

## Morning Sessions @ 11:00 am-12:00 pm

### 1. THE HOLOCAUST: “Putting Sexual Violence during the Holocaust into Genocide Narrative”

**Rochelle Saidel, Ph.D.**, director, Remember the Women Institute; co-editor *Sexual Violence against Jewish Women during the Holocaust*  
**Sonja Hedgepeth, Ph.D.**, professor, Languages department, Middle Tennessee State University; co-editor: *Sexual Violence against Jewish Women during the Holocaust*  
**Karen Shulman**, education consultant, Remember the Women Institute  
Moderator: Professor David Pecan, room G235

### 2. RWANDA: “Pain, Resilience, and Hope: Surviving Rape and Genocide”

**Consolee Nishimwe**, Survivor; author, *Tested to the Limit: A Genocide Survivor's Story of Pain, Resilience and Hope*  
**Jacqueline Murekatete, J.D.**, Survivor; founder, Genocide Survivors Foundation  
Moderator: Professor Wendy Lowenfeld, room G233

### 3. THE HOLOCAUST: “Post-liberation Rape and Intergenerational Trauma”

**Shula Kozuch**, German-Jewish Survivor of Auschwitz-Birkenau  
**Ditza Kata, Ph.D.**, 2G, Founder, *Women's Therapy Center*  
Moderator: Professor Angela Oglesby, room G223

### 4. NAMIBIA: “Long-term Implications of Rape during the Herero Genocide: Identity, Recognition, and Reparations”

**Vepuka Kauari, M.S.N. C.E.N.**, co-founder, *Ovaherero Genocide Association in the USA*;  
Moderator: Professor Valerie Lagakis, room G243

### 5. PATTERNS OF TRAUMA: “Sexual Slavery, Trauma, and Healing: Shared Patterns between Genocide and Trafficking

**BJ Cling, Ph.D., J.D.**, forensic psychologist, John Jay College of Criminal Justice, trauma and healing patterns shared by victims of sexualized violence during genocide and sex trafficking  
Moderator: Professors Suzanne Liff and David Hess, room G245

## Afternoon Sessions @ 2:15-3:15 pm

### 1. THE HOLOCAUST – “Romani (‘Gypsy’) Women as Carriers of Memory”

**Petra Gelbart, Ph.D.**, granddaughter of Holocaust Survivors; ethnomusicologist  
Moderator: Professor Esther Bogin, room G233

### 2. INTERGENERATIONAL TRAUMA: “Mother-Grandmother-Advocate: Bearing Witness to Trauma and Healing”

**Holly Shaw, Ph.D.**, professor, College of Nursing, Adelphi University; Vice Chair, NGO Committee on Mental Health  
**Ushuuda Prosperine**, (via skype) Survivor of rape in DR Congo and Ugandan refugee camp  
Moderator: Professor Susan Beganskas, room G225

### 3. GUATAMALA: “Maya Women as Targets: Gender Violence and the Guatemalan Genocide”

**Victoria Sanford, Ph.D.**, chair, Anthropology, Lehman College and CUNY Graduate Center;  
director, Center for Human Rights and Peace Studies  
Moderator: Professor Rakhi Agarawal, room G235

### 4. POETRY: “Poetry as Resistance and Healing in the Aftermath of Sexualized Atrocities and Genocide”

**Sally Ann Drucker, Ph.D.**, English Dept., Nassau Community College-SUNY  
Moderator: Professor Lynn Rozzi, room G243

### 5. THEATRE: “Using Theatre as a Pedagogical Tool for Teaching Social Justice”

**Maggie Lally, Ph.D.**, Theatre, Adelphi University; Students: **Tabea Dilger, Erica Lance, Marissa Mavrich-Burtch, Mackenzie Trowbridge, Isuri Wijesundara**  
Moderator: Professor Joseph Coppolino, room G245

Free and Open to the Public, space is limited, please register to reserve your space.  
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