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Sunday, 24 June 2012

Graduate Students workshop
10:00-14:45

Board Meeting
15:00 – 17:30

Board Dinner [only for Board members]
17:30-18:30

Board Meeting (Cont.)
18:30-20:45
MONDAY, June 25, 2012

Registration: 8:00-18:00

SESSION A: 9:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.

MA1 Perspectives on Recent Immigration to Israel            Room 323

Chair: Craig D. Smith, University of Toronto, craigdamian.smith@utoronto.ca

Israel Pupko, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, israel.pupko@gmail.com

Avinu Shevashamayim – On Religious Practices and Identity/Identification or Transnational Immigrants to Israel

Sibylle Heilbrunn, sibylleh@ruppin.ac.il
Rachel Brown, Ruppin Academic Center, racheltamarbrown@gmail.com

Repeat Migration and Multicultural Identity: The Case of Soviet-born American Immigrants and the Choice to Stay in Israel

Ilan Riss, Central Bureau of Statistics, ilanriss@hotmail.com

Migration Streams and Immigrants' Organizations: The Aliya from the USA and the USSR/FSU

Esther Schely-Newman, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, msetti@mscc.huji.ac.il

Boeing Aliya: Reflections on the Recent Migration of French Jews to Israel

MA2 Israeli Writers Shaping Historical Memory            Room 324

Chair: Eran Kaplan, San Francisco State University, erank@sfsu.edu

Glenda Abramson, University of Oxford, glenda.abramson@stx.ox.ac.uk

Harm and the Grotesque: Edna Mazya’s Herod.

Michael Keren, University of Calgary, mkeren@ucalgary.ca

Tchernichowsky's Reconstruction of the Mainz Massacre in the First Crusade

Rachel F. Brenner, University of Wisconsin-Madison, brenner@wisc.edu

Transgressing the Zionist Mindset: Lea Goldberg, Ruth Almog, and Shulamit Hareven’s Responses to the Holocaust

Rafi Weichert, University of Haifa, rweichert@univ.haifa.ac.il

Remembering Recent History: Aryeh Sivan and the First Intifada
MA3  Round Table: Cognitive Warfare in Asymmetric Conflicts: Journalism and the Arab-Israel Conflict  Room 322

Discussant:  Menahem Blondheim, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, mblond@huji.ac.il
Richard Landes, Boston University, rlandes@bu.edu
Gabriel Weimann, University of Haifa, gweimann@univ.haifa.ac.il
Elie Isaacson, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, elieisaacson@gmail.com
Tamar Sternhall, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, tamar@camera.org
Charles Levinson, Wall Street Journal Middle East Correspondent, charles.levinson@gmail.com

MA4 Confessions, Narratives and Taboos in Contemporary Israeli Culture  Room 201

Chair: Jochai Rosen, University of Haifa, jochai.rosen@gmail.com
Carol Zemel, York University, czemel@yorku.ca

Coming Clean: Ventriloquism and Identity in Roee Rosen’s Confessions

Janice Fernheimer, University of Kentucky, jfernheimer@uky.edu

“It’s More Complicated than That”: Confessing the ‘Conflict’ and Coming of Age in Women’s Graphic Representations of Israel

Rachel S. Harris, University of Illinois, rsharris@illinois.edu

The Confessional Form: Speech and Silence in Joseph Cedar’s Medurat Hashevet (Campfire, 2004)

MA5  Defending and Criticizing Israel from the Outside: The Struggle over Israel Advocacy among Diaspora Jews  Room 208

Chair: Shmuel Rosner, Carleton University, rosner@shmuelrosner.com
Discussant: Yossi Shain, Carleton University, ys7@georgetown.edu
Dov Waxman, Baruch College, City University of New York, dow.waxman@gmail.com

How Big is the Tent? Criticizing Israel and the Challenge of Political Pluralism in the American Jewish Community

Brent Sasley, University of Texas at Arlington, bsasley@uta.edu
Mira Sucharov Carleton University, sucharov@hotmail.com

Identities at War: The Role of Israel in Diaspora Jewish Advocacy

Jeremy Pressman, University of Connecticut, jeremy.pressman@uconn.edu

The Conflict Will Be Televised: The History of the Arab-Israeli Conflict in Two Video Series

Mira Sucharov, Carleton University, sucharov@hotmail.com
Brent Sasley, University of Texas at Arlington, bsasley@uta.edu

Blogging Identities on Israel/Palestine: Public Intellectuals and their Audiences

MA6 Multicultural Schisms in Israeli Society Room 114

Chair: Raphael Cohen-Almagor, University of Hull, R.Cohen-Almagor@hull.ac.uk

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Accommodating the Palestinians on Both Sides of the Fence

Orit Ichilov, Tel Aviv University, ichilov@post.tau.ac.il

Together and Apart: Arab Education in Israel

Asa Kasher, Tel Aviv University, asakasher@hotmail.com

Ultra-Orthodoxy in Israel: A Story of Careful Integration

Yitzhak Reiter, Ashkelon Academic College, msreit@mscc.huji.ac.il
Nancy Kobrin, Independent Scholar, nhkobrin@mac.com
The Roots of Increasing Religious In-tolerance in Israel: Safed, Nazareth, and Beit Shemesh

MA7 Holocaust Memorialization and Art in Israel Room 206

Chair: Noam Zadoff, University of Munich, noam.zadoff@lrz.uni-muenchen.de

Liat Steir Livny, The Open University of Israel, liatsl@openu.ac.il

Alternative Paths in the Collective Memory: The New Holocaust Memorial Day Ceremonies

Yohai Cohen, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, yohai.cohen@mail.huji.ac.il


Batya Brutin, Beit Berl College, batyab@netvision.net.il

Holocaust, Zionism and Israeliness in Israeli Art
Edna Nahshon, Jewish Theological Seminary, ednahshon@gmail.com

The Diary of Anne Frank: from Broadway to Tel Aviv

MA8 Political Leadership During Israel’s First Decade Room 115

Chair: Yechiam Weitz, University of Haifa, yandaweitz@walla.com

Hagai Tsoref, Israel State Archives, hagai@archives.gov.il

Golda Meyerson (Meir) as Israel’s Minister of Labor, 1949-1956: The Ministry of Labor Copes with the Challenges of Immigrant Absorption

Arnon Lammfromm, Israel State Archives, arnonl@archives.gov.il

“For the poor shall never cease out of the land” (Deuteronomy, 15: 11): Levi Eshkol’s Attitude towards Social Problems during Israel’s Early Years

Lior Inbar, University of Haifa, Li_inbar@evron.co.il

Yigal Allon’s Entry into Politics

Ofira Gurweis-Kovalsky, University of Haifa, Ofira1000@bezeqint.net

An Ambivalent Relation – Dr. Israel Shaib Eldad and Menachem Begin

MA9 Reexamination of the Israeli Judiciary Room 019

Chair: Elise Burton, Harvard University, ekburton@fas.harvard.edu

Eitan Barak, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, eitanbarak@mscc.huji.ac.il

Israel's Supreme Court and the Law of Weaponry: Some Reflections following the 2011 Petition over the Use of WP-Based Smokescreen Munitions in Populated Areas

Hadas Tagari, Bar-Ilan Univeristy, hadastag@zahav.net.il

Israel's Family Law System as the Perpetuator of a Fractured Constitutional Order

Itai Reggev, Tel Aviv University, itaire@gmail.com

A Liberal Court? What is the True Nature of the Political Theory of the Israeli Supreme Court Rulings

MA10 Economy in the Yishuv and the State of Israel Room 008

Chair: Ron Gerlitz??? Doron Navot?

Roby Nathanson, The Macro Center for Political Economics, roby@macro.org.il

Ultra-Orthodox Jews and the Arab Minority in the Israeli Labor Market

Ilan Talmud, University of Haifa, talmud@soc.haifa.ac.il
The Social Organization of Venture Capital Industry in Israel: Preliminary Results

Jacob Jaffe, Georgetown University, jdj37@georgetown.edu

Understanding Zionism’s Ideological Foundations in Light of the 'New History': The Case of Yishuv Economic Policy, 1900-1948

Guy Ben Porat, Ben-Gurion University of the Negev, gbp@som.bgu.ac.il

From Temple to the Market: Secularization of Israeli Society

MA11 Bursting the Bubble: Investigating Diversity and Adversity in South Tel Aviv
Room 010

Chair: Maya Shapiro, York University, shapiro.maya@gmail.com

Discussant: Adriana Kemp, Tel Aviv University, akemp@post.tau.ac.il

Fiona Wright, University of Cambridge, fcw28@cam.ac.uk

On Social Wounds and Healing: Mizrahim, Smolanim, and Activist Ethics

Maya Shapiro, York University, shapiro.maya@gmail.com

The Development of a Privileged Underclass, Migrant Workers and Undocumented People in South Tel Aviv

Gabrielle Berlinger, Indiana University, gaberlin@unmail.iu.edu

Competing for Care: Social and Spatial Struggles in Schunat HaTikvah

Mary Loitsker, Tel Aviv University, mary.loitsker@gmail.com

“We Don’t Need Your Help, Go Home!”: Gentrification and the Right of Activism in Harsh Realities

MA12 Religious Zionism: Between Integration and Separation (A) Room 209

Chair: Yoel Wachtel, Georgetown University, yw9@georgetown.edu

Ilan Fuchs, University of Calgary, ilan_25@hotmail.com

The Yeshiva as a Political Institution

Oren Steinitz, University of Calgary, oren.z.steinitz@ucalgary.ca

Religious Zionism – Between Integration and Enclavism: The Attitude towards State Conversions on National Religious Halakhic Websites

Alexander Kaye, Columbia University, alk2123@gmail.com
One Society or Many? Religious Zionist Approaches to Non-Jewish Israelis

MA13 Back to the Land: Ethiopian Narratives of Homecoming  
Room 206

Chair: Duki Dror, Filmmaker and independent scholar, duki.dror@gmail.com  
Yael Munk, The Open University of Israel, munkyael@gmail.com

One Man’s Fight against Shame and Oblivion: “Across the River” (Duki Dror, 2009)

Adia Mendelson-Maoz, The Open University of Israel, adiamen@openu.ac.il

A Journey to "Yerushalem" – Israeli literature of Beta Israel

Screening of the Documentary - Across the River (2010) by Duki Dror (60 minutes)

MA14 Jewish-Arab Coexistence in Israel Examined – Senate hall, 29th Floor

Chair: Galia Golan, ggolan@idc.ac.il

Paula Kabalo, Ben-Gurion University, pkabalo@bgu.ac.il
Hadara Bar-Mor, Netanya Academic College, barmorh@netvision.net.il


Hillel Gruenberg, New York University, hyg202@nyu.edu

"You're Still Here Too?" Continuity and Change in Israeli-Arab Policy after 1967

Maor Shani, Bremen International Graduate School of Social Sciences, mshani@bigss.bremen.de

Living Together, Coexisting Apart? Mutual Coexistence Orientations among Jews and Arabs in Israel

Alexandre (Sandy) Kedar, University of Haifa, sandy@law.haifa.ac.il

Indigenous Challenge to a Legal Doctrine: Bedouin Land Rights in Israel

Coffee Break: 10:30-11:00
SESSION B: 11:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

MB1  New Perspectives on the Palestinian-Jewish Conflict, 1920-1949  Room 209

Chair and Discussant: Hillel Cohen, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, hillel.cohen@yahoo.com

Tamir Goren, Bar-Ilan University, tamir.goren@biu.ac.il

The Riots of 1921 and their Impact on Relations Between Jews and Arabs in Jaffa: A Reappraisal

Itamar Radai, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, itamar.radai@mail.huji.ac.il

The Rise and Fall of the Palestinian Arab Middle Class under the British Mandate, 1920 – 1948

Mustafa Abbasi, Tel Hai Academic College, mustafa@adm.telhai.ac.il

A City in Distress: Nazareth and the Problem of Internal Arab Refugees, 1948-1949

MB2 Nationalism, Sacrifice, Identity, and the Military in Israeli Culture - Room 322

Chair: Rachel F. Brenner, University of Wisconsin-Madison, brenner@wisc.edu

Yael Feldman, New York University, yf1@nyu.edu

'Isaac and Ishmael’ Revisited: The Sibling Challenge to Israel’s Ethos of National Sacrifice

Yael Dekel, New York University, yd297@nyu.edu

"A World Left for its Silences": Silence and Infantile Nationalism in Yemey Ziklag

Shelly Shenhav-Keller, Beit Berl College, shellysk@bezeqint.net

Israeli Souvenir Dolls between Nationalism and Multiculturalism

MB3 The 1967 War, Then and Now  Room 206

Chair: Gershon Shafir, University of California, San Diego, gshafir@ucsd.edu

Joyce Dalsheim, University of North Carolina-Charlotte, Joyce.Dalsheim@uncc.edu

Anachronisms and Morals: Differentiating through Time in Israel/Palestine

Noam Zadoff, University of Munich, noam.zadoff@lrz.uni-muenchen.de

Moshe Shamir, the Israeli Labor Party and the Six Day War

Mordechai Schenhav, University of Strasbourg, mottischenhav@yahoo.fr

From Neutrality to Support – The Changing Attitude of the Socialist International Towards Israel During the May Crisis and the June 1967 War
MB4 Screens of Conflict: Visions of Israelis and Israeli-Palestinian Conflict in the Media and in Cinema  Room 019

Chair: Yaron Shemer, University of North Carolina, yshemer@email.unc.edu
Hananel Rosenberg, hananelr@yahoo.com
Ifat Maoz msifat@gmail.com, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem

“Meeting the Enemy”: The Reception of a Television Interview with a Female Palestinian Terrorist among Jewish Youth in Israel

Menahem Bondheim, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, mblond@huji.ac.il
Elad Segev, Tel Aviv University, eladseg@gmail.com

Why the Palestinian-Israeli Conflict Conquers Global Headlines: A Chapter in Journalistic Geosophy

Uta Larkey, Goucher College, ularkey@goucher.edu

Multilingualism in Current Israeli Cinema

MB5 New Research on the Zionist Thought of Ben-Gurion, the Revisionist Right and the Canaanite Movement  Room 201

Chair: Yechiam Weitz, University of Haifa, yandaweitz@walla.com
Ziv Rubinovitz, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, ziv.rubinovitz@gmail.com
Gerald Steinberg, Bar-Ilan University, Joshua.bacon@com

Menachem Begin’s Autonomy Plan: Between Political Realism and Ideology

Elchanan Shilo, Sapir College, elchshilo@gmail.com

The Zionist Roots of the Canaanite Movement

Avi Bareli, Ben-Gurion University of the Negev, abareli@bgu.ac.il

Spinoza and Ben-Gurion’s Zionism

Dan Tamir, Univeristy of Zürich, dantanir@access.uzh.ch

From a Fascist’s Notebook to the Principles of Rebirth: the Desire for Social Integration in Maximalist Revisionist Political Thought 1928-1942
MB6 Memory, Identity and Space in Zionist Thought and Israeli Culture  
Room 114

Chair and discussant: Michael Feige, Ben-Gurion University of the Negev  
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Yael Zerubavel, Rutgers University, vaelzeru@rci.rutgers.edu  
*Putting Numbers into Space: Memories, Identities, and the Art of Forgetting*

Arieh Saposnik, UCLA, asaposnik@humnet.ucla.edu  
*Space, Place and Theological Restoration in Zionism and Territorialism*

Vered Vinitzky-Seroussi, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, msvini@mscc.huji.ac.il  
*We Hereby Neglect: The Hall of Independence and the Internal Code of Israeli Commemoration*

Yifat Gutman, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, yifat.gutman@gmail.com  
*In the Footsteps: The Activist Walking Tour as a Meeting Place for Different Indexes of the Land*

MB7 Israeli Foreign Relations Reexamined  
Room 115

Chair: Shlomo Aronson, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, shlomo1@hotmail.com

Natan Aridan, Ben-Gurion University of the Negev, aridan@bgu.ac.il  
*Generations and Divergences in Ben-Gurion and Sharett’s Attitudes and Policies towards the Jewish Diaspora and their Repercussions Today*

Lior Sternfeld, The University of Austin, Texas, lior@utexas.edu  
*The Unexpected Allies: Mossadegh and the Israeli Right Wing*

Marcos Silber, University of Haifa, msilber@univ.haifa.ac.il  
*Strangers or Co-nationals? Israel, Poland, and Polish Jewry (1948-1967)*
MB8 Gender and the Shaping of Israeli Society Room 116

Chair: Lilach Rosenberg-Friedman, Bar-Ilan University, lilach.rosenberg@biu.ac.il

Bat-Sheva Margalit Stern, The Open University of Israel, bat7stern@gmail.com
‘With Malice to None’: Gender Struggles as a Means to Shape Israel’s New Sociopolitical Order

Esther Schely-Newman, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, msetti@mscc.huji.ac.il

Cradling a Baby, Holding a Pencil: A Gendered Literacy Campaign

Carmit Rosen, University of Haifa, rocenet@yahoo.com

Bridging Existence: The Language of Women's Yoga in Israel

MB9 Roundtable: Anti-Israelism in Higher Education Senate Hall, 29th hall

Chair: Richard Landes, Boston University, rlandes@bu.edu

Kenneth Marcus, Institute for Jewish & Community Research, klmarcus@aol.com

Tammi Rossman-Benjamin, University of California at Santa Cruz, tbenjami@uscs.edu

Richard Cravatts, Simmons College, Boston, rcravatts@aol.com

Edward Beck, Walden University, ScholarsforPeace@aol.com

Richard Landes, Boston University, rlandes@bu.edu

MB10 US-Israeli Relations during the Obama Administration Eshkol Tower, Floor 30th

Chair: Jonathan Rynhold, Bar-Ilan University, rynhold@mail.biu.ac.il

Discussant: Avi Ben-Zvi, University of Haifa, doreen@post.tau.ac.il

Zaki Shalom, Ben-Gurion University of the Negev, zakis@inss.org.il

US-Israeli Relations during the Obama Administration: The Netanyahu Government's Perspective

Robert O. Freedman, John Hopkins University, ofreedman@comcast.net

The Obama Administration and the Israeli-Palestinian Conflict: An American Perspective

Mitchell Bard, AICE, mitchellbard@gmail.com

Domestic Influences on the 2012 Presidential Election: Do the Arab and Israeli Lobbies Matter?

Jonathan Rynhold, Bar-Ilan University, rynhold@mail.biu.ac.il

Liberals, Democrats and Israel in the 21st Century
MB11 Haifa University’s School of the Arts as Shared Cultural Space Room 008

Chair: Orna Ben-Meir, Kibbutzim College, ornaben@gmail.com

Dorit Yerushalmi, University of Haifa, dorit100@walla.com

Playing in Diversity: Theatre Students on a Journey towards Multicultural Theatre

Eitan Steinberg and Etty Ben Zaken-Steinberg, University of Haifa, esteinberg@univ.haifa.ac.il

Bridges to the Unknown 'Other': Folk Material of Various Israeli Ethnic Communities as Artistic, Pedagogic and Social Bridges in Two Haifa University Courses

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Arabic and Hebrew in Dialogue – Israeli-Palestinian Directors Inventing New Forms of Theatrical Translation

MB12 Religious Zionism: Between Integration and Separation (B) Room 010

Chair: Alexander Kaye, Columbia University, alk2123@gmail.com

Elyakim Kislev, Columbia University, ek2629@columbia.edu

Acculturation of Religious Students in Non-Religious Schools: Towards a New Model of Integration

Yitzchak Roness, Bar-Ilan University, yroness@gmail.com

Democratic Ideals and the Rabbinate: The Gentile in Modern Israel – Recent Controversies and Historical Precedent

Yoel Wachtel, Georgetown University, yw9@georgetown.edu

From 'A Foundation of God's Throne' to a Symbol of Evil (qelipah): The Shift in the Ideological Perception of the Secular-Zionist State amongst members of Israel’s Religious Right
MB13 Gender Issues in Multi-Cultural Israel

Chair: Sylvie Bijaoui, The College of Management, ibii@netvision.net.il

Einat Gedalya, Tel Aviv University, einatged@post.tau.ac.il

Mrs. Prime Minister? Feminism and Media Coverage of Women Candidates for Prime Minister of Israel in the 1970's and 2000's

Aviad Hollander, Bar-Ilan University, hollanderar@gmail.com

Halakhic Multiculturism? – A Comparison of the Halakhic Ruling (Pesak) of the Chief Rabbinate and the Army Rabbinate Regarding Women’s Singing

Miri Renert, The College of Management, Academic Division, renetmiri@yahoo.com
Orly Soker, Sapir College, orly.soker@gmail.com

Breaking Existing Political and Ideological Barriers: The Case of Jewish Israeli Mothers and the Arab-Israeli Conflict

MB14 The Arab Christian Minority in the Yishuv and in the State of Israel

Chair: Adina Friedman, American University, afriedma@american.edu

Ilan Shdema, Tel Aviv University, shdema@bgu.ac.il

Arab Christians in Israel – Between Jewish and Muslim Societies

Joseph Constance, Saint Anselm College, jconstan@anselm.edu

In the Aftermath: Christian Arabs and the Crisis of Decision and Identity in the New State, 1948-1952

Konstantinos Papastathis, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, konstant.papastathis@mail.huji.ac.il

British Mandatory Strategy, Greek Ecclesiastical Power and Arab Orthodox National Demands: The Fundamental Law Question of the Orthodox Patriarchate of Jerusalem, 1938-1941

Daphne Tsimhoni, The Technion, dtsimhon@actcom.co.il

Jewish-Christian Relations in the State of Israel
MB15 Israel in an Arab Muslim Middle East: Overviews and Case Studies  Room 208

Chair: Fruma Zachs, University of Haifa, fzachs@research.haifa.ac.il

Yael Warshel, University of California, ywarshel@yahoo.com

Between Hezbollah and Revolution: The Uncertain Status of Syrian Alawi Muslim Families in Israel

Albert David, University of Texas, davidalbertphd@gmail.com

Is Democracy a Barrier to Middle East Peacemaking?

Benedetta Berti, Tel Aviv University, benedettabe@gmail.com

Israel and the Arab Spring: The Rise of Islamism in the Region and Its Impact on Israel

Valentina Morselli, Université libre de Bruxelles, valentina.morselli@ulb.ac.be

The "Social Dimension" of Military Strategy: The Case of the Second Lebanon War

12:30-14:15 Lunch

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Rabin Observatory 9th floor (Rabin Complex)

Lunch & discussion

(Closed event)
SESSION C: 14:15 p.m. – 15:45 p.m.

MC1 New Perspectives on the History of Jewish-Arab Relations  Eshkol Tower, Floor 30

Chair: Derek Penslar, University of Toronto, derek.penslar@utoronto.ca

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Moshe Naor, York University, mnaor3@gmail.com
Tammy Razi, Sapir College, tammyrazi@bezeqint.net

Jews from Islamic Countries and Jewish-Arab Relations in Mandatory Palestine

David Tal, University of Calgary, dtal@ucalgary.ca

The Politics and Politicization of the Arab-Jew

Hillel Cohen, Hebrew University of Jerusalem, hillel.cohen@yahoo.com

Jews, Arabs and Arab Jews in the 1929 Riots in Palestine

MC2 Gender and the Military – Intersectional Perspectives  Room 322

Chair: Orna Sasson-Levy, Bar-Ilan University, o.sassonlevy@gmail.com, sassono@mail.biu.ac.il

Dana Kachten, The Open University of Israel danakc@openu.ac.il

Gendered Spatial Identity in Military Camps

Nitzan Rothem, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, nitzanrothem@gmail.com

Imprints of the Social Order: The Domestication of Suicide vis-à-vis the Warrior Ethos

Edna Lomsky-Feder, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, msednal@huji.ac.il

Bodily Experiences in the Narratives of Young Women in the Israeli Military
MC3 Israeli Culture in a Post-National Age  Room 116

Chair: Glenda Abramson, University of Oxford, glenda.abramson@stx.ox.ac.uk
Eran Kaplan, San Francisco State University, erank@sfsu.edu

Breaking and Mending the Pig: Etgar Keret and the Israeli Condition

Yaron Peleg, Cambridge University, yp240@cam.ac.uk
Hebrew Literature in a Neo-National Age

Gideon Nevo, Ben-Gurion University of the Negev, nevog1@gmail.com

Modernism, Trans-Modernism, Post-Modernism: The Satirical Project of "the Cameri Five"

MC4 Children, Family and Gender in Ottoman Palestine  Senate Hall, Floor 29th

Chair: Gur Alroey, University of Haifa, galroey@univ.haifa.ac.il

Orna Ehrlich, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, ornaehrlch@gmail.com

The Rural Sphere as a Domain of Personal Transformation: Pioneer European Women Emigrants to America and Eretz Israel

Reut Green, Bar-Ilan University, reutgr@walla.com

Conflicts and Generation Gaps in the Settlements (Moshavot) of the First and Second Aliyas

Galia Hasharoni, University of Haifa, galihash@gmail.com

"And How These Children Should Be Precious to Us" Dangers Lurking for Children in the Jewish Settlements of Eretz Israel 1880-1914
MC5  Early Israeli Modern Dance: Visions of Embodied Hebraic Identities  Room 208

Chair: Liora Malka Yellin, Tel Aviv University, liorama@post.tau.ac.il

Liora Malka Yellin, Tel Aviv University, liorama@post.tau.ac.il
Baruch Agadati Dances: The Break between the Performative and the Symbolic Body

Yael Nativ, Hebrew University of Jerusalem, valinativ@gmail.com
Gertrud Kraus: Dancing Between Vienna and Palestine – Images of the Hybrid Body in Transition

Sari Elron, The Jerusalem Academy of Music and Dance, sari_elron@yahoo.co.uk
Rina Nikova's Yemenite Singing Ballet and the Visions of Hebraic Identities in Early Israeli Dance

MC6 Paradoxes of Gender: The Place of Women in the Yishuv and in the State of Israel  Room 114

Chair: Bat-Sheva Margalit Stern, The Open University of Israel, bat7stern@gmail.com

Margalit Shilo, Bar-Ilan University, msshilo@mscc.huji.ac.il
The Struggle for Women's Suffrage in Mandatory Palestine between 1917 and 1926

Tammi Kaminsky, Bar-Ilan University, Tammik2@walla.com
The Women of Ein Harod—1921-1948

Lilach Rosenberg-Friedman, Bar-Ilan University, lilach.rosenberg@biu.ac.il
The Paradox of Birth in the Yishuv: Abortions and the Efforts to Prevent Them

Naama Teitelbaum, Bar-Ilan University, naamat2@gmail.com
Beyond The Mehitza: Women's Partnership in Synagogues

MC7 Minorities, Israeli Society, and the State  Room 115

Chair: Johannes Becke, Hertie School of Governance, Berlin, becke@transnationalstudies.eu

Sa’id Kouzli, University of Haifa, skouzli@walla.com
Israeli Security Policy towards the Negev Bedouin, 1948-1956

Yusri Hazran, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, yusri.khaizran@mail.huji.ac.il
Army Service does not Guarantee Integration into Israeli Society: The Druze as a Case Study

Havatzelet Yahel, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, havatzelety@gmail.com
The Negev Bedouin during the 1948 War: Departure and Return

Adina Friedman, American University, afriedma@american.edu
Unraveling the Right of Return: Internally Displaced Persons, an Invisible Link

MC8 Identity, Modernity, and the Nation in Zionism and Israeli Society  Room 206
Chair: Fania Oz-Salzberger, University of Haifa, salzberg@research.haifa.ac.il
Joseph Agassi, Tel Aviv University, agass@post.tau.ac.il
Identity, Jewish and Israeli
David Ohana, Ben-Gurion University of the Negev, dohana@bgu.ac.il
Modernity, Modernism and Modernization in Zionism
Arthur Kamczycki, Adam Mickiewicz University in Poznan, ewen@poczta.fm
Jewishness United in Herzl's Icon

MC9 Marginalized Identities at the Periphery  Room 201
Chair: Suhad Daher-Nashif, Al-Qasemi Academic College for Education, Oranim College for Education, suhadh@hotmail.com
Amelia Weinreb, University of Texas, amy.weinreb@mail.utexas.edu
Development Towns: Reconsidering Life and Space in the 'Other' Israel
Cathrine Furberg Moe, London School of Economics, m.c.furberg-moe@lse.ac.uk
Russian Pride and Oriental Stigma: Towards 'Russian' and 'Arabs' Others in Kiryat Shemona
Rafi Mann, Ariel University Center, rafimann@gmail.com
The Ethnic Divide and the Language Barrier: Israel's Media and Communication with Arabic Speaking New Immigrants
Anat Heffetz, Ben-Gurion University of the Negev, anat.heff@gmail.com
The Boundaries of 'US': Local vs. National Identity in Southern Israel Kibbutzim

MC10 The Israeli Law: Theory and Practice  Room 323
Chair: Yair Sagy, University of Haifa, vsagy@law.haifa.ac.il
Elise Burton, Harvard University, ekburton@fas.harvard.edu
The Ideology of Israeli Marriage: Mizug Galuyot, Unorthodox Weddings, and National Identity
Noya Rimalt, University of Haifa, nrimalt@law.haifa.ac.il
When Rosa Parks Volunteers to Sit in the Back: Multicultural Law in Action

Yofi Tirosh, Tel Aviv University, ytirosh@post.tau.ac.il
Anat Thon-Ashkenazy, Women Lawyers for Social Justice, Tel Aviv, thonanat@gmail.com

Women's Representation in Policymaking Bodies in Israel: Promises, Challenges, and Dilemmas

MC11 Adapting to Change, Affecting Change: Women, Rural Migrants, and the Poor in Late Ottoman and Mandatory Palestine       Room 324

Chair: Yuval Ben Bassat, University of Haifa, yuval@research.haifa.ac.il
Na'ama Ben Ze'ev, University of Haifa, nbenzev@zahav.net.il

Peasants in the City? Palestinian Rural Migrants in Haifa during the Mandate

Yali Hashash, New York University, yalihashash@gmail.com

Mobility, Imagination, and Boundaries in the Clinic

Amer Dahamshy, The Academic Arab College of Education, amdahamshy@gmail.com

Calling a Spade a Spade: The Activity of Palestinian Women as Reflected in the Spatial Names of the Arab village

Michal Kofman, University of Calgary, michali.kofman@gmail.com

Acting in Two Parallel Worlds: Resolution of Housing Disputes in Two Sites of Arbitration in 1940s Tel Aviv

MC12 Religious Zionism: Between Integration and Separation (C)       Room 209

Chair: Oren Steinitz, University of Calgary, oren.z.steinitz@ucalgary.ca

Shimi Friedman, Ben-Gurion University of the Negev, shimi23@gmail.com

Hills, Farms, Youth and the Local Council: Southern Mount-Hebron between Societies

Adam Klin-Oron, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, adam@forum2.org

Tell Me Who Your Enemy Is: Israeli Governmental Reactions to New Religious Movements

Peter Krause, Brandeis University, pkrause@mit.edu

The Price is Right? The Motivations, Effectiveness and Implications of Tag Mechir ('Price-Tag') Violence by Israeli Settlers
MC13 Negotiating East and West within Israeli Identity – A Gendered Perspective
Room 08

Chair:

Omna Berick-Aharony, University of Haifa, omna10@gmail.com

*Embodying a “Western” Femininity in a Middle-Eastern Zone*

Iris Fruchter-Ronen, University of Haifa, irisfruro@gmail.com

*Postcolonial Sub-Culture and the Representation of Mizrahi Women in “Turn Left at the End of the World”*

Edna Gorney, University of Haifa, ednagorney@yahoo.com

*Be a Crossroad*

Viola Rautenberg-Alianov, University of Haifa, viola.rautenberg@gmail.com

*Yekkes and Ostjuden in Palestine: Gendered Perspectives of a Confictive Encounter*

MC14 Memories and Reality in Israeli Society
Room 010

Chair: Liat Steir Livny, The Open University of Israel, liatsl@openu.ac.il

Ramon Stern, University of Michigan Ann Arbor, ramonjo@umich.edu

*Albert Swissa’s Ir Ganim as a Liminal Cultural Space: Memories of Morocco and Israeli Childhood in the “Concrete Jungle”*

Chaim Noy, Sapir College, chaimnoy@gmail.com

*Spaces Remembered/Places Performed: Reworking the Past in and of Ein-Karem*

Ranen Omer-Sherman, University of Miami, rosherman@miami.edu

*Atallah Mansour’s ‘In a New Light’: Palestinian Memory in a Kibbutz Novel*

MC15 Movement Between Two Lands: Israeli Immigration and Fencing to the Yishuv and the State of Israel
Room 019

Chair: Marcos Silber, University of Haifa, msilber@univ.haifa.ac.il

Anat Plocker, University of Haifa, anat.plocker@gmail.com

*An Uneasy Welcome: Polish Jewish Immigration to Israel in 1968*

Sebastian Klor, University of Haifa, sebiklor@gmail.com

*Argentinian Aliyah to Israel from 1948 to 1967*

Avi Picard, Bar-Ilan University, avipicard@biu.ac.il

*Was Ben-Gurion Indeed the Loyal Advocate of Non-Restrictive Aliyah? Ben-Gurion’s Attitude Toward Immigration from Morocco, 1955-1956*
SESSION D : 4:15p.m. – 17:45 a.m.

MD1  Rethinking the Israeli Family   Room 201

Chair: Iris Fruchter-Ronen, University of Haifa, irisfruro@gmail.com

Sylvie Bijaoui, The College of Management, ibii@netvision.net.il

"Brith HaZugiut" and "Institutional Bricolage" in Israel

Reina Rutlinger-Reiner, The College of Management, Academic Division reina_j@talpiot.ac.il

Theatrical Presentations of Changes and Crises in Israeli Orthodox Family Life

Zvi Triger, The College of Management, Academic Division, zvit@colman.ac.il

The Illusion of Civil Marriage in Israel

Tal Meler, The Max Stern Emeq Yezreel Valley College, talmeler12@gmail.com

Negotiating Support, Working through Control: Widowed and Divorced Israeli Palestinians amongst their Kin and Community

MD2 Permutations of the Bi-National State Concept in Zionist Thought   Room 322

Chair: Arye Saposnik, UCLA, asaposnik@humnet.ucla.edu

Rachel Fish, Brandeis University, rlfish@brandeis.edu

The Transformation of the Bi-National Idea

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A Post-Secular Reading of Martin Buber and A.D. Gordon

Roman Vater, University of Manchester, romans.vaters@postgrad.manchester.ac.uk

Bi-National State or a State for One Nation? What Nation? The "Young Hebrews" versus Palestinians and Jews
MD3 Policymaking in Israel: Political-Institutional Analyses  Room 323

Chair: Gal Ariely, University of Haifa, gariely@poli.haifa.ac.il

Ronen Mandelkern, Van Leer Institute, ronen.mandelkern@mail.huji.ac.il

The Response of the Bank of Israel and the Budgets Division to Recession – Economic Principles and Institutional Politics

Nissim Cohen, University of Haifa, NissimCohen@poli.haifa.ac.il

The Power of Expertise? Interaction between Politicians and Bureaucrats, National Budget Transparency and the Israeli Health Care Policy

Assaf Meydani, Tel Aviv-Yaffo Academic College, assafmei@mta.ac.il

The Political Culture of Compassion and Public Policy: The Case of the Israeli Judicial System

Gal Zohar, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, gal.zohar@mail.huji.ac.il

Wisconsin in Israel: The Influence of Ideological Hegemony over the Decision-Making Chronicle of the Activation Policy Michal

MD4 Investigating Justice and History: The Supreme Court and Commissions of Inquiry  Room 209

Chair: Itai Reggev, Tel Aviv University, itaire@gmail.com

Menachem Hofnung, The Hebrew University, msmh@huji.ac.il

Why Losers Go to Court? The Political Rewards of Public Litigation

Yair Sagy, University of Haifa, ysagy@law.haifa.ac.il

The Supreme Court's Untold About-Face

Nadav G. Molchadsky, University of California, nadavm@ucla.edu

History in the Public Courtroom: State Commissions of Inquiry and Battles Over the Israeli Past
MD5 Out in the Open: Public Rituals in the Yishuv  Room 208

Chair: Nahum Karlinsky, Ben-Gurion University of the Negev, nahumk@bgu.ac.il

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The Canonization of Tu B'Shvatin the Yishuv: An Urban Celebration of Anti-Urban Ethos

Amit Assis, Bar-Ilan University, amit@assis.co.il

Reflexivity and Spontaneity in Haluzim’s Collective Singing and Dancing

Yael Darr, Tel Aviv University, yaelda@post.tau.ac.il

Celebrating the National Poet for Children: The Politics behind the Belated Canonization of Haim Nachman Bialik in 1930's and 1940's Yishuv Child Culture

Nurit Cohen Levinovsky, Rabin Center for Israel Studies, levinovsky@013.net

Passover 1948 to Passover 1949: Holidays and Celebrations during the War of Independence

MD6 Cultural Competence as Exclusive Inclusion: Cases of Minority Groups in Israel  Room 114

Chair: Rafi Mann, Ariel University Center, rafimann@gmail.com

Amalia Sa'ar, University of Haifa, saaram@soc.haifa.ac.il

Culture and the Failure to Be Modern: The Debate over Palestinian-Israeli Women's Absence from the Workforce as a Lens to the Paradoxes of Cultural Competence

Tsipi Ivry, University of Haifa, tsipy.ivry@gmail.com

Cultural Competence in Medical Care, Women's Exclusion and the Asymmetric Rules of Permeation into Professional Spaces in Kosher Medicine.

Hedva Eyal, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, ehedva@gmail.com

The Policy of Administering Depo Provera to Israeli Women of Ethiopian Origin: Between Cultural Sensitivity and Control

Suhad Daher-Nashif, Al-Qasemi Academic College for Education, Oranim College for Education, suhadh@hotmail.com

‘Culturalizing’ Femicide: The Case of Ramleh City within Israel
MD7  Citizenship Education: Mechanism for Creating One Society?  Room 115

Chair: Devorah Kalekin-Fishman, University of Haifa, dkalekin@edu.haifa.ac.il

Arie Kizel, University of Haifa, akizel@gmail.com

Teaching Citizenship in Israel Today: Conflicts and Clashing Narratives

Deborah Golden, University of Haifa, dgolden@univ.haifa.ac.il

Citizenship Education in Early Childhood Educational Settings

Gal Levy, The Open University of Israel, galle@openu.ac.il

The Challenge of Teaching about Citizenship in Israeli Elementary Schools

MD8 Ultra-orthodox Attitudes towards Gender and Language  Room 116

Chair: Sidney Shapiro, Laurentian University, sidney.shapiro@gmail.com

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Taking a Bus from Emmanuel to Mea She'arim: The Role of the HCJ in Regulating Discrimination of Girls and Women in the Haredi Sector

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Rabbi Ovadia Yosef's Attitude to Women

Joseph Ringel, Drew University, jtringel@gmail.com

Countercultural Zionists: Rabbi Meir Mazuz's Revival of Sephardic Hebrew

MD9  Jewish Sport from Nazi Germany to Palestine: The Formation of Zionist Trans-National Body Culture  Room 008

Chair: Udi Carmi, University of Haifa, ucarmi@netvision.net.il

Ofer Ashkenazi, University of Minnesota, offer.ashkenazi@mail.huji.ac.il

Resisting the Zionist Melting-Pot: German-Jewish Athletes in Mandate Palestine

Eyal Gertman, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, eyal14@gmail.com

Identities in Motion: Journeys of Jewish Athletes to and from Nazi Germany

Henry Wahlig, Leibniz University, henry.wahlig@sportwiss.uni-hannover.de

German Preparation and Participation at the 2nd Maccabiah 1935 in Tel Aviv

Lorenz Peiffer, Leibniz University, lorenz.peiffer@ewetel.net

Sport Contacts between Jews in Nazi Germany and Palestine after 1933
MD10 Exclusion, Inclusion, and Migration to Israel  Room 010

Chair: **Israel Pupko**, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, israel.pupko@gmail.com

**Sharon Weinblum**, Université libre de Bruxelles, sweinblu@ulb.ac.be

*The “Other” and Discursive Construction of Policy: The Israeli Political Discourse on the Management of Migrant Foreign Workers and Asylum Seekers*

**Ilana Shpaizman**, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, lanalitvak@gmail.com

* Israeli Immigration and Integration Policy 2000-2010 – From Universal to Selective*

**Irina Masyukova**, Russian Academy of Sciences, i-masykova@yandex.ru, ivran@yandex.ru

*Post-Soviet Jewish Immigration and Multicultural Israel*

**Craig D. Smith**, University of Toronto, craigdamian.smith@utoronto.ca

"Israel’s New Other: Sociopolitical and Religious Cleavages around the Issue of ‘African Migrants’"

MD11 Looking for Home: Survivors, Migrants and Zionism after World War II  Room 019

Chair: **Dalia Ofer**, Hebrew University of Jerusalem, msdofer@mscc.huji.ac.il

**Shira Klein**, New York University, shira.klein@nyu.edu

*Down with the Diaspora: Palestinian Jewish Soldiers in Postwar Italy*

**Avinoam Patt**, University of Hartford, patt@hartford.edu

“‘The People Must Be Forced to Go to Palestine’”: Rabbi Abraham Klausner and the She’erit Hapletah in Germany

**Ori Yehudai**, University of Chicago, oyehudai@uchicago.edu

*Problems of Second Rehabilitation: Jewish Emigration form Israel in the 1950s*

**Galia Heled**, Schechter Institute of Jewish Studies, galia.heled@gmail.com

*Being Israeli ‘in First Person’: The Encounter with Israel through the Eyes of Survivors*
MD12  Considering the State of the Israeli Left Today  Eshkol Tower, Floor 30th

Chair: Noga Gilad, University of Haifa. giladnoga@gmail.com

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Where Have All the Movements Gone? Collective Action for Peace in Israel in the Post-Oslo Era

Hagay Bar, Bar-Ilan University. hagay.bar@gmail.com

Manufacturing Diversity: The Case of the New Israel Fund

Anat Goldman, University of Washington. anatg@uw.edu

Shifting Boundaries in the Israeli Left – The Case of the Sheikh Jarrah Solidarity Movement

Shlomo Egoz, Bar-Ilan University. egozsh@gmail.com

Old Left, New Left, Nothing left? An Analysis of Changes in the Zionist Left and Reflections on the Present and Future

MD13 Ethos and Narratives of Conflict in the Israeli-Jewish and Palestinian Societies

Senate hall, Floor 29th

Chair: Keren Sharvit, University of Haifa. ksharvit@psy.haifa.ac.il

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Assessment of the Jewish Israeli Ethos of Conflict: Individual Differences and Societal Commonalities

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Protected by Ethos in a Protracted Conflict? A Comparative Study among Israelis and Palestinians

Ofer Shinar, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem. ofer.shinar@gmail.com

Ethos of Conflict and Victimhood in the Israeli Supreme Court

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The Taxing Exposure to the Other Side’s Historical Narrative: Israeli Jews and Arabs’ View of the Narrative of the Other
MD14 Memory, History, and the Land of Israel in Contemporary Israeli and Palestinian Cinema  Room 206

Chair: **Yvonne Kozlovsky Golan**, University of Haifa, ivonir@zahav.net.il

**Rami Kimchi**, Tulane University, raminathan@hotmail.com

*Material Culture of the Land of Israel in Contemporary Palestinian and Israeli Cinema*

**Danielle Shworts**, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, danielle.shworts@gmail.com

*Over the Ruins: Dehistoricization of the Nakba in Israeli Cinema*

**Yaron Shemer**, University of North Carolina, yshemer@email.unc.edu

*Corrective Histories: The Ashkenazi Benchmark of Mizrahi Memory in Cinema*

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MD15 Civil Society, Security Concerns, and Political Parties and Their Influence on Palestinian Israelis  Room 324

Chair: **Maor Shani**, Bremen International Graduate School of Social Sciences, mshani@bigsss-bremen.de

**Gerald Steinberg**, Bar-Ilan University, joshua.bacon@gmail.com

*Centripetal or Centrifugal? Political Advocacy Civil Society Organizations and Majority-Minority Relations*

**Matthew Gray**, King’s College, mgray1984@gmail.com

*Debating or Creating the Fifth Column: Israeli Arabs and Israeli Security Concerns*

**Ilana Kaufman**, The Open University, ilanako@openu.ac.il

*National Conflict, Populism and Democratic Dissent: The Tenuous Status of the Arab Minority Parties in Israel*
Plenary Session 1
Hecht Museum Auditorium, Main Building

Gathering /Cocktail
18:00-18:30

Greetings
18:30-18:45
Mayor of Haifa, Mr. Yona Yahav
Prof. Aaron Ben Zeev, President of University of Haifa
Prof. Reuven Snir, Dean of the Faculty of Humanities
Prof. Gad Barzilai, President of the AIS
Prof. Gur Alroey, Program Chair

Keynote Speaker: Sammy Michael
18:45-19:30

Banquet Dinner [by tickets only]
19:30
TUESDAY, June 26, 2012

Registration: 8:00-18:00

SESSION A: 9:00am - 10:30am

TA1 Towards an Understanding of the 2011 Protests  Room 322

Chair:

Einat Lavee, einat.lavee@biu.ac.il and Shira Offer, Bar-Ilan University

"If You Sit and Cry No One Will Help You": Understanding Perceptions of Worthiness and Social Support Relations among Low-Income Women facing Neo-Liberal Discourse

Anat Maor, The Open University of Israel, maor@negba.org.il

From the 2005 Supreme Court Debate on Standard of Living to the 2011 Tent Protests in Israel

Shlomo Egoz, Bar-Ilan University, egozsh@gmail.com

The 2011 Protest: An Awakening of a Dormant Political Axis?

Yossi David, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, yoosy.dvide@mail.huji.ac.il
Jacob Shamir, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, jshamir@mscc.huji.ac.il

Pluralistic Ignorance and Information in the 2011 Social Protest

TA2 Violence, identifying Proponents of Equality and Ethnic Politics in Israel  Room 116

Chair: Roby Nathanson, The Macro Center for Political Economics, roby@macro.org.il

Doron Navot, University of Haifa, doronnavot@013.net

Ethnic Democracy, the Crisis of Capitalist Democracy and the Israeli Case

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Who is in Favor of Equality in Israel?

Tamir Sorek, University of Florida, tsorek@ufl.edu

Predictors of Pro-Equality Attitudes Among Jewish Citizens of Israel
TA3 Complementary and Confrontational Identities in Israel  Room 323

Chair: Arthur Kamezycki, Adam Mickiewicz University in Poznan, ewen@poczta.fm

Moshe Berent, The Open University of Israel, mosheb@openu.ac.il

Complementary vs. Confrontational Identities in the Jewish State

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Israeli Freemasonry between Civil Society and the Zionist State

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To Be(lie)ve or Not to Be? Judaism and Zionism's Elusive Quest for Legitimacy

TA4 Issues in Israeli National Security  Room 208

Chair: Sagi Torgan, Military Studies Center, IDF, sagi464@mail.idf.il

Eyal Lewin, Ariel University Center, lewin1212@gmail.com

Israel's Secret Weapon of Optimism: Is it Still There?

Ehud Eiran, University of Haifa, eiran59@gmail.com

The 'Security Zone' in South Lebanon (1985-2000): a COIN based Reassessment

Ariel Zellman, Northwestern University, azellman@u.northwestern.edu

Security or Identity? State and Homeland in Israel Politics and Public Opinion

TA5 The Status of Israeli Women Today  Room 206

Chair: Pnina Lahav, Boston University, plahav@bu.edu

Daphna Hacker, Tel Aviv University, dafna@post.tau.ac.il

Is the Israeli Feminist Movement Gravely Ill?

Noya Rimalt, University of Haifa, nrimalt@law.haifa.ac.il

Political Participation and the Representation of Women

Zvi Triger, The College of Management, Academic Division, zvit@colman.ac.il

Gender Segregation as Sexual Harassment
TA6 Between Unity and Division: Israel’s Mixed Cities Floor 324

Chair: Malgorzata Anna Maksymiak, University of Rostock, m.a.maxymiak@gmail.com

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Fractured Society: Narrowing the Divide Between Jews and Arabs in Israel’s Mixed Cities

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The Jewish Community Board in Tiberias: A Hebrew Community in a ‘Mixed City’

Anat Kidron, University of Haifa, kidrone@zahav.net.il

Haifa, One City/ Multiple Communities: Its Societal Development during the British Mandate Period

Chanan Cohen, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, chanan.cohen@mail.huji.ac.il

Violence and Ethnic Politics in Israel’s Ethnically-Mixed Cities

TA7 Looking in, Looking Out: Identity, Conflict, and Education amongst Ultra-Orthodox Israelis Room 114

Chair: Joseph Ringel, Drew University, jtringel@gmail.com

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State and Religion: The Conflicts of Ultra-Orthodox Jews in Israel

Sharon Gordon, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, sharon.gordon@mail.huji.ac.il

Yotzeh bi-Sheela and Chozer bi-Tshuva – Body and Freedom in the Self-Perception of Secular and Orthodox Israelis

Gilad Malach, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, giladma@gmail.com

Policies without Politicians: New Elites Designing Policy Pertaining to Israel’s Haredi Population

TA8 Israeli Society: Homogenous or Pluralistic? Eshkol Tower, Floor 30

Chair: Alan Dowty, Notre Dame University, alan@dowty.org

Chaim I. Waxman, Rutgers University, waxmanci@rci.rutgers.edu

Multiculturalism, Conversion and the Future of Israel as a Modern State

Fania Oz-Salzberger, University of Haifa, salzberg@research.haifa.ac.il

Does Israel have a National Culture? Weighing the Evidence

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Towards Pluralism
TA9 Foreign Powers and Their Influence on Israel/Palestine  Room 209

Chair: Elvira King, University of Leeds, E.King@leeds.ac.uk

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Russia's Policy Towards the Israeli-Palestinian Conflict: Reasons and Considerations

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Explaining European Policy Towards the "Arab Spring" – Calculated Risk, Lack of an Alternative and Implications for Israel

Ye Luofu, Martin Shanghai Jiao Tong University, yeluofu@gmail.com

Chain's Constructive Participation in Palestine Economic Development

TA10 Israel’s Place in the World: Regional and Global Perspectives

Senate hall, floor 29th

Chair: Joseph Constance, Saint Anselm College, jconstan@anselm.edu

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Confusion, Political Pathology and Hope: Nineteenth Century Zionism in the Twenty-First Century Middle East

Yehezkel Dror, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, msdro@macc.huji.ac.il

Israel within the Greater Middle East: A Regional Perspective on Identity, Cultures, Peace and Security

Moshe Maoz, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, momaoz@hotmail.com

Muslim Attitudes to Jews and Israel

Alexander Murtinson, Independent Scholar, murinson@hotmail.com

The Return of the Great Turk and the Question of Palestine: Memory, Space and Ideology in the neo-Ottomanist Turn of the Turkish Foreign Policy
TA11 Roundtable: Censorship and Freedom of Expression in Israel  
Room 115  
Chair: Ilan Peleg, Lafayette College, pelegi@lafayette.edu  
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TA12 Israel, the United States and the Soviet Union: 1948-1977  
Room 116  
Chair and Discussant: Robert Freedman, John Hopkins University, rofredman@comcast.net  
Gadi Heimann, Hebrew University of Jerusalem, balthazar@msec.huji.ac.il  
The United States, Israel and the Issue of Jerusalem, 1948-1967  
Avi Raz, University of Oxford, Avi.raz@orinst.ox.ac.uk  
“We Extend Our Hand in Peace”: The Tale of Israel's Peace Initiative in the Aftermath of the Six Day War  
Zach Levey, University of Haifa, zachl@poli.haifa.ac.il  
The United States, Israel and Nuclear Desalination: 1964-1970  
Guy Laron, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, guy.laron@mail.huji.ac.il  
The Politics of Reconciliation vs. the Politics of Intimidation: Israeli-Soviet Relations, 1963-1977
TA13 Media Representations and Their Role in Creating Internal and External Perceptions of Israeli Society

Chair: Akiba Cohen, Tel Aviv University, akiba@post.tau.ac.il

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Everybody's Team? The National Narrative in the Hebrew Press Covering Israeli National Soccer Team Matches

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Visual Stereotypes of Israeli Society in Current East Central European Media Compared to the Caricatures of the Jews in the Austro-Hungarian Empire

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Can Humor be a Cure? Current Events Satire, the Public Sphere and Multiculturism

Dana Kaplan, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, dana.kaplan@mail.huji.ac.il

The Sexualization of Israeli Culture: Representations of Sex and Mediated Class-Based Distinctions

TA14 Israel and the Muslim World: A Deepening Divide or Movement towards Reconciliation?

Chair: George Gruen, geg2@caa.columbia.edu

Amos Kiewe, Syracuse University, akiewe@syr.edu

Islamist Anti-Semitism: A Rhetorical Act of Hatred

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A Paradigm for Interfaith Communication Shows Promise to Relieve Tension Worldwide

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Gallia Lindenstrauss, Institute for National Security Studies, gallia@inss.org.il

The Deterioration of Israeli-Turkish Relations: An Emotional Perspective

Umut Uzer, Istanbul Technical University, umuthome@hotmail.com

The End of Turkish-Israeli Relations? Islamism, Neo-Ottomanism and Nationalism
TA15 Social Mobility, Education, and Ethnic Identity amongst Mizrahim in Israel
Chair: Amelia Weinreb, University of Texas, amy.weinreb@mail.utexas.edu

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Acquiring Educational Credentials for Middle-Class Mobility

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The Educational Multicultural Challenge of the New Mizrachi Narrative

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Hegemonic culture and communal identity strategies of Jews from Morocco in Israel

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Predictors, Mediators and Moderators of Prejudice and Discrimination among Israeli High School.

Coffee Break: 10:30-11:00

SESSION B: 11:00am-12:30pm

TB1 Israeli Social Protest Examined Room 322
Chair: Gayil Talshir, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem msgayil@huji.ac.il

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The Importance of Vagueness: The Israeli Social Justice Movement as a Political Myth

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Gad Barzilai, University of Washington, University of Haifa, gbarzil@uw.edu

Social Protests and Lawyers in the Digital Age: Collective Action and Law in Israel and Beyond

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"This Is What We Are Fighting For": The Middle Class, Ideology and the Social Protest

Noa Milman, Boston College, milman@bc.edu

Globalization of Economic Policies, Local Resistance, and the Role of Culture: A Comparative Examination of Welfare Rights Discourse in Israel and Massachusetts
TB2  The Israeli Soldier: Image, Indoctrination, and Reality  Room 201
Chair: Moshe Naor, York University, mnaor3@gmail.com
Shay Hazkani, New York University, shay.hazkani@gmail.com

Soldiers' Political Indoctrination in the IDF, 1948-1957
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The Image of the Israeli Paratrooper in the 1950’s – Reality and Memory
Sagi Torgan, Military Studies Center, IDF, sagi464@mail.idf.il

The IDF’s soldier, 1948-1956

TB3 Round Table : Friends Remember Gideon Doron  Room 324
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TB4 The Memories of 1948 among Israeli Palestinians and Jews  Room 209
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Socio-Psychological Analysis of the Zionist Narrative of the 1948 Palestinian Exodus
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Generational Transmission of the Collective Memory of 1948: The Case of Palestinians in Israel
Yifat Gutman, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, yifat.gutman@gmail.com

Revealing the Public Secret: The Generational Story as a Justification for the Return of 1948 Palestinians to Israeli Public Attention

TB5 Perspectives on Democracy in Israel  Room 019
Chair: Ilan Peleg, Lafayette College, pelegi@lafayette.edu
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Separation between Religion and State in Israel

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Hybridity and Israel's Democratic Order: The End of an Imperfect Balance?

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Democracy 'in-Your-Face': Educational Activism and Arab Civil Society in Israel

Robert Cherry, Brooklyn College and Exeter University, robertc@brooklyn.cuny.edu

The Social and Economic Advancement of Arab Israelis: Contrasting Government Policies

TB6 Examining “Occupation” Room 010

Chair: Uri Ben-Eliezer, University of Haifa, uriben@soc.haifa.ac.il

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What is Occupation?

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The Space between "Jewish Yesha" and "The Territories": Appropriation, Alienation and Fragmentation

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Israel’s Occupation in Regional Comparison

TB7 Round Table Palestinian Ethno-nationalism in Israel: The Transition of Political Minority political mobilization Eshkol Tower, Floor 30th

Chair: Anita Shapira, Tel Aviv University, ashapira@post.tau.ac.il

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Oded Haklai, Queen's University, haklai@queensu.ca
TB8 Jews, Arabs and Progress in Mandatory Palestine    Room 114

Chair: Hagit Lavsky, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem

Malgorzata Anna Maksymiak, University of Rostock, m.a.maxymiak@gmail.com

The Other Zionism. Trans-Different Moments in the Encounter of European Female Immigrants with the Arabs in Palestine, 1920-1948

Zipora Shehory-Rubin, Kay Academic College of Education, zipirubin@walla.com
Shifra Shvarts, Ben-Gurion University of the Negev, shvarts@bgu.ac.il

The Guggengeimer-Hadassah's Jewish-Arab Playgrounds in Jerusalem 1925-1930

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Contentious Concession: The Electrification of the Jaffa District

TB9 Examining Israeli-American Relations    Room 115

Chair: Amnon Cavari, Interdisciplinary Center (IDC) Herzlia, cavari@idc.ac.il

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The White House’s Role in Undermining the Partial Agreement between Israel and Egypt in 1971

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Special Relationship, Strategic Relationship: The US and Israel in the Middle East

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Towards a New History of the Yom Kippur War

TB10 Palestine Beneath Israel: The Memories and Landscapes of Competing Groups in Israel    Room 116

Chair:

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Settlement Processes and Historical Identities On the Way from Jaffa to Jerusalem

Claudia De Martino, CaFoscari University of Venice, claudiadema@hotmail.com

Ashdod and Ashkelon Viewed by “Zochrot”: An Attempt to Coalesce Arab and Zionist Memories

Filippo Petrucci, Cagliari University, filippo.petrucci80@hotmail.com

From Tunisia to Israel: What Did They Imagine and What Happened When They Arrived
TB11  A Tale of Three Countries: Exploring Effective Responses to Calls for Academic Boycotts of Israel  Room 008

Chair:  Asaf Zohar, Trent University, azohar@trentu.ca

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Exploring Effective Responses to Calls for Academic Boycotts of Israel: A Canadian Case Study

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Campaigning to Exclude Israelis from UK Campuses: A Case Study of the Production of Anti-Semitic Discourse

Samuel M. Edelman, State of California Center for the Study of Holocaust and Genocide, SEdelman@csuchico.edu

When Failure Succeeds: the Real Goal of the BDS Movement

TB12 The Collective Memory of Palestinian-Arabs in Israel  Senate hall, Floor 29th

Chair and Discussant: Honaida Ghanim, Independent Scholar

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The Distinctiveness of the Collective Narrative of the Palestinians in Israel

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Collective Memory as a Deep Divide between Palestinians and Jews in Israel

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"Fragmented Memory": Palestinians in Israel and the Palestinian National Collective Memory

TB13 New Research on the Working and Building of the Land  Room 323

Chair: Esther Yankelevitch, University of Haifa, estiyan@gmail.com

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Work Processes in Lachish Region during the Late 1950’s

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From North to South: Constructing the National Water Carrier

Shay Rozen, University of Haifa, rozen s@zahav.net.il

The Rise and Fall of the Bahai Settlements in the Jordan Valley 1880-1950
TB14  Investigating European Political and Media Views of Israel

Room 208

Chair: Amit Schejter, Pennsylvania State University and Ben-Gurion University of the Negev, schejter@psu.edu

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Lessons to Learn, Lessons to Give: Multicultural Europe’s Struggle with its Israeli and its Other “New Minorities”

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Israelis and Foreign News: Are We a Nation unto Ourselves?

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Speaking Weak Law in the Israeli-Palestinian Conflict: Eurolateralism and the European Court of Justice

Rusi Jaspal, University of Nottingham, rusi.jaspal@gmail.com

Constructing Boundaries between Iran and the ‘Zionist Regime’: An Analysis of the English-Language Iranian Press

*Elena Kondraieva-Bryzik was unfortunately killed in a train accident shortly before the conference.

Lunch 12:30 -14:15

EAIS - Lunch & discussion

Rabin Observatory 9th floor (Rabin Complex)

(Closed event)
SESSION C: 2:15pm-3:45pm

TC1 Developing, Protesting, Reporting, and Analyzing Neo-liberalism and its Opponents Room 201

Chair: Shlomo Egoz, Bar-Ilan University, egozsh@gmail.com
Yoav Mehozay, Harvard University, yoav.mehozay@gmail.com

Hyper-Regulation in Service of the Free Market: The Role of Emergency Powers in the Neoliberal Transformation of the Israeli Market
Gayil Talshir, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem msgayil@huji.ac.il

Fragmented Colors vs. One Kaleidoscope: Analyzing the Israeli Protest Movement
Chanan Naveh, Sapir College, chanan.naveh@gmail.com

The Cottage Cheese Protest in Israel – Did the Media Support the Boycott?

TC2 – Palestinians, Palestinian Israelis, and the State of Israel Room 206

Chair: Eman Abu Hanna Nahhas, Tel Aviv University, eman.nahhas@gmail.com
Yoav Kapshuk, Sapir College, kapshuk@gmail.com

Ashkenazim, Mizrahim and the Israeli-Palestinian Conflict
Kobi Peled, Ben-Gurion University of the Negev, kobipeled@yahoo.com

Some Reflections on Oral History among Palestinian Arab Israelis
Yehudith Auerbach, Bar-Ilan University, yehudit.auerbach@biu.ac.il

Reconciliation in the Israeli-Palestinian Conflict: Unrealizable Dream or Achievable Vision?
Attitudes of Israel-Jewish Elite Members to Reconciliation with the Palestinians
Yousef Jabareen, University of Haifa, yjabareen@gmail.com

On Indigenous Rights of Arab-Palestinians in Israel: International Standards and Reality
TC3 Analyzing Collisions and Intersections in 20th Century Israeli and Palestinian Cultures  Room 206

Chair: Yifat Gutman, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, yifat.gutman@gmail.com

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A Portrait of Multiple Identities in Mandatory Palestine: Bedouin Women and Jewish Refugees in Grete Wolf-Krakauer’s Artistic Oeuvre

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Israeli Stamps 1948-2010: Between Nationalism and Cosmopolitanism

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Fictional Boundaries and Historical Communities: Spatial and Visual Collisions and Intersections in 20th century Israel-Palestine

TC4 The Sense of Jewish Collective Victimhood in Israel: Nature and Consequences  Room 209

Chair: Eran Halperin, IDC, eranh75@hotmail.com

Ilan Peleg, Lafayette College & Middle East Institute, pelegi@lafayette.edu, Chosenness and Victimhood: The Dialectics of Israel and Other Nations

Daniel Bar-Tal, Tel Aviv University, daniel@post.tau.ac.il
The Cultivated Ideology of Collective Victimhood in Jewish Israeli Society: Nature and Consequences

Sonia Roccas, The Open University of Israel, sonia.roccas@gmail.com
On Being both a Victim and a Victimizer: Israeli Identity and Group-Based Guilt

Yechiel Klar, Tel Aviv University, yklar12@gmail.com
From Ancient Past to Eternity: Viewing Israel as a Trans-Generational Entity and Reactions to the Arab-Israeli Conflict.
TC5 Journalism and Communications in Mandatory Palestine  
Room 208

Chair: Orna Alyagon Darr, Carmel Academic Center, orna.a@carmel.ac.il

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The Struggle for Hearts and Minds – Propaganda in the Yishuv and its Current Implications

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The Confrontation between Elite and Popular Press in Palestine: 1919-1929

Mark Rosenberg, Bentley University, mrosenberg@bentley.edu

The Jerusalem International YMCA and the German Newspaper Controversy of 1933

TC6 - The Pacification of Europe: Lessons for the Middle East  
Room 114

Chair: Ben Mor, University of Haifa, b.mor@poli.haifa.ac.il

Discussant: Ilai Salzman, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, ilai.saltzman@mail.huji.ac.il

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The Missing Piece for Peace

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Enemies to Friends: The Wendtian Model and the Israeli-Palestinian Conflict

Carmela Lutmar, University of Haifa, clutmar@poli.haifa.ac.il

Should He Stay or Should He Go? - Deposing Leaders and Postwar Governance
TC7 New Research on 20th century Jerusalem

Chair: Yossi Katz, Bar-Ilan University, katzyo1@013.net.il

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Two Italian Lady Pilgrims in Jerusalem UNDER the British Mandate

Dotan Goren, Bar-Ilan University, do50@zahav.net.il
The Questionable Ownership of the Tombs of the Kings in Jerusalem

Na'ama Frostig, Bar-Ilan University, nfrostig@hotmail.com
Jerusalem as Portrayed in the Newspaper "Israel's Messenger"

Bracha Slae, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, brachaslae@gmail.com
Multicultural Heritage in the Conservation and Development of the Jewish Quarter of the Old City of Jerusalem from 1967-1975

TC8 Non-Governmental Organizations and the Possibilities for Mediation and Change in Israel/Palestine

Chair:

Sapir Handelman, Harvard University, sapir.handelman@gmail.com
An Israel-Palestinian Public Negotiating Congress: A Peacemaking Institution for a Desperate Situation of Intractable Conflict

Moshe Behar, University of Manchester, moshe.behar@manchester.ac.uk
Antinomies of Palestine/Israel

Charles W. Greenbaum, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, charlie.greenbaum@gmail.com
Ethnicity and the Effectiveness of Interventions for Human Rights in Israel and the Occupied Palestinian Territories: Analysis of Children's Rights Cases
TC9 Israeli Society in the Fifties, a Multicultural Society  Room 116

Chair: Nimrod Hagiladi, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, nimrodh@mscc.huji.ac.il

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Israeli Diversity as a Daily Picture: Taking the Bus in the 1950's

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Beyond Wadi Salib: Understanding Early Mizrahi Resistance Against the Israeli 'Melting Pot' Ideology 1948-1966

Kimmy Caplan, Bar-Ilan University, kimmyc@vanleer.org.il

Amram Blau, Neturei Karta and Sabbath Demonstrations, 1948-1963

TC10 Mandatory Palestine through A Gendered Lens  Room 322

Chair: Aviva Halamish, The Open University of Israel, avivaha@openu.ac.il

Discussant: Deborah Bernstein, University of Haifa, dbernstein@univ.haifa.ac.il

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Forced Segregation or Forced Integration? The Conflict around the Unification of Boys' and Girls' Hebrew Schools in Tiberias, 1922

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Well-Dressed Men: Dress and Masculinity in British-Ruled Palestine

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Being British in Palestine: A Feminine Perspective

TC11 American Attitudes towards Israel/Palestine  Room 008

Chair: Mitchell Bard, AICE, mitchellbard@gmail.com

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Is it True that American Jews are Distancing Themselves from Israel?

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Polarizing on Israel: Support for Israel among Members of the US Congress

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The Rise and Influence of the Religious Right: Israeli and American Perspectives

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Vulnerable Subjects: Jewish Activism and the Israel/Palestine Conflict
TC12  Zionist Israeli Education: New Prospective for the 21th Century  Room 10

Eshkol Tower, floor 30th

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Education in Mature Zionism

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The New Vision for Zionist Education: The Meaning of Jewish Sovereignty

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Educating toward Identity Zionism: An Assessment

TC13 Arab Women in Israel: Interaction, Confrontation and Empowerment  Room 19

Chair:

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"Son of Sulam" as an Empowering Experience for the Mukhtar's Daughter

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Women Reborn – A Women's Empowerment Project in Fureidis

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Arab Students' Empowerment in Teachers’ Training: Between Memorization and Creative Independent Thinking

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Education and Togetherness: The Feature Film Nadia - 1986: Reflecting the Conflict of Teenagers
Plenary Session
Hecht Museum Auditorium, Main Building

16:15-17:45

The Social Protest - a Year After

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Avihu Spivak
Avi Simchon
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WEDNESDAY, 27 June 2012

Registration: 8:00-18:00

Session A: 09:00-11:00

WA1 Sexuality and Jewish National Identity: Views from Within and Without
Room 209
Chair: Moshe Naor, York University, mnaor3@gmail.com

Shaun Halper, University of California at Berkeley, shaun.halper@gmail.com
"Homosexuality, Religion, and Zionism in the Hebrew Poetry of Mordechai Jiří Langer (1894-1943)"

Yuval Yonay, University of Haifa, yyonay@soc.haifa.ac.il
The New Gay Jewish Men: The "Postmodern" Juggling of National and Sexual Identities in Mandatory Palestine and Early State Period, Israel

Felice Naomi Wonenberg, Humboldt University, felice.naomi@yahoo.com
Frightened Soldiers or Homosexual Peyos Guys – How is Israel Portrayed in Films Viewed in Germany?

Orna Alyagon Darr, Carmel Academic Center, orna_a@carmel.ac.il
Proving Sex in Mandate Palestine (1918-1948)

WA2 Multilingualism, Multiculturalism and Feminism in Israeli Cinema and Photography   Room 206

Chair: Danielle Shworts, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, danielle.shworts@gmail.com

Lea Fima, McGill University, lea.fima@mcgill.ca
Multicultural Israel as Portrayed by Shmuel and Amir Hasfari in their Film –The Schwartz Dynasty

Dan Chyutin, University of Pittsburgh, dsc24@pitt.edu
"Who Can Find a Virtuous Woman?": Feminist Judaism in Contemporary Israeli Cinema

Jochai Rosen, University of Haifa, jochai.rosen@gmail.com
The Israel Individual and Globalization as Reflected in Contemporary Israeli Photography
WA3 Conflict and Coexistence in Shared Cultural Spaces       Room 323

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*The Business of "Coexistence" in Israel: Arab Music, Politics and Globalization during the 2000's*

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*YouTube as a New Battleground in the Israeli-Palestinian Conflict*

Abigail Wood, University of Haifa, avigail.wood@gmail.com

*Sounds of Prayer, Sounds of Conflict: Listening to Jewish-Israeli Multiculturalism at the Western Wall*

WA4 Examining Israeli Society: Liberal Democracy, Ethnic Democracy, or Ethnocracy?       Room 322

Chair: Ben Mollov, Bar-Ilan University, mollob@mail.biu.ac.il

Sammy Smooha, University of Haifa, ssamooha@univ.haifa.ac.il
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*Is Civic Service for Arabs in Israel a Step to Inclusive Citizenship?*

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*Debating Israel as a Liberal Democracy/Ethnic Democracy/Ethnocracy – Theoretical and Methodological Perspectives*

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*Purposive Assimilation and (New) Ethnic Identity in Israel*
WA5 New Perspectives on American Zionism Room 324

Chair: Sonja Wentling, Concordia College, wentling@cord.edu

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The Jewish State and International Cooperation: The United Nations from an American Zionist Perspective

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The November 29th Partition Resolution as a Turning Point within American Zionism

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The Diversity of American Zionism Prior to the Establishment of Israel: Analyzing H. Szold’s and Brandeis’ Views of Palestine

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WA6 Interpreting Popular and Foreign Cultural Representations of Israel Room 201

Chair: Alainya (Laini) Kavaloski, University of Wisconsin, kavaloski@wisc.edu

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Street Art on the Separation Barrier: Resistance or Commodification?

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The Israeli Karma: Jews, Palestinians and the Japanese in Osamu Tezuka’s "Adolf"

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Aspects of Multiculturalism in Contemporary Israeli Comics

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"From Collective Memory to Collected Memories": A Visual Interpretation of the Current Memorial Landscape of Military Cemeteries in Israel
WA7 Investigating Propaganda, Political Culture, and Popular Myth Room 208

Chair: Ori Yehudai, University of Chicago, oyehudai@uchicago.edu
Nimrod Hagiladi, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, nimrodh@mscc.huji.ac.il

Propaganda and Satire in the Struggle against the Black Market: From the Mandate Period to the Early Years of the State

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The Impact of Immigrants on Political Culture: The Case of Israel and its Uniqueness

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Tashkent, Teheran, Tel Aviv: The "Teheran Children" Revisited

WA8 Israeli Democracy and the Impact of Religion, Party System Change, and Electoral Reform Room 114

Chair: Ilan Ben-Ami, The Open University of Israel, ilanbe@openu.ac.il

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Religion and Local Government in Israel: Evidence from Netanya and Nazareth

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Local and National Electoral Turnout: A Theory and Evidence from the Israeli Case

Avraham Brichta, University of Haifa, brichta@poli.haifa.ac.il

Israel: From a Sectorial to a Territorial Democracy- The Probable Effect of an Electoral Reform

WA9 Identity and Its Contestation in Israeli Theater and Art Room 115

Chair: Dorit Yerushalmi, University of Haifa, dorit100@walla.com

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Identity Crisis in the Israeli Theatre

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Who Benefits from Public Funding of the Performing Arts in Israel? Provision for the Arts vs. Hegemony and Exclusion

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Israel Identity and its Representation in Modern Art

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Weaving and Unweaving the Israeli-Arab Conflict through Classical Greek Drama
WA10 Gender and Religious Education in Israel Room 201

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Single-Sex Education in State Religious Schools: Religious, Legal and Pedagogical Perspectives

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When Courts Pushed Politics to the Third Rail: The Legal Discourse Regarding Israeli Ultra-Orthodox Schools

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The Cultural Fight for Control in Israeli Religious Education

Hader Lipshitz, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, hadarmoshe.lipshits@mail.huji.ac.il

Ultra-Orthodox Educational Budgeting – The Failure of the Ultra-orthodox Parties

WA11 EU-Israel Relations Examined Eshkol Tower, Floor 30th

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The Israel Lobby in Brussels: The Rise of European Christian Zionism

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The Impact of Europeanization on the Bilateral Relations between Israel and Selected EU Member States

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EU-Israel: A Lasting "Special Relationship" Despite Clashing Perceptions
WA12 Literary Representations of Haifa and Agnon  Room 008

Chair: Nitza Ben-Dov, University of Haifa, bendov@research.haifa.ac.il

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Sisters, Home and Homeland in Sammy Michael's 'Hazozrah BeVadi' ("A Trumpet in the Wadi")

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The Converging Roads and Memories in Haifa

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Viewing Haifa: A Writer's Point-of-View

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The Voice and the Hands: the Feminine Voice of Bidme Yameha

WA13 Mandatory Palestine’s Cultural Diversity as Reflected in Musical Moments in Literature  Room 010

Chair: Yuval Shaked, University of Haifa, yuval.shaked@gmail.com

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Melodies of Malady: Aesthetic Neuroses as Otherness in Kenaz and Hendel

Yael Balaban, Ben-Gurion University of the Negev, ybalaban@bgu.ac.il

On Music, Literature and War, or Why is Tchaikovsky Brahms’ Wife?

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Music at the Watershed Moment in Mandatory Jerusalem
WA14 Changes Prior to The Crisis: The Kibbutz from the Establishment of the State to the Economic Crisis of the 1980’s Room 19

Chair: Michal Palgi. The Max Stern Emeq Yezreel Valley College, palgi@yvc.ac.il

Discussant: Aviva Halamish, The Open University of Israel, avivaha@gmail.com

Tal Elmaliach, Kibbutzim College, snir.tal@gmail.com

The ‘Golem’ that Revolted Against its Creator: The Relationship between Economics, Politics and Culture in HaKibbutz Ha’Artzi, 1956 –1977

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To Speak Russian and to Think American with a German Accent: America, Russia, Germany, and the Kibbutz Movement

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The Explosive Triangle: The Kibbutz, the Establishment of the State and "Mother Russia"

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Crossing Borders While Remaining in the Mainstream: Multicultural Themes in Kibbutz Narratives
Awards Ceremony and Reception
Hecht Museum Auditorium, Main Building

11:15-12:00

The Yonathan Shapiro Award for Best Book in Israel Studies
The Ben Halpern Award for Best Dissertation
The Baruch Kimmerling Award for Best Graduate Conference Paper

Plenary Session
Hecht Museum Auditorium, Main Building

Education, higher education and science in Multicultural Israel

12:00-13:30

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Lunch & Discussion 13:30 -15:00

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The Israel Studies on U.S. Campuses and the Impact of the AICE Visiting Israeli Professor Program.
SESSION C: 15:15-17:15

WC1 New Research on American Presidents, Zionism and Israel Room 322

Chair: Bat-Ami Zucker, Bar-Ilan University, zuckerami@gmail.com

Rafael Medoff, The David S. Wyman Institute for Holocaust Studies, rafaelmedoff@aol.com

Franklin D. Roosevelt, Palestine, and the Origins of the Jewish Vote
Sonja Wentling, Concordia College, wentling@cord.edu

Herbert Hoover, Unlikely Zionist

Gil Troy, McGill University, giltroy@gmail.com

President Ford, Ambassador Moynihan, and the 'Zionism is Racism' Resolution

WC2 Representation as Presence in Israeli Elites Room 201

Chair: Menachem Hofnung The Hebrew University of Jerusalem

Gideon Rahat, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, mgrah@.huji.ac.il and
Reut Itzkovith Malka, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, reut.itzko@gmail.com

Political Representation in Israel: Minority Sectors vs. Women

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Continuity and Change in the Social Background of Israel’s Military Elite

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The Social Representativeness of Cabinets in Israel: An Exclusive Club or Societal Microcosms?
WC3  Israeli Language Policy and its Implementation    Room 323

Chair:  Arie Kizel, University of Haifa, akizel@gmail.com

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Language Policy and Intergroup Deliberation – The Case of Israel

Amira Eran, Levinsky College, ueran98@inter.net.il

A Second Language as a First Vehicle to Form a New Identity

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Official, Secondary or Privileged? Planning for the Status of Arabic in Israel

Eyal Chowers, Tel Aviv University, echowers@gmail.com

Language and Fragmentation: Diminished Hebrew and the Lack of a Shared Political Vocabulary

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The Israeli University Language Learning Classroom as a Multilingual Microcosm

WC4  Food and Culture in Israel    Room 206

Chair:  Dafna Hirsch, The Open University of Israel, dafnahir@post.tau.ac.il

Discussant: Yael Zerubavel, Rutgers University, yaelzeru@rci.rutgers.edu

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Craving Meat during Israel’s Austerity Period

Esther Meir-Glitzenstein, Ben-Gurion University of the Negev, esmeir@bgu.ac.il

Longing for the Aromas of Baghdad: Food, Emigration and Transformation in the Lives of the Iraqi Jews in Israel in the 1950s

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Is there Jewish Food in Israel?
WC5  Primary Sources and the Preservation of Cultural Heritage    Room 114

Chair: Ora Zehavi, University of Haifa, ora@univ.haifa.ac.il

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Restoration and Preservation of David Perlov’s Documentary Films

Yuval Shaked, University of Haifa, yuval.shaked@gmail.com

Composer Abel Ehrlich and the Quest/ion for/of Building and Preserving an Israeli Musical Heritage

Sharon Shapira-Glaubach, University of Haifa, sshpilman@univ.haifa.ac.il

The Original and the Source: Are Libraries Contextualizing and (Re)Presenting the Past or the Future?

Merav Mack, Van Leer Jerusalem Institute, merav.mack@gmail.com

Hidden Treasures in the Historical Archives and Libraries of Jerusalem

WC6  Yiddish and Hebrew in Israel: Towards a Multidimensional Historiography
Room 019

Chair: Avraham Novershtern, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, nowers@cc.huji.ac.il

Discussant: Rachel Rojanski, Brown University, Rachel_rojanski@brown.edu

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Who is a Jew? The Presence of Yiddish in Polemics over Jewish Identity

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Language Politics, Memory and Discourse - Reflections on Dzigan's Autobiography

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"The War With The Jews That Had Not Yet Ended": Yossel Birstein's Israeli Yiddish Story "Between the Olive Trees" and its Broader Political Context

Yael Chaver, University of California-Berkeley, ychaver@berkeley.edu

Yiddish as a Cultural Touchstone in David Grossman’s See Under: Love and Aharon Megged’s Foigelman.
WC7 Theories, Methodology and Identity in Israeli Science        Room 324

Chair: Zohar Lechtman, Western Galilee Academic College, zoharlechtman@gmail.com

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The Scientization of Nation: Science and National Identity in Israel

Yohanan Peres, Tel Aviv University, yperes1@gmail.com

Social Surveys in Israel: Limitations, Achievements and Contributions

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A Federalist Multicultural Approach to Conflict Management in Israel Based on the Work of Daniel J. Elazar

WC8 Peace Making in the Israeli-Palestinian Conflict: Issues and Perspectives

Senate Hall, Floor 29th

Chair and Discussant: Tamar Hermann, The Open University of Israel, tamarhe@openu.ac.il

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War Normalizing Discourse (WND) - a Barrier to the Realization of Peace Processes

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Constructive Peace Process: Theory and Case Studies

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Mobilization to Peace Making: The Role of Peace Organizations

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Activists in Israeli Radical Peace Organizations: Why Did They Join These Organizations?
WC9 Migrant Workers in Israel  Room 208

Chair: Maya Shapiro, York University, shapiro.maya@gmail.com

Asif Efrat, Interdisciplinary Center (IDC) Herzliya, asif@idc.ac.il

Political Will to Curb Human Trafficking: Evidence from Israel

Amit Schejter, Pennsylvania State University and Ben-Gurion University of the Negev, schejter@psu.edu

'Woodcutters and Water Carriers': The Role of Media and Telecommunications in the Life of Migrant Workers and Political Asylum Seekers in Israel

Rebecca Raijman, University of Haifa, raijman@soc.haifa.ac.il

The 'Migration Industry': Recruitment Practices of Labor Migrants in Israel

Yael Aronof, Michigan State University, aronoffy@msu.edu

Border Narratives

WC10 Chaim Weizmann: Between European Roots and Jewish Resurrection  Room 115

Chair: Motti Golani, University of Haifa, golani@research.haifa.ac.il

Na'ama Sheffi, Sapir College, naamash@sapir.ac.il

'Something Close to Miserable Love": Weizmann and German Jewry

Meir Chazan, Tel Aviv University, ore1597@netvision.net.il

Chaim Weizmann and the Aberrant Image of Polish Jewish Immigrants to Palestine, 1924

Uri Cohen, Tel Aviv University, uricohen@post.tau.ac.il

The Daniel Sieff Institute’s First Steps, 1931-1935
WC11 Anomalies or a New Norm? European-Israeli Dual Citizens, Israel Emigrants Abroad and Non-Jewish Immigrants to Israel
Room 116

Chair: Dani Kranz, University of Erfurt, danikranz@gmail.com

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Somewhere between “I always feel I have to justify why I came to Israel” and “Tel Aviv is a really cool city”: German non-Jewish women in Israel

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The Israeli Quest for a European Passport: Dual Citizenship as Family Property and Status Symbol

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Access to German Citizenship: The Dynamics of Citizenship Law

WC12 The Imagined Communities of Contemporary Media
Room 008

Chair:

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Forever Israelis: Symbolic Negation of Migration via Consumption of Israeli Media

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Talkbacks and Football: A Meeting Point between the Societies that Assemble Israeli Society

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The Shabak and the Media: Historical and Theoretical Perspectives
WC13 Lessons from History: Centennial Reflections on How To—or How NOT To—Succeed as a "Nation of Immigrants" Room 010

Chair: Gur Alroey, University of Haifa, galroey@univ.haifa.ac.il

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Bring Us Your Tired, Your Poor, Your Hungry…or Not: The Galveston Movement's Role in the Struggle over American Immigration Restriction

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Galveston and Palestine: Immigration and Ideology in the Early Twentieth Century

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The United States’ Role in The Organized Exodus of Jews from the Russian Empire in the Early 20th Century

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Argentina: Between the Demand for Immigrants and the Fear of Them - the Case of Jewish Settlers.

WC14 Zionists and Palestinians, Confrontation and Coexistence in Ottoman Palestine Room 317

Chair: Jacob Barnai, University of Haifa, jacob.barnai@gmail.com

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"Incidents in Rehovot in Petitions Sent by the Neighboring Rural Population to Istanbul 1890-1913"

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Palestinian Peasant Housing Following the 1858 Ottoman Land Privatization Code: The 'New Native' Nationalism of the Palestinian Peasantry vis-à-vis Early Zionist Settlement

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Yitzhak Ben-Zvi and the Jewish Community in Kefar Peqi’in

Gideon Kouts, Université Paris 8, gkouts@orange.fr

Jakob Rabinowitz’s 'Turkish Option': On Prose and Poetry in Political Commentaries
WC15 Israeli Culture, Politics, and Identity Glimpsed Through a Canadian Lens
Room 209

Chair: Ofer Shiff, Ben-Gurion University of the Negev, oschiff@gmail.com

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"Jewish-Israeli Immigrants in the Greater Toronto Area: (Trans) National Identity, Belonging and Citizenship"

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Responses to Academic Boycotts: The Role of Voluntary Academic Faculty Associations

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Exploring Ethnic Contention in Divided Societies: A Relational Approach to Examining Trajectories of Institutionalization and Deinstitutionalization among the Canadian Quebecois and the Arab Minority

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Israel Viewed through Israeli/Canadian Eyes: Edeet Ravel's Tel Aviv Trilogy

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