



הארגון הבינלאומי של עורכי־דין ומשפטנים יהודים
THE INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF JEWISH LAWYERS AND JURISTS

“Remember Budapest”

International Conference - Budapest, Hungary
November 16-19, 2006



Under the auspices of Mr. Terry Davis, Secretary General of the Council of Europe
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The Budapest Bar
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Dear Friends,

We are honored to invite you to participate in the Annual International Conference of the International Association of Jewish Lawyers and Jurists, which will take place on Thursday through Sunday, November 16-19, 2006, in Budapest, the capital of Hungary, in the heart of Europe.

This year's conference will be dedicated to the commemoration of Jewish lawyers and jurists who perished in Hungary during the Holocaust. This conference is a continuation of a series convened by the organization in Greece, Germany and Poland, that were dedicated to the commemoration of our colleagues in those countries who were victims and are no longer with us.

The conference is sponsored by the Secretary General of the Council of Europe, with the collaboration of the Hungarian Bar Association and the Budapest Bar, among many others. As such, the conference will be held in the local Bar Association's special lecture hall, in important national institutions and at the renowned Kempinski Hotel, located in the center of Budapest.

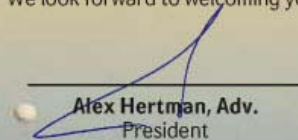
The conference will combine topics concerning the work of the deceased and their descendants, their contribution to Hungarian law and other matters, and will highlight the legal issues concerning, among other topics, the bringing to trial of war criminals, the contribution of lawyers to the interests of the Jewish people and more.

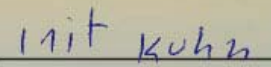
In accordance with last year's conference, which was held in Eilat, we have decided this year as well to encourage participants to get to know one another personally and to initiate productive meetings with colleagues, as these are the key to promoting our objectives. Therefore, the conference schedule interweaves social events and recesses, the latter of which attendees are invited to use to become acquainted with Budapest's special atmosphere and beauty.

Early indications suggest that many lawyers, judges and academics from Israel and many other countries will take part in the conference.

We are sure that the official portions of the program, as well as the social events and the encounter with colleagues from around the world, will be an enriching and exciting experience for all participants and their families.

We look forward to welcoming you and yours at the conference.


Alex Hertman, Adv.
President


Irit Kohn, Adv.
Vice-President
Chairperson of the Organizing Committee

Organizing Committee: Adv. Irit Kohn, Adv. Haim Klugman, Adv. Arik Ainbinder



Conference Program

The discussions will be held in English and Hungarian.
Simultaneous translation for both languages will be provided.

Thursday, November 16, 2006

Morning: A guided tour around Budapest, highlighting its history and the gorgeous old city
Registration and hotel check-in
Free time

Reception (Buffet) - location to be confirmed

Opening session:

- **Adv. Alex Hertman**, President IAJLJ
- **Mr. Ferenc Gyurcsany**, Prime Minister of Hungary (to be confirmed)
- **Dr. Janos Banati**, President of the Hungarian Bar Association
- **Dr. Peter Feldmajer**, Chairman of the Federation of Jewish Communities in Hungary

Friday, November 17, 2006

Sessions will be held at the Budapest Bar's conference hall

Morning: Including a coffee break and light refreshments

- "Could the Hungarian Holocaust have been averted? The historians debate about the Holocaust in Hungary"
- "Jewish lawyers confronting anti-Semitic policies in the interwar Hungary"
- "Allied war crimes policy: The question of crimes against Jewish nationals of axis countries"
- "Raoul Wallenberg - The unknown hero", including personal story by **Tom Lantos** (to be confirmed) Member of the House of Representatives, USA

Noon: Memorial service at the grand synagogue in memory of Jewish lawyers and jurists who perished in the Holocaust in Hungary

Kabalat Shabbat (optional)

Evening: Shabbat Dinner at the conference hotel

Saturday, November 18, 2006

Day: Free time

Evening: Gala Dinner

Sunday, November 19, 2006

Sessions will be held in the conference hotel

Morning:

- "Lies and libels against Jews - then and now"
- "Islam in Europe"
- "National hatred in the 21st century and its relation to anti-Semitism"

Coffee and cake (checkout)

- "Educating the Holocaust"
- "The role of Jewish lawyers in confronting central issues on the Jewish agenda"
- Presentation of the IAJLJ research on Jewish lawyers and jurists murdered in the Holocaust

Noon: lunch break

- Personal stories, including, inter alia, Mr. **Yosef Lapid**, Former Minister of Justice, Israel
- Resolutions and conclusion

Evening: Coffee and cake

*Schedule is subject to additions and / or changes.



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Registration available at the conference website:
www.reg.co.il/rememberbudapest

*Price per person in a double room, registering before August 24, 2006 is 600€

*Price per person in a double room, registering after August 24, 2006 is 800€

- * Price includes participation in the conference events, accommodation at the 5 star Kempinski Hotel, a guided tour of the city, transportation (not including airport transfers), 3 hotel breakfasts, 2 dinners, cocktail reception, coffee breaks and refreshments during the seminar sessions.
- * Prices are applicable to members who have paid their 2006 membership fee. This price can be obtained by paying the membership fee of 50\$ for 2006 prior to registration.
- * Price not including 2% credit card transaction fee.

Since the number of rooms is limited, early registration before August 24, 2006 is highly recommended.

Should any assistance be required with registration, please contact:
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We look forward to welcoming you in Budapest!