



The Lemkin Reunion

October 15–16, 2014 | Budapest, Hungary

Long before the Holocaust, Raphael Lemkin had led a campaign to get the world to recognize atrocity crimes. While the crimes in Europe were underway he coined the word “genocide” and pressed for action to bring its perpetrators to account. The Holocaust claimed the lives of 49 members of his family. His response to the tragedy was to push tirelessly for the adoption of the Convention against Genocide at the United Nations. The Lemkin Reunion honors his life and work by bringing together those who survived and those who responded. At this inaugural event, the speakers will discuss the personal and policy implications of the Rwandan Genocide that took place 20 years ago.

Wednesday, 15 October

Venue: Open Society Archives, Arany János utca 32

5.00 – 6.00 pm Tour of the Open Society Archives and presentation of materials on Rwanda

6.00 – 8.00 pm **Film screening: ‘WATCHERS OF THE SKY,’**
new documentary about Raphael Lemkin

Followed by a reception

Thursday, 16 October

Venue: Central European University, Nádor utca 9, Auditorium

5.30 – 7.30 pm **Panel discussion**

The global, national, and personal implications of the **Rwandan Genocide**

MODERATOR: Robert Templer

SPEAKERS: Jean-Damascene Gasanabo | Ian Martin

Esther Mujawayo | Charles Petrie

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