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### Day 1 Program

8:45 am - 9:15 am
Welcoming Remarks
Puloma Kaushal
Dr. Jacek Lachendro

9:15 am - 9:50 am

#### Witnessing Auschwitz and Holocaust Scholarship

A Conversation with Dr. Teresa Wontor-Cichy

10:00 am-10:50 am

#### Auschwitz and the Importance of Historical Research

Guest Speaker: Dr. Piotr Setkiewicz

11:00 am- 11:50 am

#### **Fabric and Fiction**

Macy Richards - Clothing of Auschwitz Prisoners Indigo Ward - Auschwitz in Holocaust Novels

12:00 pm- 12:50 pm

#### Commemorating Jewish Wartime Graves in Poland

Keynote Speaker: Alicja Mroczkowska

1:00 pm-1:50 pm

#### Spaces and Graphic Novels

Marcie Schlick - Kanada in Auschwitz Sidney Singh - Holocaust and Comics: From X-Men to Maus

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### Day 2 Program

9:00 am - 9:30 am

#### **Auschwitz for Digital Humanities**

Dr. Anja Nowak - Auschwitz: History, People, and Place

9:30 am - 10:50 am

#### A Gendered Journey

Dr. Bozena Karwowska - Women in Auschwitz Charlotte Gibbs - Mapping Women in Auschwitz Lisa Rutloh - A Woman's Journey in Auschwitz-Birkenau

11:00 am- 12:20 pm

#### Music, Movies, and Archives

Nina Weng - Orchestras in Auschwitz Sarai Rasmidatta - Film of the Holocaust Susan Atkey - Archives and Auschwitz, A Reflection from a Librarian

12:30 pm - 1:50 pm

Stanisław Lem, WWII, the Holocaust, and Sci-Fi Masterpieces

Guest Speaker: Wojciech Orlinski

2pm-3:20pm

Weapons: Medicine and Food

Herleen Sharma - Medical Crimes in Auschwitz Puloma Kaushal - Food in Auschwitz Dr. Tricia Logan - Witnessing Auschwitz. Living Here