Holocaust Resource Center to Host "Echoes and Reflections" Workshop

Event set for 9 a.m. on Friday, February 6, 2009 on the Galloway Twp. Campus

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Galloway Township, NJ- The Sara and Sam Schoffer Holocaust Resource Center at The Richard Stockton College of NJ will sponsor a workshop titled "Echoes and Reflections" for middle, high school and college educators. The event will take place on Friday, Feb. 6 from 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

The workshop presenter will be Shulamit Imber, Pedagogical Director of Yad Vashem International School for Holocaust Studies. Yad Vashem, the Anti-Defamation League, and the University Of Southern California Shoah Foundation Institute for Visual History and Education collaborated to develop "Echoes and Reflections." The program is a multimedia curriculum for the classroom that connects lessons which focus on prejudice reduction, character education, the Holocaust and other genocides, cultural diversity and discrimination. The curriculum encourages classroom discussions and knowledge relevant to contemporary issues of prejudice. Both the curriculum and video testimonies will be given free of charge to each educator participant.

Professional development hours (PDH) are available for NJ educators. The workshop is free and will be offered at Stockton on the Galloway Township campus in Room F-111. Registration is required either by e-mail or phone. For additional information or to register, please contact the Holocaust Resource Center at 609-652-4699 or gail.rosenthal@stockon.edu.