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Blanka Rosenstiel
Lecture Series on Poland

Spies in My Blood

Secrets of a Polish Family's Fight
Against Nazis & Communists

A Presentation by
Alex Storozynski

Tuesday, April 8
3:30 PM - 4:45 PM

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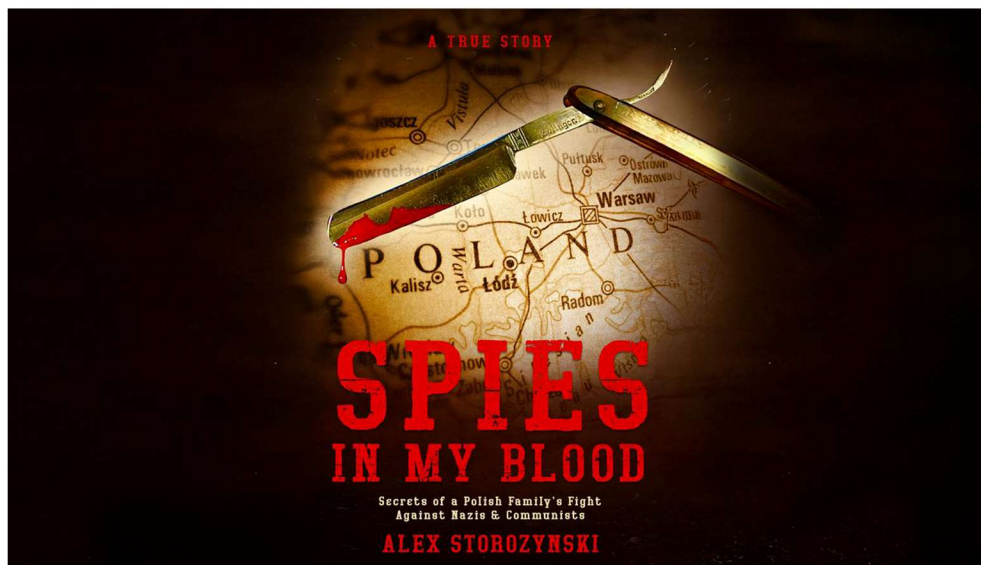
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Join the Green School for a conversation with author Alex Storozynski as he discusses his powerful memoir, *Spies In My Blood*. This true story follows two brothers raised in New York by World War II exiles, each embarking on a separate mission to infiltrate the Communist secret police in Poland and uncover the truth about their family's legacy of soldiers, spies, and assassins. Storozynski recounts his own journey behind the Iron Curtain, where his investigative work on Polish dissidents led to him being declared an "enemy of the state." *Spies In My Blood* offers a compelling exploration of the untold atrocities of World War II and the Cold War, and the urgent lessons history provides to prevent repeating its darkest moments.

Spies in My Blood will be available for sale at the event, and the author will be signing copies. We will also be serving refreshments, including delicious Polish sweets. This event is part of the Blanka Rosenstiel Lecture Series on Poland.

GUEST SPEAKER

Alex Storozynski is a Pulitzer Prize-winning journalist, award-winning author, filmmaker and President Emeritus and Chairman of the Board of the Kosciuszko Foundation. He authored *The Peasant Prince: Thaddeus Kosciuszko and the Age of Revolution*, which won multiple awards, including the Fraunces Tavern Book Award. Storozynski also directed the PBS documentary *Kosciuszko: A Man Ahead of His Time*. A former editorial board member at the *New York Daily News*, his work has appeared in top publications like *The Wall Street Journal* and *The New York Post*. Storozynski is a recipient of the Lech Wałęsa Media Award and was decorated with Poland's Gold Cross of Merit and Officer's Cross of Merit.