public will be held in commemoration of the 70th Anniversary of Hiroshima atom bombings on the campus green at 11:00am, to be followed by lunch and the opening reception for the traveling exhibit from Hiroshima, Japan's Ground Zero Museum. Mr. Ed Kawasaki, an atom bomb survivor will speak at lunch.

AUGUST 6 – SEPTEMBER 19

Educating for Peace: Never Again – Traveling Exhibit from Hiroshima, Japan's Ground Zero Museum

Concordia University / George R. White Library & Learning Center Gallery - Second Floor

Open to public during library hours / **FREE**

*Co-sponsored by Concordia University and The Wholistic Peace Institute - **Educating for Peace: Never Again** – traveling exhibit from Hiroshima, Japan's Ground Zero Museum includes posters and photographs of the atomic bomb damage. Additionally artist Yukiyo Kawano is exhibiting replicas of the atom bombs Fat Man and Little Boy, peace-themed art and journals.*

AUGUST 6 – SEPTEMBER 29

Sala Kryszek Art Contest Winners Exhibit

Concordia University / George R. White Library & Learning Center Lobby

Open to public during library hours / **FREE**

The annual Sala Kryszek Art & Writing Competition for middle and high school students encourages youth to evaluate history, foster an awareness of the Holocaust, and broaden their minds in the areas of art, history, civics, sociology, and literature. For the competition, students are presented with a prompt that becomes their cue to create a piece of writing or a work of art.

AUGUST 9

Educating for Peace Art Exhibit and 70th Anniversary of Nagasaki Bombing Reception

Concordia University / George R. White Library & Learning Center Lobby

2:00 - 4:00pm

Open to Public / catered event / **FREE**

View Hiroshima Ground Zero Museum Exhibit, Yukiyo Kawano's atom bomb replications, Faubion Elementary School Wall of Peace Art, award-winning entries for the Sala Kryszek Art and Writing Competition, and more. Attendees can also view "A Mother's Prayer" and "From Hiroshima to the Future", two documentaries about the nuclear disasters in Japan.

AUGUST 15

Oregon Holocaust Memorial Tour led by Jill Slansky

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Lecture by Jeannie Smith- daughter of Irene Opdyke, Polish Rescuer of Jews from Nazi Germany

Concordia University / George R. White Library & Learning Center Lobby

2:00pm – 4pm

No RSVP required / catered event / **FREE**

Jeannie Opdyke Smith is the daughter of the late Irene Opdyke, a brave and inspiring figure who received international recognition for her life-saving actions during the Holocaust when working for a high ranking German official. Jeannie has spoken around the country telling her mother's inspiring story of how one woman can truly make an impact on the world. Jeannie Smith will have her book available for sale and signing.

SEPTEMBER 10

Skype Interview with Hiroshima Survivor

Concordia University / Student Events & Activities Center, Hagen Hall

7:00pm – 8:30pm

No RSVP required / **FREE**

Skype lecture from Hiroshima of an Atom Bomb Survivor.

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