AIPR-CGSC Seminar (September 25-October 2, 2011)

Sunday, September 25

Krakow Airport Pick-Ups – Morning and Afternoon

15:00 Late Lunch at Olecki Hotel

20:00 Dinner at Olecki Hotel

Monday, September 26 – History and Context

8:00 Breakfast

8:45 Meet in lobby of Olecki Hotel for walk to Auschwitz-Birkenau State Museum Conference Room (Block 12)

9:00-9:15 Introduction to the Raphael Lemkin Seminar for Genocide Prevention
Tibi Galis, Executive Director of the Auschwitz Institute for Peace and Reconciliation and Dr. James Waller, Keene State College

9:15-10:15 Introduction to the Concepts of Genocide and Mass Atrocities
Dr. James Waller, Keene State College
Reading: UN Genocide Convention (1951)
Handout: Definitions of Genocide and Mass Atrocity Crimes

10:15-10:30 Coffee Break

10:30-12:00 The Holocaust (1939-1945)
Dr. James Waller, Keene State College

12:00-13:00 Lunch Break – Olecki Hotel

13:00-15:30 Guided Study Visit of Auschwitz I (smaller groups)
Guides from Auschwitz-Birkenau State Museum

15:30-15:45 Coffee Break
15:45-16:45  Case Study: The German Military and the Holocaust (Block 12)
Jennifer Ciardelli, US Holocaust Memorial Museum
Handout: Case Study Material (8 pages): German Military (October, 1941)

16:45-17:00  Closing Discussion and Daily Wrap-Up

18:15  Bus from Olecki Hotel to Stara Poczta Restaurant
18:30  Official Opening Dinner at Stara Poczta Restaurant in Oswiecim
20:15  Bus returns to Olecki Hotel

Tuesday, September 27 – Memory and Responsibility

7:30  Breakfast

8:15  Bus to Auschwitz II (Birkenau)

8:30-11:00  Guided Study Visit of Auschwitz II (smaller groups)
Guides from Auschwitz-Birkenau State Museum
Reading: Selection from Primo Levi’s If This Is a Man (Survival in Auschwitz), translated by Stuart Woolf (1959), pp. 19-27.

11:30  Bus to Olecki Hotel

11:45-12:45  Lunch Break – Olecki Hotel

12:45-13:15  CGSC Review (participants only) and Instructor Briefings

13:15  Meet in lobby of Olecki Hotel for walk to Auschwitz-Birkenau State Museum Conference Room (Block 12)

13:30-14:45  Between Memory and Commemoration
Alicija Bialecka, Educational Programs Director, International Centre for Education about Auschwitz and the Holocaust (ICEAH)

14:45-15:00  Coffee Break
15:00-15:30  Allied Responses to Auschwitz
Dr. Piotr Setkiewicz, Chief Historian, Auschwitz-Birkenau State Museum

15:30-16:45  Case Study: Should the Allies have bombed Auschwitz?
Dr. James Waller, Keene State College
Handout: Pehle-McCloy Correspondence (November 8 & 18, 1944)

16:45-17:00  Closing Discussion and Daily Wrap-Up

18:00  Polish Dinner – Olecki Hotel

19:00  Reflection and Discussion with Seminar Instructors (Optional)

Wednesday, September 28 – Pre-Conflict Assessment

7:30  Breakfast

8:15  Meet in lobby of Olecki Hotel for walk to Oswiecim College

8:30-10:00  Becoming Evil: How Ordinary People Commit Genocide and Mass Killing
Dr. James Waller, Keene State College

10:00-10:15  Coffee Break

10:15-11:30  Case Study: The Burden of Command in the Face of Mass Atrocity
Dr. James Waller, Keene State College
Handout: The Dallaire Fax (January 11, 1994)

11:30-12:15  Introduction to Genocide Prevention Task Force (GPTF)
Jennifer Ciardelli, US Holocaust Memorial Museum
Options (pp. 73-92), and (c) Summary of Recommendations (pp. 111-114) – Complete report available on-line at http://www.ushmm.org/genocide/taskforce.

12:30-13:30 Lunch Break – Oswiecim College

13:30-14:00 CGSC Review (participants only) and Instructor Briefings

14:00-15:00 Genocide Risk Assessment and Early Warning
Tibi Galis, Executive Director of the AIPR
Readings: (a) Gregory Stanton - "The 8 stages of Genocide' - briefing paper
(b) United Nations - Office of the Special Advisor to the Secretary General on Genocide Prevention - 'Framework for Analysis' - internal document

15:00-15:15 Coffee Break

15:15-16:45 Case Study: Early Warning Assessment of Current At-Risk Area
Tibi Galis, Executive Director of the AIPR
(b) International Crisis Group – ‘Kyrgyzstan: A Hollow Regime Collapses” – Asia Briefing No 102, 27 April 2010
(c) International Crisis Group – “Kyrgyzstan: A Deceptive Calm” – Asia Briefing No 79, 14 August 2008
(d) International Crisis Group – “Kyrgyzstan on the Edge” – Asia Briefing No 55, 9 November 2006

16:45-17:30 Closing Comments: Ambassador Stephen Rapp, Special Ambassador on War Crimes Issues, former Chief Prosecutor for the Special Court on Sierra Leone and Deputy Chief of Prosecution for the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda

18:00 Bus to the Old Town for a Walking Tour of Historical Quarter of Oswiecim

19:00 Tour of Auschwitz Jewish Centre (http://ajcf.org)

20:00 Pub Dinner – High Way Pub

Thursday, September 29 – Responses During Conflict

7:30 Breakfast

8:15 Check Out and Meet in Lobby of Olecki Hotel for Walk to Dialogue Centre
8:30-10:00  Working with Non-Military Partners
Erin Weir, Senior Advocate for Peacekeeping, Refugees International
Readings: (a) Hugo Slim’s “Idealism and Realism in Humanitarian Action,”
(b) “Guidelines for Relations Between U.S. Armed Forces and Non-
Governmental Humanitarian Organizations in Hostile or Potentially Hostile

10:00-10:15  Coffee Break

10:15-11:45  Legal Aspects of the Military’s Role in Mass Atrocity Prevention and
Responsibility to Protect (R2P)
Lieutenant Colonel (LTC) Natalie Kolb, Judge Advocate, U.S. Army; Military
Advisor to the Special Ambassador for War Crimes Issues, Department of State
and Lieutenant Colonel (LTC) Gary T. Johnson, Deputy Director, Future
Concepts Directorate, The Judge Advocate General's Legal Center & School
(TJAGLCS-Charlottesville, VA)
Readings: (a) “Interventions and International Law: Legality and Legitimacy,”
from Jane Stromseth, David Wippman, and Rosa Brooks (eds.), Can Might Make
(b) Dermot Groome’s “Human Rights Investigation” from The Handbook of

11:45-12:45  Lunch Break – Dialogue Centre

12:45-13:15  CGSC Review (participants only) and Instructor Briefings

Dwight Raymond, US Army Peacekeeping and Stability Operations Institute
(2010, pp. 5-40).

13:45-15:30  Tabletop Exercise: South Sudan and MARO
Dwight Raymond, US Army Peacekeeping and Stability Operations Institute
Reading: Crisis Group Africa Report N°172, Politics and Transition in the New
South Sudan, 4 April 2011, pp. 1-34.

15:30-15:45  Coffee Break

15:45-17:15  Economics of Post-Conflict Reconstruction: How to Avoid “The Economic
Consequences of the Peace”
Dr. Jurgen Brauer, Augusta State University and Visiting Professor of Economics
at Chulalongkorn University, Bangkok, Thailand
Reading: Chapter 5 of “Peace Economics: A Macroeconomic Primer for
Violence-Afflicted States” by Jurgen Brauer and J. Paul Dunne for the United
States Institute of Peace. (Pre-publication draft, June 2011; strictly do not cite,
quote, or distribute beyond the AIPR/CGSC seminar purposes.)
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**Friday, September 30 – Stability Operations and Post-Conflict Transition**

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Alexander Mayer-Rieckh, AfterConflict Group (http://www.afterconflict.org)
Readings:  (a) “What is Transitional Justice?” (International Center for Transitional Justice, 2009)
(b) “Confronting an Abusive Past in Security Sector Reform After Conflict: Guidelines for Practitioners” (Alexander Mayer-Rieckh and Serge Rumin, 2010)

16:45-17:00  Coffee Break

17:00-18:00  "Long Sleeves or Short?“ – The View of Atrocities by the Revolutionary United Front (RUF) from Both Sides of the Liberia/Sierra Leone Border
Closing Conversation with Lieutenant-General Jonathon Riley CB DSO PhD MA, Director-General and Master of the Armouries (UK); John Langlois, US AID Kenya; and Ambassador Stephen Rapp, Special Ambassador on War Crimes Issues

19:00  Dinner and Free Evening in Krakow

Saturday, October 1

Free Day  Arranged Tours in Krakow:

Morning Tour: Schindler Factory Museum (Podgorze District)
Jewish Quarter (Kazimierz District)
Galicia Jewish Museum (Kazimierz District)

Afternoon Tour: Krakow City Tour

18:00  Seminar Wrap-Up and Dinner

Sunday, October 2

Early AM  Participants check out of hotel and leave for return to Ft. Leavenworth