



## MEDIA INVITATION

**Join Friends of Simon Wiesenthal Center and Moriah Films,  
two-time Academy Award® winning studio,  
for Ottawa premiere of  
*“Against the Tide”***

Human lives sold for \$50. Rabbis marching on Washington. Epic battles between America’s Jewish communities. These are just three of the realities documented with finesse and clarity in the latest production of Moriah Films, the documentary film division of Friends of Simon Wiesenthal Center.

The film, narrated by Dustin Hoffman, documents the story of what happened in the United States and Canada during the Holocaust. It serves to remind us what can happen if we sit idle while horrific acts take place around the world.

**WHAT:** Invitation for media to attend the official Ottawa premiere of *“Against the Tide”* in the company of community leaders, government, donors, patrons and fellow citizens engaged in art, culture, history and learning from the past.

**WHEN:** Monday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2009  
7:30 p.m. Opening remarks  
7:40 p.m. Screening, followed by dessert reception

Note: Interviews with Mr. Avi Benlolo, president of FSWC and select dignitaries will be offered during previews, as movie begins

**WHERE:** National Library and Archives Canada  
395 Wellington Street  
Ottawa, Ontario

**WHO:** Leadership from the Friends of Simon Wiesenthal Center, various Members of Parliament and Senators will be in attendance

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