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SMU Human Rights Education Program to sponsor Holocaust legacies Shoah as Turning Point

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PERKINS SCHOOL OF THEOLOGY SOUTHERN METHODIST UNIVERSITY NOVEMBER 5, 12, 19, AND 23, 2009

Dallas, Texas- The Human Rights Education Program of Southern Methodist University will present four events during November under the theme of HOLOCAUST LEGACIES: Shoah as Turning Point. All events are open to the public and free of charge. Details are as follows

November 5, 20 09
Perkins Prothro Great Hall, 6 – 10 p.m.

God on Trial: The Meaning of the Shoah for Jewish and Christian Theology Today (film screening and discussion)

Discussants: Rabbi Ari Perl, President of the Rabbinic Association of Greater Dallas, Rabbi of Congegation Shaare Tefilla, Dallas; John Holbert, Lois Craddock Perkins Professor of Homiletics, SMU Perkins School of Theology

This event will include a screening and discussion of the film God on Trial (which depicts a fictional "trial" of God by prisoners at Auschwitz).

November 12, 2009
Perkins Prothro Great Hall, 8:30 a.m. –
12:30 p.m.

Holocaust Survivors: Stories of Resilience

Presenters: Roberta R. Greene, PhD, MSW, PI, John Templeton Foundation (JTF) grant, University of Texas, School of Social Wor

November 19, 2009
Perkins Prothro Great Hall, 6 – 10 p.m.

Music Out of the Ashes

Performers: