



EJA BOOTCAMP | COPENHAGEN | 25-26 MAY 2026

“Navigating the Storm”

VENUE: Chabad House, Ole Suhrs Gade 10, 1354 København K

A two-day intensive training for young Jewish activists from across Europe. At a time when Jewish communities face growing pressure, this boot camp is designed to equip participants with the tools, confidence and network needed to respond, lead and act.

SPEAKERS

David Lega

Secretary General of the European Jewish Association, former Member of the European Parliament. David brings first-hand experience from political advocacy at the highest level, combined with a deeply personal commitment to Jewish life in Europe.

Ralph Pais

Senior media professional and EJA Ambassador. Ralph has extensive experience working with journalists and shaping narratives in complex and often hostile environments.

Juan Caldes

Public Affairs Advocacy Manager at EJA. Juan works closely with political and media landscapes across Europe, with a focus on understanding and responding to anti-Israel and antisemitic narratives.

Meital Nahmias

Digital Communications Manager at EJA. Meital leads EJA's online presence and works at the forefront of social media strategy, helping translate complex issues into clear and impactful messaging.

*(*HOTEL ADDRESS: Generator Hotel, Adelgade 5-7, 1304 Copenhagen)*

25 May 2026

12.00 Arrival & Lunch

13.00 BLOCK 1 - SEMINAR: UNDERSTANDING THE BATTLEFIELD

David Lega

14.15 BREAK

14.30 BLOCK 2 - WORKSHOP: THE DIGITAL FRONTLINE

Meital Nahmias

16.00 BREAK

16.15 BLOCK 3 - MEDIA TRAINING: STAYING IN CONTROL UNDER PRESSURE

Ralph Pais

18.00 END OF DAY SESSIONS

19.00 DINNER & SOCIAL EVENING

An opportunity to connect in a more informal setting and strengthen relationships across countries and communities.

26 May 2026

08.00 BREAKFAST & INFORMAL CHECK-IN

09.00 BLOCK 4 - WORKSHOP: COMBATING CONTEMPORARY ANTISEMITISM

Juan Caldes

10.45 BREAK

11.00 ADVOCACY IN A HOSTILE ENVIRONMENT: SIMULATION & PRACTICE

Led by David Lega, Ralph Pais, Juan Caldes and Meital Nahmias

12.30 LUNCH

13.30 CLOSING SESSION

David Lega

14.00 END OF BOOT CAMP

