

# Rising Antisemitism around the World

Thursday, January 22, 2015  
7:30 pm

Why are Jews so hated and vilified now and through all time?  
Mark Weitzman, who will just have returned from Turkey will provide an update on world antisemitism. Mark's work takes him to international spots in his position at the Simon Wiesenthal Center. Barbara Wind will provide historical background for antisemitism and include some of the pathologies that surround the current state of antisemitism.

Questions, Answers, and Discussion.

Refreshments

Presented by guest speakers Mark Weitzman, Director of Government Affairs of the Simon Wiesenthal Center, and Barbara Wind, Director of Holocaust Council of Greater MetroWest, and Melanie Gorelick, Director of CRC.

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About our presenters:

Mark Weitzman is a globally recognized expert and scholar of international relations, antisemitism, extremism and digital hate. As Director of Government Affairs of the Simon Wiesenthal Center and its Chief Representative to the United Nations in New York, he regularly meets with world leaders,



diplomats and experts to discuss these issues. Mr. Weitzman has frequently appeared on TV (Charlie Rose, Rachel Maddow, Israel TV, BBC and the History Channel) and in newspapers (The New York Times, Washington Post, Times of London, The Jewish Week, The Times of Israel and The Forward), testified in the US Senate and been a featured speaker at the UN.

Barbara Wind has served as the Director of the Holocaust Council of Greater MetroWest since 2000. Barbara is a journalist and writer (NY Times, New Jersey Jewish News, Huffington Post, etc.) and a poet. A book of her Holocaust poems was translated into German by the daughter of a WWII German soldier and published in Germany as Auf Asche Gehen (Walking on Ash.)



Melanie Gorelick is Director of the Community Relations Committee (CRC). The CRC is the public policy, government affairs and advocacy arm of the Jewish Federation of Greater MetroWest NJ.

