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Tuesday, May 29, 2012

**International Conference :  
Living Memories of the Holocaust  
in Contemporary Society**

Place :            Council of Europe, Strasbourg, France  
Dates :            May 31 – June 1 2012  
Languages :    French and English  
Room :            1

Provisional programme

**Thursday, May 31 2012**

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9.00 – 10.45 : Registration of participants

(Entrance hall in the Palais of the Council of Europe)

Welcome coffee in front of Room 1 and distribution of briefcases

**Plenary session**

11.00 – 11.30 : **Welcome speeches**

- Representative of the Directorate General II *Democracy* of the Council of Europe

- Representative of the city of Strasbourg; Mr Alain Fontanel, deputy mayor

11.30 - 12.15 : **Why this conference ?**

Dr Carole Reich, Programme Manager "Passing on the remembrance of the Holocauste and Prevention of crime against humanity: a cross-cutting approach"

Dr Daniel Lemler, President of the association "Mémoires vivantes de la Shoah"

12.15 – 12.45 : **Theatre piece « Pages de garde »**

Stage director Sabine Lemler

Reading and singing by Anne Somot and Violaine Marine Helmbold

Saxophone music by Léonard Kretz

13.00 – 13.45 : **Lunch break**





## Plenary session : Current status of the transmission of the remembrance of the Holocaust since 1945...

- Moderator : Dr Fabienne Regard, scientific coordinator of the Council of Europe programme « Passing on the Remembrance of the Holocaust and prevention of crimes against humanity : a cross-cutting approach »

14.00 – 14.30 : ... **in contemporary art**

Jean Clair, Académie Française

14.30 – 15.00 : ... **in cinema**

Antoine Germa, Université de Lausanne and Mémorial de la Shoah

15.00 – 15.30 : ... **in contemporary theatre**

Guila Clara Kessous, Harvard University

15.30 – 16.00 : **coffee break** (in front of the Room 1)

16.00 – 16.30 : ... **in international law**

Yann Jurovics, University of Amiens and University of Paris

16.30 - 17.00 : ... **in music**

Amaury du Closel, Institut Européen d'étude de la musique et du totalitarisme Strasbourg

17.00 – 17.30: **Discussion**

20.00 : **Theatre Au Maillon**

« This is my father » by Ilay den Boer (in French, English and Dutch) with Ilay den Boer et Gert den Boer. In cooperation with „Le Maillon, Théâtre de Strasbourg – Scène européenne”.



Friday, June 1 2012

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9.00 – 9.30 :       ... **in medicine**

Gerhard Baader, Free University of Berlin and the Hebrew University of Jerusalem

9.30 – 10.00 :       ... **in science**

Paul Weindling, Oxford Brookes University

10.00 – 10.30 :       ... **in psychology**

Jerry Burger, Santa Clara University

10.30 - 11.00 :       **coffee break** (in front of the Room 1)

Presentation by Dr Francine Mayran of the polyptych "All victims of the unnameable"

11.00 – 11.30 :       ... **in history**

Jean-Marc Dreyfus, University of Manchester

11.30 – 12.00 :       ... **in human beings**

Dr Daniel Lemler, to introduce the subjective question

12.00 – 13.00 :       **Concluding session**

- Moderators of the two plenary sessions
- Representative of the Council of Europe

