Norman J.W. Goda to Present ‘Nazi War Criminals, U.S. Intelligence and the Cold War’ as FAU’s Korf Lecture

BOCA RATON, Fla. (February 13, 2015) — Norman J.W. Goda, Ph.D., will deliver the seventh biennial Frank and Rita Korf Memorial Lecture titled “Nazi War Criminals, U.S. Intelligence and the Cold War,” at Florida Atlantic University on Wednesday, March 18 at 3:30 p.m. at the Wimberly Library, 777 Glades Road, Boca Raton campus. The lecture, sponsored by FAU Libraries and FAU’s Department of History, is free and open to the public.

Goda, the Norman and Irma Braman Professor of Holocaust Studies at the University of Florida, specializes in the history of the Holocaust, war crimes trials and 20th century diplomacy. He is the author of “Tomorrow the World: Hitler, Northwest Africa and the Path toward America,” “Tales from Spandau: Nazi Criminals and the Cold War” and “The Holocaust: Europe, the World and the Jews.” Goda received his Ph.D. from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill and has been a consultant to the U.S. and German governments, as well as for various radio, television and film documentaries in the U.S. Europe and Israel.

The endowed speaker series, established by the late World War II veteran, lawyer and philanthropist K. Frank Korf and his late wife, Rita Korf, brings to campus distinguished scholars to discuss the impact of worldwide historical events, including the rise of Nazism, World War II and the Holocaust.

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