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# First-Ever Conference of Ukrainian Graduates of the International School for Holocaust Studies, Yad Vashem

## Commemorating 70 Years of the Baby Yar Mass Murder

***Kyiv, 3-4 October 2011***

***Teachers' House***

Yad Vashem יד ושם

The Holocaust Martyrs' and Heroes' Remembrance Authority

Ukrainian Center for Holocaust Studies

**3 October 2011**
Arrival
18:30 Concert Gala in the National Opera House, Kyiv
"Symphony # 13 – Baby Yar" by Dmitriy Shostakovich

**4 October 2011**

8:30-9:00 Registration
9:00-10:15 **Opening of the Conference**

**MK. Yuli Edelstein**, Minister of Public Diplomacy and Diaspora Affairs, State of Israel

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**Dr. Olexander Udod**, Director, Institute of Innovative Technologies and Content Education, Ukraine Ministry of Education and Science, Youth and Sport

**Ambassador Karel de Beer**, Chairman of the Task Force for International Cooperation on Holocaust Education, Remembrance and Research (ITF)

**Ms. Alexandra Britavsky**, Executive Director, Genesis Philanthropy Group in Israel
**Dr. Irit Abramsky**, Director, Russian Desk, Yad Vashem

**Dr. Anatoly Podolsky**, Director, Ukrainian Center for Holocaust Studies

10:30-11:30 **Participation in Parallel Workshops**

Seminar Graduates Will Be Divided into the Following Workshops:

- *How to Teach the Holocaust through Film in an Age-Appropriate Manner?* **Irit Abramsky // Noa Sigal**
- *Jewish-Ukrainian Relations in Perspective of Ukrainian Literature - Text Analysis* - **Irit Abramsky // Noa Sigal**
- *YouTube and Other Sources in Education, Example of Lviv*- **Olga Pedan-Slepuchina**
- *Teaching Holocaust in Ukraine – Achievement and Challenges* - **Natalia Golosova**

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12:30-14:00 Lunch

14:00-14:45 ***Selected Graduates' Presentations*** **(I. Kostyuk, T. Velichko, E. Sitnik)**

15:00-16:00 **Keynote Lecture and Discussion**
**Dr. Andrii Portnov** "The Holocaust in Modern Ukrainian Historiography and Memory"

16:15-16:45 Closing Remarks