



## **United States Mission to the OSCE**

### **Closing Statement Right of Reply**

As delivered by Director Michael Murphy  
at the 2017 OSCE Human Dimension Implementation Meeting  
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I would like to exercise my right of reply in response to the Russian Federation. The Russian federation made a number of outrageous assertions. My closing remarks addressed some of them, but I would like to make one additional point.

The United States condemns the glorification of Nazism, and all modern forms of racism, xenophobia, and related intolerance. However, we will not support efforts that deliberately distort history, that are motivated by politics, and which call for unacceptable limits on the fundamental freedom of expression.

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