



**HOLOCAUST DOCUMENTATION AND EDUCATION CENTER, INC.**  
A LIVING MEMORIAL THROUGH EDUCATION

**2009-2010 ANNUAL VISUAL ARTS AND WRITING CONTEST**

**The Holocaust: What Has It Taught Me?**

Contest Dates: September 1, 2009 through April 15, 2010

**Elementary School – Grades 4-5**  
**Middle School – Grades 6-8**  
**High School – Grades 9-12**  
**Colleges and Universities**

**Writing Contest**

Students can submit poetry, an essay, or a story – avoid research papers. Limit 1,000 words. Written entries must be typed and double spaced on one side of the paper.

**Visual Arts Contest**

Students can submit any media including sculpture, computer graphic design, collage, music, power points, and painting.



Lynn Sarnow – 1987 Winner



Donnatoni Zawackis – 2009 Winner

**Entries must have an index card indicating name, home address, home phone, grade, name of school, school address, and teacher. Please have student print clearly. Each entry must represent the original effort of the writer and/or artist.**

**Awards**

**First Place Winner** in each category will receive a **\$250 U.S. Savings Bond**.

All entries will receive a Certificate of Merit if they include their home address.

**Winners will be announced May 1, 2010.**

**Deliver or mail entries to:**

Ms. Merle R. Saferstein, Director of Educational Outreach  
Holocaust Documentation and Education Center, Inc.  
2031 Harrison Street, Hollywood, FL 33020 954-929-5690 x206  
Written entries can be emailed to merle@hdec.org

The Center reserves the right to reproduce, publish, and exhibit all entries. The winning entries will become the exclusive property of the Holocaust Documentation and Education Center. Those entries which are not awarded prizes may be picked up by June 15, 2010 or they, too, become property of the Center.