

# MARCH of REMEMBRANCE and HOPE

## MRH CANADA 2018 Berlin and Poland MAY 7-16, 2018

### SUMMARY

Day 1	Mon May 7	— outbound flights from Toronto. Overnight: Airplane
Day 2	Tues May 8	— Arrive Berlin. Berlin sites. Overnight: Wyndham Garden Mitte, Berlin
Day 3	Wed May 9	— Berlin. Overnight: Wyndham Garden Mitte, Berlin
Day 4	Thurs May 10	— Berlin —> Krakow by bus. Krakow sites. Overnight: Galaxy Hotel, Krakow
Day 5	Fri May 11	— Auschwitz-Birkenau. Overnight: Galaxy Hotel, Krakow
Day 6	Sat May 12	— Kazimierz/Podgorze/Rabka. Overnight: Galaxy Hotel, Krakow
Day 7	Sun May 13	— Krakow —> Warsaw. Overnight: Novotel Centrum, Warsaw
Day 8	Mon May 14	— Lublin and Majdanek. Overnight: Novotel Centrum, Warsaw
Day 9	Tues May 15	— Makow Mazowiecki and Treblinka. Overnight: Novotel Centrum, Warsaw
Day 10	Wed May 16	— return flights to Toronto

### Sunday MAY 6

**7:00-9:00 PM** Pre-Orientation Session

**Overnight:** Crowne Plaza Toronto Airport Hotel, 33 Carlson Ct, Etobicoke, ON M9W 6H5

### DAY 1: Monday MAY 7

Orientation at Crowne Plaza Toronto Airport Hotel

Transfer to Pearson Airport

Outbound flights: LH 471 07MAY YYZ FRA 625P 800A +1  
LH 178 08MAY FRA TXL 945A 1055A

### DAY 2: Tuesday MAY 8

Arrive in Berlin.

**Afternoon:** Walking Tour:

- Scheunenviertel: Oranienburger Strasse Synagogue, Grosse Hamburger Strasse, Jewish cemetery with grave of Moses Mendelssohn, site of Jewish Home for the Aged, Stolpersteine (Stumbling blocks), "The Missing House" memorial, Rosenthaler Straße 39 (outside only: Otto Weidt Workshop for the Blind, Silent Heroes Memorial Centre
- Neue Wache War Memorial (Mother and Son)

- Bebelplatz, site of the infamous 1933 Nazi book burning
  - Brandenburg Gate and Reichstag
  - Tiergarten: (1) memorial to gay victims & (2) Roma and Sinti memorial
- Evening:**
- 7:00 PM Welcome at Hotel before dinner
  - 7:30 PM Dinner at the Hotel
- Overnight:** **Wyndham Garden Mitte**, Osloer Str. 116A, 13359 Berlin

**DAY 3: Wednesday MAY 9 – full day with Prof. Mattias Hass**

- Morning:**
- Bayerische Platz
  - Track 17: Memorial at Grunewald Train Station
  - Wannsee Haus
- Lunch:** on own
- Afternoon:**
- Topography of Terror Museum
  - Memorial to the Murdered Jews of Europe and Museum
  - Optional walk along Mauer Memorial
- Dinner:** On Own
- Overnight:** **Wyndham Garden Mitte**, Osloer Str. 116A, 13359 Berlin

**MAY 4 Thursday MAY 10**

- Morning:** Depart for Krakow, Poland by coach
- Lunch:** En route on own.
- Afternoon:** Arrive Krakow.
- Walking tour Kazimierz
- Remuh Synagogue & Cemetery
- Podgorze:
- Area of ghetto
  - Pharmacy
- Dinner:** Hotel or restaurant/TBC
- Overnight:** **Galaxy Hotel**, Gęsia 22A, 31-535 Kraków

**DAY 5 Friday MAY 11**

- Morning:** Guided visit Auschwitz I
- Lunch:** pizza lunch on own and visit to Auschwitz Jewish Center
- Afternoon:** Visit Birkenau
- Memorial Ceremony in Birkenau
- Dinner:** Shabbat Dinner in Kazimierz
- Overnight:** **Galaxy Hotel**, Gęsia 22A, 31-535 Kraków

**DAY 6 Saturday May 12**

- Morning:** Visit Plaszow
- Visit Rabka
- Lunch:** boxed lunch
- Afternoon:** Return to Krakow. Meeting with Righteous (health permitting)
- Free Time
- Dinner:** near Rynek Główny/Market Square in Old Town
- Overnight:** **Galaxy Hotel**, Gęsia 22A, 31-535 Kraków

**DAY 7                      Sunday May 13**

**Morning:** Depart for Warsaw  
Stop in Kielce (time permitting)  
**Lunch:** Lunch on own - on way  
**Afternoon:** 3:00 pm Arrive in Warsaw  
• Umschlagplatz Heroes Walk, Mila 18, Rapoport Monument, Museum of the History of Polish Jews  
**7:30-8:30** Dinner on own  
**Overnight:** **Novotel Centrum**, Marszałkowska 94, 00-510 Warszawa

**DAY 8                      Monday May 14**

**Morning:** Drive to Lublin  
**Lunch:** on own in Lublin and guided walk through Old Lublin  
**Afternoon:** Visit Majdanek  
**Dinner:** Restaurant, Warsaw  
**Overnight:** **Novotel Centrum**, Marszałkowska 94, 00-510 Warszawa

**DAY 9                      Tuesday May 15**

**Morning:** Drive to Makow Mazowiecki  
10:00 AM - 1:00 PM – meeting with students in Makow  
**Lunch:** packed lunch  
**Afternoon:** Visit Treblinka  
Return to Warsaw  
**Evening:** Final Dinner at hotel  
Closing Group Gathering  
**Overnight:** **Novotel Centrum**, Marszałkowska 94, 00-510 Warszawa

**DAY 10                     Wednesday May 16**

Return flights  
LH 1347 23MAY WAW FRA 1020P 1205P  
LH 470 23MAY FRA YYZ 1405P 1630P