

University of Cincinnati  
Department of Judaic Studies

Jennie L. and Jacob Lichter Lecture Series  
in Judaic Studies

## THE EICHMANN TRIAL: FIFTY YEARS LATER

Fifty Years ago in Jerusalem, Nazi officer SS-Obersturmbannführer Adolf Eichmann went on trial for his central role in the Holocaust. From its opening in April until its conclusion in December 1961, the trial of the Nazi criminal by the young Jewish state attracted world attention. This was without a doubt the single most important trial focusing on the Holocaust and continues to impact our understanding of its perpetrators and the ordeal of its victims. Fifty years later the voices heard at the Eichmann trial – the voices of the prosecution, defense, witnesses, and commentators covering the trial – are still present in the way the Holocaust is understood and remembered.

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**Dietary laws observed.**

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## About the Department of Judaic Studies

The department of Judaic Studies offers a comprehensive education in the history, literature, and arts of the Jews from biblical times to the present. Our interdisciplinary faculty specializes in such areas as Ancient Judaism, Biblical Literature, Archaeology, Medieval Jewish History, Jewish Literature, Holocaust Studies, Zionism and Modern Jewish History. Students benefit from a rich educational experience, which may include internships, travel, and study in Israel. Judaic Studies fully integrates the resources of UC and draws upon the Hebrew Union College and the American Jewish Archives. Judaic Studies at UC provides an integrated humanities education tailored to the needs and interests of each individual student.

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## David Engel

Maurice Greenberg Professor of Holocaust Studies, Professor of Hebrew and Judaic Studies and Professor of History, New York University

“Adolf Eichmann, Hannah Arendt, and the Writing of Jewish History”

Monday, October 24, 7:00 p.m.  
Mayerson JCC, 8485 Ridge Road,  
Cincinnati, OH 45236  
(South, off of Ronald Reagan Highway)

**About the Speaker:** David Engel is the Maurice Greenberg Professor of Holocaust Studies, Professor of Hebrew and Judaic Studies and Professor of History, New York University. He gained his PhD in History from the University of California, Los Angeles, in 1979 and did postdoctoral study at the Division of Holocaust Studies, Institute for Contemporary Jewry, Hebrew University, Jerusalem, from 1982-83. He was Research Fellow in History at Russian State University of the Humanities, Moscow from 1983-85 and Senior Lecturer in Jewish History at Tel Aviv University from 1986-89. His books include “In the Shadow of Auschwitz: the Polish Government-in-Exile and the Jews, 1939-1942” (University of North Carolina Press, 1987), “Facing a Holocaust: the Polish Government-in-Exile and the Jews, 1943-1945” (University of North Carolina Press, 1993), “The Holocaust: the Third Reich and the Jews” (Longman, 2000), “Zionism” (Pearson/Longman, 2009), and “Historians of the Jews and the Holocaust” (Stanford University Press, 2010).

**Parking:** Free parking is available at the Mayerson JCC.

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## Deborah Lipstadt

Dorot Professor of Modern Jewish and Holocaust Studies at Emory University

“The Eichmann Trial: Its Impact and Legacy”

Thursday, November 3,  
7:00 p.m.  
UC Uptown Campus,  
Lindner Center, 450

*NOTE: At that time, the only available entrance to the Lindner Center will be the North Entrance (by the Oscar Robertson Statue).*

**About the Speaker:** Deborah E. Lipstadt is the Dorot Professor of Modern Jewish and Holocaust Studies at Emory University in Atlanta. She is author of “History on Trial: My Day in Court with David Irving” (Ecco/HarperCollins, 2005); “Denying the Holocaust: the Growing Assault on Truth and Memory” (Free Press/Macmillan, 1993), “Beyond Belief: The American Press and the Coming of the Holocaust” (Free Press/Macmillan, 1986, 1993). Her recent book “The Eichmann Trial” (Schocken, 2011), published only a few months ago, has already received much praise and attention.

**Parking:** Paid parking is available throughout campus. The nearest available garages are the Varsity Village Garage, the CCM Garage and the Calhoun Garage. The Department of Judaic Studies will offer a limited number of prepaid parking tickets for senior citizens for the on-campus lectures. In order to secure their ticket, those interested should contact Molly Russell at 513-556-2297, or at [molly.russell@uc.edu](mailto:molly.russell@uc.edu).



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## Michael R. Marrus

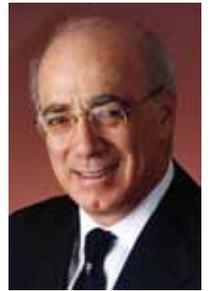
Chancellor Rose and Ray Wolfe Professor Emeritus of Holocaust Studies at the University of Toronto and a Senior Fellow of Massey College

“The Eichmann Trial and Israeli Jurisdiction: Controversies Then and Now”

Monday, November 14, 7:30 p.m.  
UC Uptown Campus, Stratford Heights (Clifton Ave.), Banquet Room

**About the Speaker:** Michael Marrus is the Chancellor Rose and Ray Wolfe Professor Emeritus of Holocaust Studies at the University of Toronto and a Senior Fellow of Massey College. A Fellow of the Royal Society of Canada and a member of the Order of Canada, he received his MA and PhD from the University of California at Berkeley. He has been a visiting fellow of St. Antony's College, Oxford; the Institute for Advanced Studies of the Hebrew University of Jerusalem; and has taught as a visiting professor at UCLA and the University of Cape Town, South Africa. He is the author of several prize-winning books, including “Vichy France and the Jews” (with Robert Paxton, Stanford University Press, 1995), “The Unwanted: European Refugees in the Twentieth Century” (Oxford University Press, 1985), “The Holocaust in History” (Brandeis University Press, 1987), “Mr. Sam: The Life and Times of Samuel Bronfman” (Brandeis University Press, 1991), and “The Nuremberg War Crimes Trial, 1945-46” (Bedford Books 1997). His recent book, “Some Measure of Justice: the Holocaust Era Restitution Campaign of the 1990s,” was published in 2009 by the University of Wisconsin Press.

**Parking:** Paid parking is available at the Stratford Heights Garage.



Michael R. Marrus



Above: A German stamp of Hannah Arendt;  
Right: Photos from the Eichmann Trial