

2019 Interfaith Holocaust Commemoration to Present “Survival in the Shadows: Hidden Children of the Holocaust”

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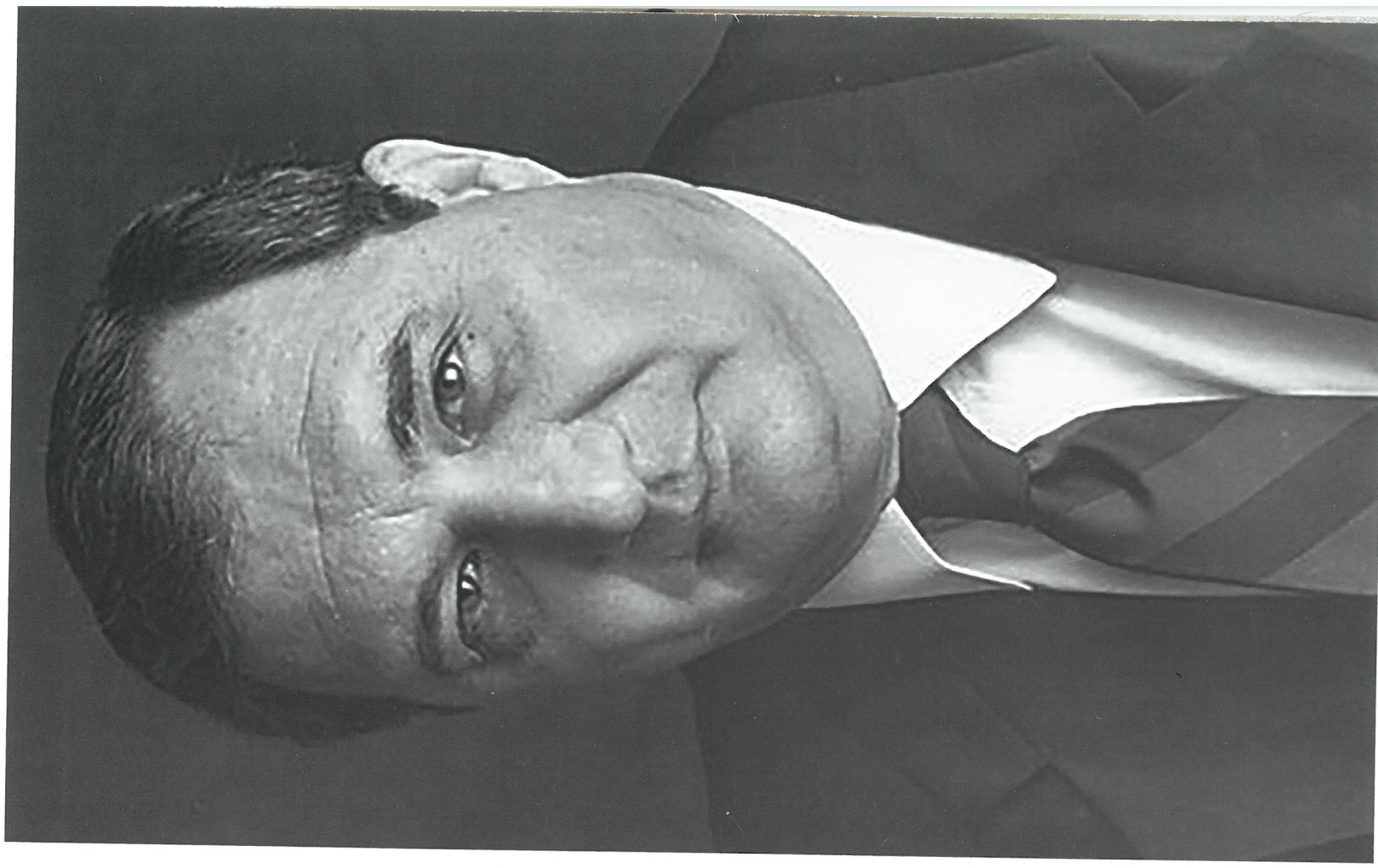
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Mr. Foxman is National Director Emeritus of the Anti-Defamation League (ADL). He retired from the ADL in 2015, having served a total of 50 years with the organization, including serving as National Director from 1987 through July 2015.

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