

## Outline of Seminar Topics: June 25, 2017-July 21, 2017

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- 6/25 Welcome Dinner at Seminar Director's home (Sunday)
- 6/26 Introduction to Seminar Topics and Materials; The Biography of Hannah Arendt, Presentation by Seminar Director.
- 6/27 *Eichmann in Jerusalem: A Political Trial?*
- 6/28 Eichmann's Thoughtlessness and the Final Solution.
- 6/29 *Eichmann* and the Question of Responsibility.  
(Afternoon Workshop with Celia Bland, MAT)
- 6/30 Guest Lecture: Ada Ushpiz, *Vita Activa: The Spirit of Hannah Arendt*, the making of a documentary about the "banality of evil."

### WEEK II

- 7/3, 7/5 The Jewish Question, Racism, and Development of European Nationalism, *OT*, pp. ix-74
- 7/6 The "Perversion of Political into Social Equality": On the Concepts of Pariah and Parvenu, *OT*, 75-155.
- 7/7 Imperialism, the Disintegration of the Nation-State and Rise of Racism, *OT*, pp. 167-286.

### WEEK III

- 7/10 Imperialism, the Disintegration of the Nation-State and Rise of Racism (continued), *OT*, pp. 167-286.
- 7/11 The Pan Movements: the Development of a Global Ideology, pp. 287-340.
- 7/12 The End of the Rights of Man and the Problem of Statelessness, *OT*, pp. 341-

384.

- 7/13 Guest Lecture: Dr. Ayten Gündođdu, *Rightlessness in an Age of Rights: Hannah Arendt and the Contemporary Struggles of Migrants*.
- 7/14 Mass Society and the Social Foundations of Totalitarianism, *OT*, pp. 407-449

#### **WEEK IV**

- 7/17 Ideology and Propaganda: Psychological Foundations, *OT*, pp. 450-506.
- 7/18-7/19 Totalitarian Power, Terror and the Possibility of Politics, *OT*, pp. 507-616.
- 7/20 Seminar Presentations
- 7/21 Seminar Presentations
- 7/21 Reflections on the Seminar; Closing Dinner