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Background

Beit Haedut, built by Holocaust survivors from Nir Galim almost 30 years ago is a museum and educational center commemorating the Holocaust. Every year Beit Haedut hosts tens of thousands of students, police officers and others who come to learn about the Holocaust, meet the survivors and connect with the subject.

Recently, the museum obtained a train car from Germany that was used to transport Jews to the extermination camps.

Project Need

The Centre's educational staff is interested in allowing groups to get into the car and connect to their feelings and emotions. The car must now be prepared for group visits.

A landscape architect will plan the development of the area around the car and the ascent and accessibility into it. The entire project will be accessible and safe.



The area will form an open-air museum as part of Beit Haedut. The project components include:

- Creating a square with shade for gatherings and seating for personal reflection
- Stabilization of the soil with rocks and vegetation
- A ramp to the car utilizing steel and wood
- Outdoor lighting for the car and the rest of the development area
- Fencing with a gate and metal cables to prevent random access
- Explanatory signage

The Council for the Preservation of Heritage Sites in Israel will also contribute to the renovation of the car and its protection against the ravages of time.

The price of the project includes planning a landscape architect.

Project Cost | \$55,000