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Richard Stockton College to Host Seminar on Photo Exhibit in Atlantic City

Local Holocaust Survivor Portraits, Anne Frank Family Pictures on Display at Atlantic City Art Center

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Atlantic City, NJ — The Holocaust Resource Center of The Richard Stockton College of New Jersey, in partnership with The Atlantic City Art Center announces a free seminar open to the public titled “Life Stories: Exploring the Photography Exhibits of *Holocaust Survivors of South Jersey: Portraits of Resilience*, and *Anne Frank: A Private Photo Album*”.

The seminar will be presented by Dr. Michael Hayse, Stockton Associate Professor of Historical Studies. It will take place at the Atlantic City Art Center located on the Boardwalk at New Jersey Avenue on Tuesday, May 22nd from 12:30 to 1:30 pm. The seminar is designed as a lunch break option. Free parking is available.

Between 2003 and 2007, Stockton Professor of Art Wendel White guided six students who have been photographing Holocaust survivors residing in southern New Jersey. The photographers, Randee Rosenfeld, Jeanine Walling, Ann Erik, Kim Clark, Lyndsi Warner, and Natalie Weiss have over 50 portraits and photos of local Holocaust survivors, accompanied by biographical information. An exhibition catalog funded by the New Jersey Council for the Humanities, the Foundation of the Jewish Federation of Atlantic and Cape May Counties, and the New Jersey Commission on Holocaust Education will accompany the show. The exhibits are free and open seven days a week from 10 am until 4 pm through May 31.

The “Anne Frank: A Private Photo Album” exhibit consists of over seventy black-and white photographs, many of which have never before been shown to the public—all reproductions from Otto Frank's album. As an amateur photographer, Otto Frank created a photo album like that of any family, the life and times of his daughters Anne and Margot. The Anne Frank exhibit photos are on loan from the Anne Frank Center USA in New York City.

Funding for the exhibits has been provided by The Foundation of the Jewish Federation of Atlantic & Cape May Counties, the Schultz-Hill Foundation, and the New Jersey State Council on the Arts, New Jersey Dept. of State, a partner agency of the National Endowment for the Arts, and administered by the Atlantic County Office of Cultural & Heritage Affairs.

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