

# Itinerary for Youngstown State University in Central Europe

May 13, 2019 – June 3, 2019

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## Monday, May 13 - Prague

- **11:45am:** Arrival in Prague
- **11:45am-12:30pm:** Proceed through customs and pick up luggage
- **12:30 – 1:00pm:** CET airport pick up and travel to the dormitory
- **1:00 – 3:00pm:** Check-in to accommodations and rest, *lunch suggestions in the Welcome pack*
- **3:00-3:40pm:** Travel to CET Center
- **3:40-5:00pm:** Orientation at CET Center
- **5:30pm:** Welcome dinner (*Restaurace Kyvadlo, V Jámě 5, Praha 1*)

## Tuesday, May 14 - Prague

- **9:20am:** Depart dorms
- **10:00am-1:00pm:** Prague City Tour with guide (start at CET)
- **1:00pm-2:30pm:** Free time for lunch
- **2:30 - 4:00pm:** Lecture "Prague" by faculty leader (class no.3)
- **Evening activity** – with Czech students (paddle boats or TBD)

## Wednesday, May 15 - Prague

- **8:50am:** Depart dorms
- **9:30-11:00am:** Lecture "Jewish Prague" by faculty leader (class no.3)
- **11:00 – 11:50am:** Free time for lunch
- **11:50am:** Meeting at CET
- **12:00 – 3:00pm:** Jewish Quarter Tour with guide (start at CET)
- **3:00 – 4:00pm:** Time for coffee/snacks in the Jewish Quarter
- **4:00 - 5:30pm:** Jewish Life Today (meeting with Mr. Kraus) at Maiselova 18

## Thursday, May 16 - Prague

- **8:20am:** Depart dorms
- **9:00-10:30am:** Lecture "Holocaust" by faculty leader (class no.3)
- **10:40am-12:00pm:** Depart for Terezin excursion (from Hotel Rokoko)
- **12:00 - 3:45pm:** Time for Lunch and Excursion to Terezin with a guide
- **4:00 - 5:30pm:** Travel to Prague, city centre
- **6:00 - 7:30pm:** Guest Lecture "Antisemitism" by Zbyněk Tarant (class no.3)

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## Friday, May 17 - Prague

- **7:00am:** Depart for Lety Excursion (from the dormitory), breakfast on the way
- **8:30am:** Arrival to Lety, meeting with Salim Murad
- **9:10am – 11:45am:** Guest Lecture "History of the Roma and Roma Issues" at Lety Amphitheater (or Park hotel Orlik), Lety Walk, Discussion with local student (not confirmed yet) by Salim Murad
- **12:00 – 1:10pm:** Group Lunch (Schwanzenberský Panský dvůr restaurant)
- **1:15pm:** Depart for Prague, CET
- ~~**3:00-4:30pm:** Guest Lecture "Contemporary Roma Issues/working in a Roma advocacy" by Darina Batyiová (class no.3)~~
- **7:00pm:** Optional dinner at the Prague Jewish community (participants pay for dinner themselves)

## Saturday, May 18 - Prague

- Free day in Prague

## Sunday, May 19 - Prague

- **8:50am:** Leaving the dormitory
- **9:30-11:30am:** Lecture "Communism and Human Rights" by faculty leader (class no.3)
- **11:30am-12:30pm:** Free time for lunch

- **12:30pm:** Leaving CET and walk to the Museum
- **1:00-2:30pm:** Site visit to the Museum of Communism
- **3:00 – 5:30pm:** Film Screening at CET Center with Mr. Jones, discussion
- **5:30pm:** 1989 tour/site visit (led by faculty leader and Mr. Jones)

## Monday, May 20 – Prague

- After lunch – Romea
- **3:00 – 5:00pm:** Bubny Memorial

## Tuesday, May 21 - Brno

- **7:20am:** Check-out from dorms
- **7:30am:** Depart for Brno, break on the way for breakfast
- **11:15am:** Expected arrival to Brno, luggage drop off in the accommodation
- **11:30am – 12:45pm:** Free Time for lunch
- **12:45pm:** Meeting at Zelný trh
- **1:00 - 3:30pm:** Brno Walking Tour with a guide
- **3:30 - 4:00pm:** Optional visit to Brno Ossuary
- **4:00pm:** Meeting at the Ossuary and walk to Roma Museum
- **4:30 - 6:00pm:** Visit to Roma Museum in Brno

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## Wednesday, May 22 - Krakow

- 7:30am: Depart for Krakow (from the accommodation)
- 12:30pm: Expected arrival in Krakow, luggage drop off at the hotel, free time for lunch
- 1:50pm: Meeting at the reception
- 2:00pm – 5:00pm: Krakow City Tour
- 6:30pm: Group dinner at Pierogi MR Vincent

## Thursday, May 23 - Krakow

- 9:30am: Leaving the hotel and walk to the University
- 10:00-11:30am: Guest Lecture "Jews in Poland " by Annamaria Bukowska (PU, u. Gradzka 52, room 61)
- 11:30am-12:45pm: Free time for lunch
- 12:45pm: Meeting at the hotel
- 1:00 - 4:00pm: Tour of Jewish Krakow and the JCC (start from the hotel)
- 5:00 – 6:30pm: Visit at Schindler's Factory, tickets reserved for program
- Evening: Dinner with the Polish students (Mrs. Orla-Bukowska)

## Friday, May 24 - Krakow

- 8:00am: Depart for Nowa Huta (from the hotel)
- 8:45-11:15am: Nowa Huta Tour with a guide
- 11:15am -12:15pm: Free time for lunch

- 12:15pm: Leaving Nowa Huta, depart for a lecture
- 1:00-2:30pm: Guest Lecture "Contemporary Polish and EU Politics" by Adam Musiał and dr. Karolina Czerska-Shaw (ul. Ingardena 3)
- 2:40-3:00pm: Travel to the hotel
- 3:50pm: Meeting by the hotel and walk to JCC
- 4:00 – 5:30pm: Visit at JCC + Meeting with the Holocaust survivor
- 7:30pm: Optional Service at JCC
- 8:30pm: Optional dinner with JCC

## Saturday, May 25 – Auschwitz, Krakow

- 6:00 – 6:45am: Early breakfast in the hotel
- 7:00am: Depart for Auschwitz
- 8:30 – 2:30pm: Auschwitz Tour, Lunch, Birkenau Tour
- 3:00pm: Depart for Krakow
- 4:30pm: Expected arrival in the hotel

## Sunday, May 26 – Krakow, Auschwitz

- 7:00 – 10:00am: Breakfast in the hotel
- 12:00pm: Check out, luggage storage at the hotel
- 3:00pm: Meeting at the reception
- 3:15pm: Depart for Auschwitz town
- 4:45pm: Arrival in Auschwitz town
- 5:00 – 6:00pm: Workshop at Auschwitz-Jewish Center (Plac Ksieda Jana Skarbka 5)

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- **6:15pm:** Taking luggage from the bus and walk to the hostel (5 mins walk), check in
- **7:00pm:** Group dinner (Portobello)

## Monday, May 27 - Berlin

- **8:00am:** Check-out and depart for Berlin
- **5:00pm:** Expected arrival in Berlin (lunch break on the way), check-in
- **6:00pm:** Welcome dinner at Joseph Roth Diele (Potsdamer Straße 75)

## Tuesday, May 28 - Berlin

- **9:30am:** Meeting in the lobby and depart for a lecture (by public transport)
- **10:00 – 11:30am:** 2nd orientation and Lecture by faculty leader (at Octavus, Leipziger Platz 15)
- **11:30am – 1:40pm:** Free time for lunch
- **1:50pm:** Meeting at Café Einstein (Unter den Linden 42)
- **2:00 - 4:00pm:** Berlin City Guided Tour (from Café Einstein)
- **4:00 – 8:30pm:** Free time, time for dinner
- **8:30pm:** Meeting by Bundestag (Platz der Republik 1)
- **8:45pm:** Bundestag at Night (walk in the dome with audio guide)

## Wednesday, May 29 - Berlin

- **9:00am:** Meeting in the lobby and depart for the lecture
- **9:30-11:00am:** Lecture "Memory" by faculty leader (at Octavus)
- **Afternoon:** Holocaust Commemoration Sites (Denkmal with audioguide), tour led by faculty leader (time and meeting point upon agreement with the group)

## Thursday, May 30 – Berlin

- **8:30am:** Meeting in the lobby and depart for a lecture (15mins by public transport)
- **9:00-10:30am:** Guest Lecture "Jews in Germany Today" by Armin Langer (at Tuesday Coworking, Feurigstrasse 5)
- **11:15 – 2:00pm:** Jews in Germany Today Tour (meeting point: Hackescher Markt)
- **Afternoon:** Free time for lunch
- **Afternoon:** Jewish Museum in Berlin

## Friday, May 31 - Berlin

- **8:30am:** Meeting in the lobby and depart for a lecture
- **9:00 – 10:30am:** Guest Lecture "Antisemitism + Islamophobia" by Felix Axter (at Octavus)
- **10:40 – 11:15am:** Travel to the meeting point by public transport

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- **11:15am-12:45pm:** Meeting with Armin Langer from Salaam-Schalom Initiative (at Werkstatt der Kulturen)
- **12:45 – 1:00pm:** Travel to TBB
- **1:00 – 2:00pm:** Free time for lunch
- **2:15pm – 3:45pm:** Visit at Turkish Federation in Berlin-Brandenburg (TBB)
- *Evening: Optional Shabbat service and the dinner at the Oranienburger Straße Synagogue*

## Saturday, June 1 – Berlin

- **9:30am:** Meeting in the lobby and depart for a lecture by public transport
- **10:00am - 4:00pm:** Wrap-up lectures, meetings and concluding discussions (at Tuesday Coworking)
- **Afternoon/Evening:** free time

## Sunday, June 2 - Berlin

- Free day
- Evening: Farewell dinner at Chay Village

## Monday, June 3 - Berlin

- Program ends – transfer to the airport