



HEARINGS AND MARKUPS ON ANTI-SEMITISM CHAired BY REP. CHRIS SMITH (NJ-04)

(Foreign Affairs Subcommittee meetings in Times New Roman font; Helsinki Commission and Tom Lantos Human Rights Commission meetings in *italic*)

May 20, 2025

Worldwide Persecution of Jews

Ted Deutch, Chief Executive Officer, American Jewish Committee

Marina Rosenberg, Senior Vice President for International Affairs, Anti-Defamation League

Director of Legislative Affairs, B'nai B'rith International

Stacy Burdett, Consultant, Antisemitism Response and Prevention

May 20, 2024

Eliminating U.S. Aid to Terrorists – New Policies for the U.S. Gov't & Its Partners

Hillel Neuer, Executive Director, UN Watch

Yona Schiffmiller, Director of Research, NGO Monitor

James G. Lindsay, Former General Counsel, UNRWA

Andrew Hyde, Director and Senior Fellow of the Multilateral Financial Diplomacy and Powering Peace, Stimson Center

January 30, 2024

UNRWA Exposed: Examining the Agency's Mission and Failures

Richard Golberg, Senior Advisor, Foundation for Defense of Democracies

Marcus Sheff, Chief Executive Officer, IMPACT-se

Hillel Neuer, Executive Director, UN Watch

Mara Rudman, Schlesinger Professor, University of Virginia Miller Center

November 8, 2023

United Nations' Bigotry Towards Israel: UNRWA Antisemitism Poisons Palestinian Youth

Hillel Neuer, Executive Director, UN Watch

Jonatha Lincoln, Interim Director, Center for Jewish Civilization

Dr. Jonathan Schanzer, Senior Vice President for Research, Foundation for the Defense of Democracies

July 18, 2023

The Dire State of Religious Freedom Around the World

Rabbi Abraham Cooper, Chair, U.S. Commission on International Religious Freedom

Mr. Eric Patterson, President, Religious Freedom Institute

Reverend Susan Hayward, Associate Director, Harvard Divinity School's Religious and Public Life Program

The Honorable Rashad Hussain, Ambassador-at-Large for International Religious Freedom, U.S. Department of State

June 22, 2023

Responding to Anti-Semitism and Anti-Israel Bias in the UN, Palestinian Authority, and NGO Community

Mr. Natan Sharansky, Chair, Institute for the Study of Global Antisemitism and Policy

Mr. Yona Schiffmiller, Director of Research, NGO Monitor

Mr. Itamar Marcus, Founder and Director, Palestinian Media Watch

Mr. Eugene Kantorovich, Director of International Law Department, Kohelet Policy Forum

Mr. Hillel Neuer, Executive Director, United Nations Watch

Dr. Sharon Nazarian, Director, Anti-Defamation League National Board of Directors

Yair Rosenberg, Staff Writer, The Atlantic

- March 22, 2017** **Anti-Semitism Across Borders**
Mr. Paul Goldenberg, National Director, Secure Community Network
Ms. Stacy Burdett, Vice President, Government Relations, Advocacy, and Community Engagement, Anti-Defamation League
Rabbi Andrew Baker, Personal Representative on Combating Anti-Semitism, Office of Chairperson-in-Office, Organization for Security and Co-operation in Europe
Mr. Mark Weitzman, Director of Government Affairs, Simon Wiesenthal Center
- April 19, 2016** **Anticipating and Preventing Deadly Attacks on European Jewish Communities**
Rabbi Andrew Baker, Personal Representative, OSCE Chairman-in-Office on Combating Anti-Semitism
Jonathan Biermann, Executive Director, Crisis Cell for the Belgian Jewish Community
John Farmer, Director, Faith-Based Communities Security Program, Rutgers University
Paul Goldberg, National Director, Secure Community Network
- February 11, 2016** **Update on the OSCE: Religious Freedom, Anti-Semitism, and Rule of Law**
Michael Georg Link, Director, Office for Democratic Institutions and Human Rights
- March 24, 2015** **After Paris and Copenhagen: Responding to the Rising Tide of Anti-Semitism**
The Honorable Ronald S. Lauder, President, World Jewish Congress
Mr. Roger Cukierman, President, Representative Council of Jewish Institutions
Mr. Dan Rosenberg Asmussen, President, Danish Jewish Community
- February 27, 2013** **Anti-Semitism: A Growing Threat to All Faiths**
Katrina Lantos Swett, Ph.D., Chair, U.S. Commission on International Religious Freedom
Mr. Eric Metaxas, Author and Commentator
Zuhdi Jasser, M.D., President, American Islamic Forum for Democracy
Mr. John Garvey, President, The Catholic University of America
Ms. Elisa Massimino, President and CEO, Human Rights First
Tamas Fellegi, Ph.D., Managing Partner, EuroAtlantic Solutions)former Minister of National Development, Government of Hungary
Mr. Willy Silberstein, Chairman, Swedish Committee Against Anti-Semitism
Rabbi Andrew Barker, Personal Representative on Combating Anti-Semitism, Office of the Chairperson-in-Office, Organization for Security and Co-operation in Europe
Rabbi David Meyer, Professor of Rabbinic Literature and Contemporary Jewish Thought, Pontifical Gregorian University
Rabbi Yaakov Bleich, Chief Rabbi of Kiev and Ukraine
Mr. Andrew Srulevitch, Director of European Affairs, Anti-Defamation League
- December 2, 2011** **Combating Anti-Semitism in the OSCE Region: Taking Stock of the Situation Today**
Hannah Rosenthal, Special Envoy to Monitor and Combat Anti-Semitism, U.S. Department of State
Rabbi Andrew Barker, Personal Representative of the OSCE, Chair-In-Office on Combating Anti-Semitism
Shimon Samels, Director for International Relations, Simon Wiesenthal Center
Mark Levin, Executive Director, National Conference on Soviet Jewery
Eric Fusfield, International Director of Legislative Affairs, B'nai B'rith International
Stacy Burdett, Director of Government and National Affairs, Anti-Defamation League
- May 9, 2006** **Tools for Combatting Anti-Semitism: Police Training and Holocaust Education**
Paul Goldenberg, Special Advisor, OSCE Office for Democratic Institutions and Human Rights
Kathrin Meyer, Adviser on Anti-Semitism Issues, OSCE Office for Democratic Institutions and Human Rights
Rabbi Andrew Baker, Director of International Jewish Affairs, American Jewish Committee
Stacy Burdett, Associate Director of Government and National Affairs, Anti Defamation League

Liebe Geft, Director, Simon Wiesenthal Center's Museum of Tolerance

June 16, 2004

Government Actions to Combat Anti-Semitism in the OSCE Region

Hon. Tom Lantos, Ranking Member, Committee on International Relations; and Holocaust Survivor His Excellency Natan Sharansky, Israeli Minister for Diaspora Affairs; and Head, Israeli Delegation to the Berlin OSCE Conference on Anti-Semitism

Betty Ehrenberg, Director, Institute for Public Affairs, Orthodox Union of Jewish Congregations

Paul Goldenberg, National Security Consultant, American Jewish Committee

Jay Lefkowitz, Partner, Kirkland & Ellis, LLP

Fred Zeidman, Chairman, U.S. Holocaust Memorial Council

Mark Weitzmann, Director, Task Force Against Hate, Simon Wiesenthal Center

Stacy Burdett, Associate Director, Government and International Affairs, Anti-Defamation League

Shai Franklin, Director, Government Relations, NCSJ, Advocates on Behalf of Jews in Russia, Ukraine, the Baltic States and Eurasia

Dan Mariaschin, Executive Vice President, B'nai B'rith International

James S. Tisch, Chairman, Conference of Major Presidents of Major American Jewish Organizations

His Excellency Ed O'Donnell, Special Envoy for Holocaust Issues, U.S. Department of State

December 10, 2002

Parliamentary Forum on Combating anti-Semitism in the OSCE Region

Dr. Julianne Danker-Wetzel, Center for Research on Anti-Semitism, Technical University Berlin

Mr. Ken Jacobson, Associate National Director, Anti-Defamation League

Dr. Hanno Loewy, Founder, Fritz Bauer Institute, Frankfurt

Ambassador Alfred H. Moses, Former President, American Jewish Committee and former U.S. Ambassador to Romania

Rabbi Israel Singer, President, World Jewish Congress

Mr. Arkadi Vaksberg, Deputy Head, Moscow PEN Center

May 22, 2002

Escalating Anti-Semitic Violence in Europe

Shimon Samuels, Director for International Liaison, Simon Wiesenthal Center, Paris

Mark B. Levin, Executive Director, NCSJ, Advocates on Behalf of Jews in Russia, Ukraine, the Baltic State and Eurasia

Alexandra Arriaga, Director of Government Relations, Amnesty International USA

Rabbi Andrew Baker, Director of International Jewish Affairs, American Jewish Committee

Kenneth Jacobson, Senior Associate National Director, Anti-Defamation League

February 12, 1998

Status of the Russian Religious Law

Micah Naftalin, National Director, Union of Councils for Soviet Jews

Rachel Denber, Deputy Director, Human Rights Watch Europe & Central Asia

Peter Roudik, Legal Specialist, Eastern Law Division, Law Library of Congress

Dr. James Billington, Librarian of Congress

Jim Nichol, Analyst in Foreign Affairs, Foreign Affairs and National Defense Division

Dr. Anatoly Pchelintsev, Director, Christian Legal Center of the Institute of Religion and Law in Moscow

February 27, 1996 Worldwide Persecution of Jews

Dr. Peter J. Stavrakis, Deputy Director, The Kennan Institute for Advanced Russian Studies

Mr. Paul A. Goble, Senior Fellow, The Potomac Foundation

Ms. Alla Gerber, Former Member of the Duma

Mr. Sergei Sirotkin, Deputy Chairman of the Commission on Human Rights Under the President of the Russian Federation

Dr. Gilbert N. Kahn, Professor of Political Science, Kean College of New Jersey

Dr. Leonid Stonov, Director of the Union of Councils' International Human Rights Bureaus in the Former Soviet Union

Ms. Raisa Kagan (pseudonym), Victim of Anti-Semitism in Uzbekistan

Ms. Tatyana Polanskaya (pseudonym), Emigrant from the Former USSR

Mr. Shahin Abkazian (pseudonym), Iranian refugee---testimony read by Norman D. Tilles, President, Hebrew Immigrant Aid Society