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## "INTERGENERATIONAL TRAUMA: Struggling With A Painful Legacy" A Talk by Iris Dorbian April 1, 2019 11:00 am - 12:30 pm Room TEC-128 BC

**Iris Dorbian** is a professional journalist, author, editor and blogger whose credits include the *Wall* Street Journal, Forbes, Venture Capital Journal, Buyouts, Investopedia, DMNews, Jerusalem Report, the Forward, Playbill, Backstage, Theatermania, Live Design, Media Industry Newsletter and PR News. From 1999 to 2007, Iris was the editor-in-chief of Stage Directions. She is the author of "Great Producers: Visionaries of the American Theater," which was published by Allworth Press/Skyhorse Publishing in August 2008; and of a coming-of-age novel inspired by her father's experiences as a 14-year-old Holocaust survivor living in a DP camp in Germany after World War II. Her personal essays have been published in *Blue Lyra Review, B O D Y, Embodied Effigies, Jewish Literary Journal, Diverse Voices Quarterly, Adanna Literary Journal, ThisSpace.org, Skirt*! and *Gothesque Magazine*. Iris is the daughter, granddaughter and niece of Holocaust survivors. She has spoken and written frequently about her father's Holocaust experiences and the effects his trauma had on her and her family.



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