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THE ROLE OF TRUST IN CONFLICT RESOLUTION

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496 Hall (4th floor), Gilman Bldg. Tel Aviv University

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14:30-14:45  **Greetings**

Prof. Mordechai Tamarkin, Head, the Tami Steinmetz Center for Peace Research, Tel Aviv University

Prof. Raanan Rein, Head The S. Daniel Abraham Center for International and Regional Studies and Vice President of Tel Aviv University

Prof. Eli Friedlander, Chair, the Department of Philosophy, Tel Aviv University

14:45-16:15  **Opening Session**

The Essence of Trust between Parties to Negotiations on Conflict Resolution

Chair: Prof. Ilai Alon, the Department of Philosophy, Tel Aviv University

Prof. Shlomo Avineri, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, former Director-General, Israel's Ministry of Foreign Affairs

**Between trust, mutual interests and verification**

Prof. Asa Kasher, Laura Schwarz-Kipp Professor of Professional Ethics and Philosophy of Practice, the Department of Philosophy, Tel Aviv University

Trust as a value

16:15-16:30  Break

16:30-18:30  **Session II**

How has Trust been established in Past Conflict Resolution Cases

Chair and Discussant: Prof. Arie Nadler, School of psychological sciences, Argentina Chair for Research in Social Psychology Tel Aviv University

Prof. Piotr Sztompka, Institute of Sociology, Jagiellonian University, Krakow, Poland

**Two theoretical approaches to trust - their implications for the resolution of intergroup conflict**

Prof. Mari Fitzduff, Master's Program in Coexistence and Conflict, Brandeis University, Boston, USA

Lessons learned on trust building in Northern Ireland

Prof. Dinka Corkalo Biruski, Department of Psychology, Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences, University of Zagreb, Croatia

**Determinants of trust: Lessons from a divided post-conflict community**

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Thursday, January 9th, 2014

9:30-11:30  Session III
Factors of Trust among Israelis and Palestinians
Chair and Discussant: Prof. Dan Jacobson, Department of Labor Studies, Tel Aviv University

Prof. Shalom Rosenberg, Department of Jewish Thought, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem
"Emun" and "Emuna", trust and faith in Jewish tradition

Prof. Ephraim Yaar, The Evens Program in Conflict Resolution and Mediation, Tel Aviv University
Correlates of mis-trust among Israeli Jews (socio-political aspect)

Prof. Ilai Alon, Department of Philosophy, Tel Aviv University
Some comments on trust in Arabic-speaking Islam

11:30-11:45  Break

11:45-13:30  Session IV
The Importance of Trust in the Israeli-Palestinian Negotiations - Part One
Chair and Discussant: Prof. Ramzi Suleiman, Department of Psychology, University of Haifa

Dr. Yossi Beilin, Former minister of Justice
How can trust, built on personal level, be transmitted to leaders and constituents?
The Israeli-Palestinian case

Mr. Walid Salem, Lecturer on democracy, human rights and conflict resolution at Al Quds University; Director of the Center for Democracy and Community Development (CDCD)
Confidence building measures in the Israeli Palestinian conflict: Critical review

Prof. Amal Jamal, Department of Political Science, Tel Aviv University
Divergent trust in conflict situations: The case of Palestinian citizens of Israel

13:30-14:30  Lunch break

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14:30-16:30  **Session V**
The Importance of Trust in the Israeli-Palestinian Negotiations - Part Two
Chair and Discussant: Prof. Dan Zaky, Department of Psychology, Tel Aviv University.
Head, Graduate program in Organizational Behavior and Development, The Inter-Disciplinary Center

Dr. Yehudith Auerbach, Department of Political Studies and School of Communication, Bar Ilan University

Lack of trust as a barrier to reconciliation in the Israeli-Palestinian conflict

Prof. Galia Golan, Darwin Professor, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, Head, MA Program, Diplomacy and Conflict Studies at The Interdisciplinary Centre

The role of trust in Israeli peace-making

Prof. Asher Susser, Department of Middle Eastern and African History, Tel Aviv University

Historical narratives and the issue of trust

16:30-16:45  Break

16:45-17:45  **Session VI**
Trust Building in the Israeli-Palestinian Conflict: What should be done?
Chair: Dr. Ron Pundak, Chairman of the Israeli Peace NGO Forum

Mr. Ehud Olmert, Former Prime Minister

The conflict solution – a discourse between leaders

Concluding remarks
Prof. Dan Jacobson, Department of Labor Studies, Tel Aviv University

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