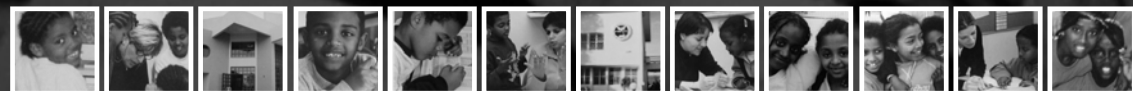


E D U C A T E

OUR MOTTO MUST BE, 'IN SPITE OF DESPAIR, HOPE MUST EXIST. IN SPITE OF SUFFERING, HUMANITY MUST PREVAIL. AND IN SPITE OF ALL OF THE DIFFERENCES IN THE WORLD, THE WORST ENEMY, THE WORST PERIL, IS INDIFFERENCE'.



BEIT TZIPORA CENTERS FOR STUDY & ENRICHMENT

These Centers give Ethiopian Jewish children the opportunity to overcome early educational inequality and participate fully in Israeli society. Named in memory of Elie Wiesel's younger sister, who died in Auschwitz, the Foundation currently runs two Centers, one in Ashkelon and one in Kiryat Malachi, which enroll more than 1,000 youth. The goal of these programs is to provide Ethiopian immigrants with desperately needed academic tutoring, pre-vocational training and social and emotional support.

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O P P O R T U N I T Y

WHAT UNITES US AS HUMAN BEINGS IS THE ASPIRATION TO MAKE THE WORLD BETTER, MORE COMPASSIONATE, WITH LESS CONFLICT, LESS HATE AND HARDSHIP, AND WITH MORE TOLERANCE AND UNDERSTANDING.



CREATING A CHANGE

The Elie Wiesel Foundation is partnering with foundations, corporations and individuals to make a difference. Whether it's through the corporate sponsorship of The Elie Wiesel Prize in Ethics Essay Contest, governmental partnerships to host conferences or foundation and individual support of our Beit Tzipora Centers, with your support, the Foundation is working to create change.



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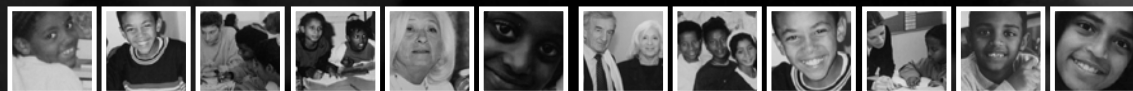
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M I S S I O N

“THE OPPOSITE OF LOVE IS NOT HATE, IT’S INDIFFERENCE. THE OPPOSITE OF ART IS NOT UGLINESS, IT’S INDIFFERENCE. THE OPPOSITE OF FAITH IS NOT HERESY, IT’S INDIFFERENCE. AND THE OPPOSITE OF LIFE IS NOT DEATH, IT’S INDIFFERENCE.”

All quotes compliments of Holocaust survivor, Author, and Nobel Peace Laureate Elie Wiesel



WHAT WE DO

If we are to leave our children and our children’s children with a better world tomorrow, we must make a difference today. The Elie Wiesel Foundation for Humanity, rooted in the memory of the Holocaust, seeks to combat indifference, intolerance and injustice. Through international dialogues to harness the brightest minds and most influential leaders of today and youth-focused programs to develop the minds and leaders of tomorrow, we promote acceptance, understanding and equality.

Our vision is a world in which all children have an equal opportunity to succeed and excel. A world in which genocide and indifference, ethnic cleansing and intolerance, inequality and injustice no longer play an active role, but remain only in memory. A world in which indifference is not prevalent, but replaced by action, involvement and interest.

I N S P I R E

SOMETIMES WE MUST INTERFERE. WHEN HUMAN LIVES ARE ENDANGERED, WHEN HUMAN DIGNITY IS IN JEOPARDY, NATIONAL BORDERS AND SENSITIVITIES BECOME IRRELEVANT. WHENEVER MEN OR WOMEN ARE PERSECUTED BECAUSE OF THEIR RACE, RELIGION, OR POLITICAL VIEWS, THAT PLACE MUST—AT THAT MOMENT—BECOME THE CENTER OF THE UNIVERSE.



THE ELIE WIESEL PRIZE IN ETHICS ESSAY CONTEST

An annual competition for college juniors and seniors, this Contest is designed to challenge college students to analyze the urgent ethical issues confronting them in today’s complex world. Students are encouraged to write thought-provoking personal essays that raise questions, single out issues and are rational arguments for ethical courses of action in addressing the complex issues of today.

INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCES

Since 1987, the Foundation has hosted a regular calendar of international conferences including The Anatomy of Hate series, meetings for youth in conflict-ridden countries and gatherings of Nobel Laureates. These conferences provide a forum for dialogue about current social problems in order to develop innovative solutions that create lasting change.

E N C O U R A G E

THE FACT ALONE THAT WE HAVE GATHERED TO FACE THESE PROBLEMS TOGETHER GIVES ONE COURAGE. FOR SURELY WE ALL AGREE: HUMANKIND MUST BE OFFERED A RIGHT TO HOPE AND A BETTER CHANCE TO REMAIN ALIVE AND OPEN TO CONSULTATION.



HUMANITARIAN AWARD

The Humanitarian award was created to recognize outstanding individuals who dedicate their lives to fighting indifference, intolerance and injustice. Past recipients include Former French First Lady Danielle Mitterrand, Former President George Bush, His Majesty King Juan Carlos of Spain, Senator Hillary Rodham Clinton and First Lady Laura Bush.

CONTINUED EFFORTS

But there is still more to be done. Sixty years after the Holocaust, we still find ourselves fighting indifference, intolerance and injustice. Children face educational inequities due to the color of their skin or the country of their birth. Intolerance of ethnic and racial differences leads to discrimination and genocide. Indifference among all peoples, both those in power and those who may one day be in control, prevents involvement.