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## Scandinavia During the Holocaust Years

Lecture by Cami Hofstadter, Ph.D.

Tuesday, September 16, 2014 | 6:30 PM | Jewish Museum of Florida-FIU

301 Washington Ave., Miami Beach

Former Honorary Consul of Finland in South Florida, **Dr. Cami Hofstadter** will examine the role each Scandinavian country played during the Holocaust—from Norway's inability to prevent its Jewish citizens from deportation to concentration camps, to Denmark's heroic attempts to save its Jewish citizens, to Sweden's dubious "neutrality" where, on one hand, it abetted the Nazis and on the other provided a haven for Jewish refugees; and Finland's refusal, while fighting alongside Nazi Germany against the Soviet Union, to deliver its Jewish citizens for deportation. Dr. Hofstadter is an educator, writer, lawyer and retired diplomat. She received her Ph.D. from Barry University and has law degrees from both the University of Miami and the University of Helsinki. A member of Finland's Swedish-speaking minority, Dr. Hofstadter was born in post-World War II Helsinki. She lectures regularly on a variety of topics, including themes related to the Second World War, the Holocaust, diplomacy and consular service, parliamentary law and school law. She has authored a number of publications; her most recent book is *The Foreign Consuls Among Us: A Guide to Citizen Diplomacy* (Seagreen Press, 2013).

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