

Tragedy and Testimony

A Day of Learning for Teachers

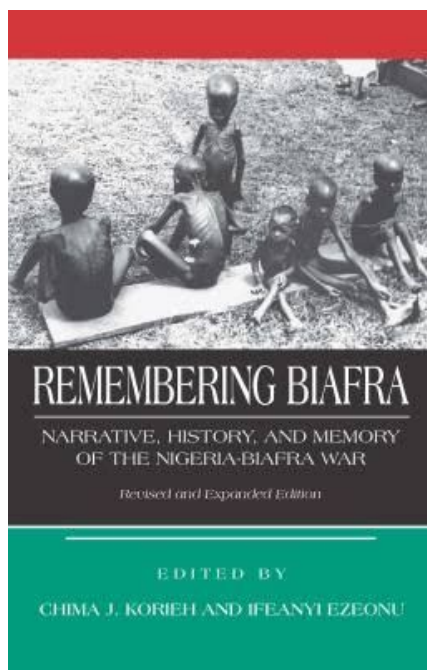
April 8th, 2018, 8:00 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.
David & Valerie Black Room
Lakeland University

'Tragedy and Testimony' will provide an opportunity for educators to learn about topics related to genocide and persecution while generating opportunities to develop methods for addressing these important issues in class.

BREAKFAST and LUNCH WILL BE SERVED

**PARTICIPANTS
WILL RECEIVE
A FREE BOOK:**

**REMEMBERING
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edited by **DR.
CHIMA KORIEH**



Speakers include:

Dr. Dan Haumschild - Holocaust Education Fellow at Cardinal Stritch University and the Nathan and Esther Pelz Holocaust Education Resource Center

Dr. Chima Korieh - Professor of History at Marquette University

Dr. Katherine Wilson - Executive Director of the Zeidler Center for Public Discussion



Schedule

8:00 - Registration and Breakfast

8:30 - Welcome

8:45 - *What is Genocide?* by Dr. Dan Haumschild

Dr. Haumschild will provide an introduction to the concept of genocide and highlight how a comparison of two distinct definitions can create fertile ground for classroom discussion.

9:45 - Break

10:00 - *Fighting on the 'Right Side'* by Dr. Chima Korieh

Participants will learn about Dr. Korieh's research about how fighting Nazi's impacted Africans, who were subjects of colonial rule during WWII. This talk will demonstrate the benefits of seeing a variety of angles during conversations of good and evil.

11:30 - Lunch

12:15 - *Narrating Disaster* by Dr. Katherine Wilson

The Executive Director of the Zeidler Center for Public Discussion will talk about the way that narratives about the tragic past are exchanged and altered. The conversation is especially pertinent in an era of 'fake news'.

1:45 - Break

2:00 - Workshop

Participants will be provided an opportunity to work with colleagues and generate ideas about how to integrate the day's lessons into their own classrooms. Attention will be paid to both curricular and pedagogical challenges.

3:30 - Closing Remarks

