



ITINERARY

A unique mission exploring Jewish involvement in the Civil Rights struggle in America

Mission Chairs:

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HOTEL INFORMATION

MONTGOMERY:

RENAISSANCE HOTEL
201 Tallapoosa St
Montgomery, AL 36104

BIRMINGHAM:

HILTON UAB
808 20th St South
Birmingham, AL 35205

ATLANTA:

**CANOPY BY HILTON
MIDTOWN**
1414 West Peachtree St
Atlanta, GA 30309

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 15, 2023 | MONTGOMERY

DAY 1

NOON

Depart Atlanta Airport for Montgomery, Alabama.

Equal Justice Initiative’s Memorial

Witness the first national memorial for victims of lynching.

Equal Justice Initiative Legacy Museum

Explore the evolution of racial oppression from slavery to mass incarceration.

Check into hotel

Dinner and evening program at nationally known destination Martha’s Place.

Leo Frank Story and discussion of Jewish involvement in Civil Rights movement

Hear the story of Leo Frank, a New York Jew who moved to Atlanta, falsely convicted of murder and lynched. This has impacted the identity of Jews in the South since it occurred in 1915.

Overnight: Renaissance Hotel, Downtown Montgomery

MONDAY, OCTOBER 16, 2023 | SELMA, BIRMINGHAM

DAY 2

Breakfast at hotel

8:30 AM

Leave hotel

Montgomery and Rosa Parks

Discuss what was happening in America in 1955 that we began to grapple with integration. Why Montgomery and why Rosa Parks.

Rosa Parks Museum

Stand where the Civil Rights movement began and learn about the Montgomery Bus Boycott.

Lunch on own in downtown Montgomery

Depart for Selma

Tour Selma & The Edmund Pettus Bridge

Meet with someone who was beaten on the march. Hear her story. Learn about Rabbi Abraham Joshua Heschel and his involvement in the struggle.

Depart for Birmingham

5:00 PM

Check into hotel

Dinner and program at the Beth El Civil Rights Experience with Birmingham’s local Jewish community.

Overnight: Hilton UAB, Downtown Birmingham

Breakfast at hotel

8:00 AM Leave hotel

Birmingham and walking tour of Freedom Park & 16th Street Baptist Church

Get a walking tour by a Reverend who was a Civil Rights worker in Birmingham in the 50s & 60s. See the historic church where four girls died in a bombing.

Birmingham Civil Rights Institute

Explore museum about the Civil Rights movement.

Lunch on own at Pizitz Food Hall

Depart for Atlanta

5:00 PM Arrive at Atlanta hotel

EVENING: Final dinner at the Jewish Federation of Greater Atlanta

Overnight: Canopy Hotel, Midtown Atlanta

Breakfast at hotel

8:30 AM Leave hotel

King Center, Auburn Avenue and Ebenezer Church

Tour the neighborhood that Dr. King grew up in, hear about historic Auburn Avenue, and see old Ebenezer Church where Dr. King often preached.

Meet with Julie Rhode

End the mission by meeting expert Julie Rhode. Learn how MASS Design works to tell our historical narrative of injustice and how we can tell our personal story to create the change we want to see.

11:00 AM Depart for Atlanta Airport
(flights should depart after 1:45 PM)

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*Please note that the itinerary is subject to change based on timing, weather and security considerations.