

# World Summit on Counter-Terrorism: Terrorism's Global Impact

ICT's 11<sup>th</sup> Annual International Conference

September 11-14, 2011, Herzliya, Israel

## Schedule\*

**Sunday September 11, at the Center for Performing Arts, Herzliya**

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### Special Sessions: Talking Heads

#### 12:30 - 13:15: Opening

- **Dr. Boaz Ganor**, Executive Director of ICT; Deputy Dean of the Lauder School of Government, Diplomacy and Strategy, IDC Herzliya, Israel
- **Mr. Shabtai Shavit**, Former Head of the Mossad; Chairman, ICT Board of Directors, Israel

### The "Talking Heads" series will address the following topics:

- Declaration of a Palestinian State and its impact on the Middle-East Peace Process
- The Arab Spring and Developments in the Middle East
- Global Terrorism after 9/11 & How to counter it?

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\* Conference schedule and content are subject to change.

### 13:15 - 15:00: Session One

- **Dr. Uzi Landau**, Minister of National Infrastructures, Israel
- **Lt. Gen. (Res.) Amnon Lipkin-Shahak**, Former Chief of Staff, IDF, Israel
- **Maj. Gen. (Res.) Uri Sagi**, Former Head, Military Intelligence Directorate, Israel
- **Maj. Gen. (Res.) Uzi Dayan**, Former IDF Deputy Chief of Staff, Former National Security Adviser, Israel

**Chair:** Mr. Oded Granot, Head of the Middle East Desk, Israeli TV Channel 1, Israel

### 15:00 - 15:30: Break

### 15:30 - 17:30: Session Two

- **Maj. Gen. (Ret.) David Ivry**, President of Boeing Israel and Former Deputy Chief of Staff, IDF, Israeli Ambassador to the US and National Security Advisor, Israel
- **Maj. Gen. (Ret.) Danny Yatom**, Former Head of the Mossad, Israel
- **Maj. Gen. (Ret.) Aharon Ze'evi-Farkash**, Former Head, Military Intelligence Directorate, Israel
- **Brig. Gen. Yoav "Poli" Mordechai**, Spokesperson, Israel Defense Forces, Israel

**Chair:** Ms. Smadar Peri, Chief Arab World Correspondent, Yediot Aharonot, Israel

### 17:30 - 17:45: Break

### 17:45 - 19:30: Session Three

- **Lt. Gen. (Ret.) Shaul Mofaz**, Chairman, Foreign Affairs and Defense Committee, Israeli Knesset; Former Minister of Defense and Former IDF Chief of Staff, Israel
- **Mr. Shahar Ayalon**, Commander, Fire and Rescue Service, Israel
- **Brig. Gen. (Res.) Dani Arditi**, Former National Security Adviser, Israel
- **Prof. Moshe Arens**, Former Minister of Defense and Foreign Affairs, Israel

**Chair:** Ms. Tallie Lipkin-Shahak, Journalist, IDF Radio, Israel

# Opening Evening & Memorial Ceremony

## 19:30: Reception

## 20:15 - 20.45: Greetings

- **Prof. Uriel Reichman**, President, IDC Herzliya, Israel
- **Mr. Shabtai Shavit**, Former Head of the Mossad; Chairman, ICT Board of Directors, Israel
- **Prof. Alex Mintz**, Dean, Lauder School of Government, Diplomacy and Strategy, IDC Herzliya, Israel
- **Dr. Boaz Ganor**, Executive Director of ICT; Deputy Dean of the Lauder School of Government, Diplomacy and Strategy, IDC Herzliya, Israel

## 20.45 - 21.15: Keynote Speaker:

- **MK Tzipi Livni**, Leader of the Opposition and Head of the Kadima Party, Israel

## 21:15: Memorial Ceremony

### Memorial Ceremony - In Remembrance of the Atrocities of September 11, 2001 and the Victims of Terrorism Worldwide

#### Keynote Speakers:

- **Congressman Trent Franks**, Member of the Armed Services Committee, House of Representatives, U.S.A.
- **H.E. Mr. Daniel Shapiro**, Ambassador of the United States of America to Israel
- **Sheriff Lee Baca**, Sheriff of Los Angeles County, U.S.A.

#### Master of Ceremonies:

**Mr. Jonathan Davis**, Head of the Raphael Recanati International School, Vice President for External Relations, IDC Herzliya, Israel

## **Plenary Session**

### **09.00 – 09.30: Keynote Speaker:**

- **Lt. Gen. (Ret.) Moshe Yaalon**, Deputy Prime Minister & Minister of Strategic Affairs, Israel

### **09:30 - 11:00**

- **Commissioner Yohanan Danino**, General Commissioner of Police, Israel
- **Sheriff Lee Baca**, Sheriff of Los Angeles County, U.S.A.
- **Prof. Alex P. Schmid**, Director of the Terrorism Research Initiative (TRI) & Former Officer-in-Charge of the Terrorism Prevention Branch, The United Nations, The Netherlands

### **11:00 - 11:30: Break**

### **11:30 - 13:30**

- **Ambassador William Paterson**, Ambassador for Counter-Terrorism, Australia
- **Dr. Rohan Gunaratna**, Head of the International Centre for Political Violence and Terrorism Research at Nanyang Technological University, Singapore
- **Mr. Dan Meridor**, Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Intelligence and Atomic Energy, Israel
- **Dr. Matthew Levitt**, Director, Stein Program on Counterterrorism and Intelligence, The Washington Institute for Near East Policy, U.S.A.

### **13:30 - 14:30: Lunch**

### 14:30 - 16:30:

- **Prof. Fernando Reinares**, Professor of Political Science, Universidad Rey Juan Carlos, and Senior Analyst on International Terrorism, Real Instituto Elcano Madrid, Spain
- **Mr. Robert G. Young**, Executive Director General for Counter-Terrorism, Canadian Security Intelligence Service, Canada
- **Dr. Boaz Ganor**, Executive Director, ICT, Deputy Dean, Lauder School of Government, Diplomacy and Strategy, IDC Herzliya, Israel
- **Gen. Ashok K. Mehta**, Former General Officer Commanding, Indian Peace Keeping Forces (IPKF) in Sri Lanka, India

### 16:30 - 17:00: Break

### 17:00 - 19:00

- **Prof. Bassam Tibi**, Professor of International Relations at the University of Goettingen, Director of the Center for International Affairs & A.D. White Professor at Large at Cornell University, Germany
- **Dr. Sergey Kurginyan**, President, International Public Foundation Experimental Creative Center, Russian Federation
- **Mr. Frank Van Beuningen**, Head, Counter Terrorism and National Security Division, Security Policy Department, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, The Netherlands
- **Brig. Gen. (Res.) Nitzan Nuriel**, Director, Counter-Terrorism Bureau, Israel

### 19.15 – 20.00: Keynote Speaker:

- **Lt. Gen. (Ret.) Gabi Ashkenazi**, Former Chief of Staff, IDF, Israel

### Master of Ceremonies:

- **Mr. Jonathan Davis**, Head of the Raphael Recanati International School, Vice President for External Relations, IDC Herzliya, Israel

## Workshop Sessions

09:00: Reception

09:30 - 12:30: Morning Workshops

1. **New Battlefields/Old Laws: The Scope of the 21st Century Battlefield: Forecasting the Legal and Policy Landscape**

- **Chair: Prof. William C. Banks**, Director, Institute for National Security and Counter-Terrorism, Syracuse University, U.S.A.
- **Prof. Geoffrey Corn**, Associate Professor of Law, South Texas College of Law, Houston, U.S.A.
- **Prof. Oren Gross**, Irving Younger Professor of Law & Director, Institute for International Legal & Security Studies, University of Minnesota, U.S.A.
- **Prof. Eric T. Jensen**, Visiting Assistant Professor, School of Law, Fordham University, U.S.A.
- **Dr. Daphné Richemond-Barak**, Lecturer, Radzyner School of Law, IDC Herzliya, Israel
- **Dr. Corri Zoli**, Research Fellow, Institute for National Security and Counterterrorism, Syracuse University, U.S.A.

2. **Terrorism and Local Preparedness: The Importance of Crises Management, Rescue and Recovery**

- **Chair: Dr. Leonard Cole**, Adjunct Professor of Political Science, Rutgers University, Newark, New Jersey, U.S.A.
- **Commissioner Andrew Friedman**, Los Angeles City Fire Commissioner, U.S.A.
- **Dr. Brian Hay**, Chair of Canada's Mackenzie Institute, Canada
- **Mr. Denis Monette**, Chairman of STARCOM (Stop Terrorism Aggressive Response Coordinated Operational Management) and Former Assistant Commissioner of Police, Nassau, New York, U.S.A.
- **Col. (Res.) Gili Shenhar**, Senior Researcher of Disaster Response & Emergency Preparedness, The National Trauma Center Gertner Institute for Epidemiology and Health Policy Research, Israel
- **Brig. Gen. (Res.) Zeev "Vova" Tsuk-Ram**, Deputy for Homeland Security, Prime Minister's Office – National Security Consultant, Israel

### 3. Fronts and Theater of Global Jihad

- **Chair: Dr. Eitan Azani**, Deputy Director, ICT, IDC Herzliya, Israel
- **Mr. Daniele Moro**, Visiting Scholar, Center for Transatlantic Relations, Johns Hopkins University, U.S.A.
- **Mr. Jonathan S. Paris**, Nonresident Senior Fellow, South Asia Center, Atlantic Council, U.S.A.
- **Dr. Micha'el M. Tanchum**, Fellow in the Department of Middle East and Islamic Studies and the Department of Government, Law, and Diplomacy at the Shalem Center in Jerusalem.
- **Dr. Darko Trifunovic**, Professor, Faculty of Security Studies, University of Belgrade, Serbia
- **Mr. Ma Xiaolin**, Director, Chinese Academy for Middle East Studies and CEO and Editor in Chief of ChinaBBS.com

### 4. Prosecution and Terrorism Financing – 10 Years After 9/11

- **Chair: Col. (Ret.) Jonathan Fighel**, Senior Researcher, ICT, IDC Herzliya, Israel
- **Mr. Michael Jacobson**, Senior Advisor to the Counter-Terrorism Coordinator, State Department, U.S.A.
- **Mr. Paul Landes**, Director, Israel Money Laundering Prohibition Authority (IMPA), Ministry of Justice, Israel
- **Dr. Matthew Levitt**, Director, Stein Program on Counterterrorism and Intelligence, The Washington Institute for Near East Policy, U.S.A.
- **Mr. Shale D. Stiller**, Senior Partner, DLA-Piper

### 5. The Radicalization Process in the West - The Transformation of Radicalization into Political Extremism and Terrorism

- **Chair: Prof. Fernando Reinares**, Professor of Political Science, Universidad Rey Juan Carlos, and Senior Analyst on International Terrorism, Real Instituto Elcano Madrid, Spain
- **Dr. Rony Berger**, Director, Disaster Relief and Rehabilitation Unit, Brit Olam; Fellow, Psychology Beyond Borders, Faculty, Emergency Medicine Program, Ben Gurion University, Israel
- **Dr. Jonathan Fine**, Research Fellow, ICT and Academic Advisor, Raphael Recanati International School, Program in Government, Diplomacy and Strategy, IDC Herzliya, Israel
- **Dr. Joshua Sinai**, Associate Professor/Research, NDSSL-VBI, Virginia Tech (National Capital Region), Arlington, VA, U.S.A.
- **Prof. Bassam Tibi**, Professor of International Relations at the University of Goettingen, Director of the Center for International Affairs & A.D. White Professor at Large at Cornell University, Germany
- **Dr. Lorenzo Vidino**, Visiting Fellow, Center for Security Studies, ETH Zurich, Switzerland

**12:30 - 14:00: Lunch Break**

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## 14:00 - 17:00: Afternoon Workshops

### 1. New Media and Old Media – Their Roles in Politics, Violence and Terrorism

- **Chair: Prof. Gerald Steinberg**, Executive Director, NGO Monitor & Founder, Program on Conflict Management and Negotiation, Bar Ilan University, Israel
- **Ms. Sharon Attia**, Ph.D. Candidate, London School of Economics and Political Science (LSE), United Kingdom
- **Prof. Liu Kang**, Dean of Shanghai Jiaton University - Institute of Arts and Humanities, China and Professor of Asian and Middle Eastern Studies, Duke University, China
- **Mr. Leonard Stern**, Director General of Communications, Canadian Security Intelligence Service, Ottawa, Canada
- **Dr. Abraham Wagner**, Professor of International and Public Affairs (SIPA), Columbia University; Senior Research Fellow, Saltzman Institute of War and Peace Studies, NY, U.S.A.

### 2. Hamas and Hezbollah as Hybrid Terrorist Organizations

- **Chair: Prof. Martin Kramer**, Senior Fellow at the Shalem Center in Jerusalem, and President-designate of Shalem College, Israel
- **Dr. Eitan Azani**, Deputy Director, ICT, IDC Herzliya, Israel
- **Dr. Benedetta Berti**, Associate Fellow and Lecturer at the Institute for National Security Studies (INSS), Tel-Aviv University, Israel
- **Col. (Res.) Ronen Cohen**, Research Associate, ICT, IDC Herzliya, and Former Head of the Terrorism Section, IDF Military Intelligence, Israel
- **Col. (Ret.) Jonathan Figchel**, Senior Researcher, ICT, IDC Herzliya, Israel
- **Dr. Matthew Levitt**, Director, Stein Program on Counterterrorism and Intelligence, The Washington Institute for Near East Policy, U.S.A.

### 3. Countering Violent Extremism and Radicalization

- **Chair: Dr. Lorenzo Vidino**, Visiting Fellow, Center for Security Studies, ETH Zurich, Switzerland
- **Dr. Israel Elad-Altman**, Senior Research Fellow, Institute of Policy and Strategy (IPS), IDC Herzliya, Israel
- **Dr. Rohan Gunaratna**, Head of the International Centre for Political Violence and Terrorism Research at Nanyang Technological University, Singapore
- **Mr. Colin Mellis**, Policy Advisor, Ministry of Security and Justice, National Coordinator for Counterterrorism and Security (NCTV), Directorate of Policy and Strategy, The Netherlands
- **Mr. Michael Whine**, Director, Government & International Affairs at the Community Security Trust, U.K.
- **Adv. Brooke Goldstein**, Director, The Lawfare Project, U.S.A.

#### 4. Counter-Terrorism Policing

- **Chair: Dr. Robert R. Friedmann**, Director, Georgia International Law Enforcement Exchange, U.S.A.
- **Sheriff Lee Baca**, Sheriff of Los Angeles County, U.S.A.
- **Mrs. Deborah Garner**, Assistant Special Agent in Charge, Georgia Bureau of Investigation, U.S.A.
- **Chief Michael Grossman**: Commander, Homeland Security Division, Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department, U.S.A.
- **Dr. Samuel Musa**, Senior Research Fellow, Center for Technology and National Security Policy, National Defense University (NDU), U.S.A.
- **Mr. Wayne Smith**, Special Agent in Charge, Georgia Bureau of Investigation, U.S.A.

#### 5. The revolutions in the Arab world from the perspectives of Iran and Al Qaeda

- **Chair: Dr. Col. (Res.) Shaul Shay**, Former Head of Security Policy Division, National Security Council; Research Fellow, ICT, IDC Herzliya, Israel
- **Mr. Ilan Berman**, Vice President, American Foreign Policy Council, U.S.A.
- **Dr. Ely Karmon**, Senior Research Scholar, ICT, IDC Herzliya, Israel
- **Prof. David Menashri**, Founding-Director of the Center for Iranian Studies, Incumbent of the Parviz and Pouran Nazarian Chair for Modern Iranian Studies, Senior Research fellow at the Moshe Dayan Center for Middle Eastern and African Studies and Professor at the Department of Middle Eastern and African History, Tel-Aviv University, Israel
- **Dr. Assaf Moghadam**, Senior Lecturer, Lauder School of Government, Diplomacy & Strategy and Senior Researcher, International Institute for Counter-Terrorism (ICT), The Interdisciplinary Center (IDC), Herzliya, Israel

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### Exhibition on Counter-Terrorism Policing

## Workshop Sessions

### 09:30-12:30: Morning Workshops

#### 1. The Middle East: Between Democracy and State Failure?

- **Chair: Dr. Amichai Magen**, Head of Political Development and Senior Researcher, ICT, IDC Herzliya, Israel
- **Dr. Benedetta Berti**, Associate Fellow and Lecturer at the Institute for National Security Studies (INSS), Tel-Aviv University, Israel
- **Prof. Uzi Rabi**, Chair, Department of Middle Eastern and African History, Tel-Aviv University, Israel
- **Dr. Jan Techau**, Director, Carnegie Endowment for International Peace (CEIP), Europe
- **Prof. Eyal Zisser**, Dean, Faculty of Humanities & Director of the Moshe Dayan Center for Middle Eastern Studies, Tel Aviv University, Israel
- **Dr. Christoph Zuercher**, Graduate School of Public and International Affairs at the University of Ottawa, Canada

#### 2. The Evolution of Global Jihad – The Global Jihadi Network Without Bin Laden and the Ramifications to U.S. Counter-Terrorism Policy

- **Chair: Dr. Assaf Moghadam**, Senior Lecturer, Lauder School of Government, Diplomacy & Strategy and Senior Researcher, International Institute for Counter-Terrorism (ICT), IDC Herzliya, Israel
- **Mr. David Blose**, Counter-Terrorism Analyst, Intelligence Fusion Centre, N.A.T.O.
- **Dr. Rohan Gunaratna**, Head of the International Centre for Political Violence and Terrorism Research at Nanyang Technological University, Singapore
- **Col. (Ret.) Behram A. Sahukar**, The Parachute Regiment (Special Forces), Indian Army, India
- **Dr. Jose Sanmartin**, Professor of Political Science and Public Administration, University of Alicante, Spain

### 3. The Transition from the Palestinian Authority to a Palestinian state: The U.N. Declaration and the Coming Elections

- **Co-Chair: Prof. Irwin Cotler**, Member of Canadian Parliament and Former Minister of Justice and Attorney General, Canada
- **Co-Chair: Dr. Barak Ben Zur**, Lecturer, IDC Herzliya, and Former Senior Director, Israel Security Agency (ISA), Israel
- **Mr. Daniel Ayalon**, Deputy Minister of Foreign Affairs, Israel
- **Dr. Rateb Amro**, Director General and Founder, Horizon Center for Studies and Research, Jordan
- **Col. (Res.) Shlomo Mofaz**, Research Associate, ICT, IDC Herzliya, Israel
- **H.E. Robert H. Serry**, Special Coordinator for the Middle East Peace Process (UNSCO), United Nations

### 4. Successes and Flaws of International Counter-Terrorism Cooperation a Decade after 9/11

- **Chair: Prof. Alex Schmid**, Director of the Terrorism Research Initiative (TRI) & Former Officer-in-Charge of the Terrorism Prevention Branch, The United Nations, The Netherlands
- **Dr. Gil Ariely**, Chief Knowledge Officer (CKO), ICT, IDC Herzliya, Israel
- **Mr. Frank Van Beuningen**, Head, Counter Terrorism and National Security Division, Security Policy Department, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, The Netherlands
- **Mr. Weixiong Chen**, Deputy Executive Director, Counter-Terrorism Committee Executive Directorate (CTED), United Nations
- **Brig. Gen. (Res.) Nitzan Nuriel**, Director, Counter-Terrorism Bureau, Israel

### 5. The Role of Proactive Measures and "Targeted Killings" in Modern Counter-Terrorism Strategies

- **Chair: Prof. Ariel Merari**, Professor Emeritus, Tel-Aviv University, Israel
- **Maj. Gen. (Res.) Doron Almog**, Former Commander of the Southern Command, Israel Defense Force, Israel
- **Dr. Richard Chasdi**, Adjunct Assistant Professor, Center for Peace and Conflict Studies and Center of Academic Excellence in National Security Intelligence Studies, U.S.A.
- **Adv. Ophir Falk**, Ph.D. Candidate, School of Political Sciences, Faculty of Social Sciences, University of Haifa & Research Associate, ICT, IDC Herzliya, Israel
- **Prof. Asa Kasher**, Laura Schwarz-Kipp Chair in Professional Ethics and Philosophy of Practice, Tel-Aviv University, Israel
- **Col. (Res.) Adv. Daniel Reisner**, Former Head, International Law Branch, Israel Defense Force Legal Division & Research Associate, ICT, IDC Herzliya, Israel
- **Dr. Nicholas Rostow**, Director, Center for Strategic Research, Institute for National Strategic Studies and Distinguished Research Professor, National Defense University, U.S.A.

## 6. Global Islamism : Recent Trends from the New World Almanac of Islamism

- **Chair:** **Mr. Ilan Berman**, Vice President, American Foreign Policy Council, U.S.A.
- **Dr. Shmuel Bar**, Director of Studies at the Institute of Policy and Strategy, IDC Herzliya, Israel
- **Mr. Don Radlauer**, Executive Director, Institute for the Study of Asymmetric Conflict (ISAC), Israel
- **Ms. Yael Shahar**, Senior Researcher, ICT, IDC Herzliya, Israel
- **Dr. Lorenzo Vidino**, Visiting Fellow, Center for Security Studies, ETH Zurich, Switzerland

12:30 -14:00: Lunch Break

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14:00-17:00 - Afternoon Workshops

### 1. The Role and the Involvement of International Actors in Regions of Civil Unrest

- **Chair:** **Dr. Daphné Richemond-Barak**, Lecturer, Radzyner School of Law, IDC Herzliya, Israel
- **Mr. Raoul Bittel**, Deputy Head of Delegation, International Committee of the Red Cross (ICRC), Israel and the Occupied Territories
- **Dr. Giora Eliraz**, Research Fellow, Institute for Counter Terrorism, IDC, Herzliya, Israel
- **Gen. Ashok K. Mehta**, Former General Officer Commanding, Indian Peace Keeping Forces (IPKF) in Sri Lanka, India
- **Mr. Alistair Millar**, Director, Center on Global Counterterrorism Cooperation, U.S.A.

## 2. What's next? Future Terrorist Scenarios and Technological Means to Counter Them

- **Co-Chair: Dr. Harvey Rubin**, Director, Institute for Strategic Threat Analysis and Response (ISTAR), University of Pennsylvania, U.S.A.
- **Co-Chair: Ms. Yael Shahar**, Senior Researcher, ICT, IDC Herzliya, Israel
- **Dr. Boaz Ganor**, Executive Director, ICT, Deputy Dean, Lauder School of Government, Diplomacy and Strategy, IDC Herzliya, Israel
- **Dr. Miriam Halperin Wernli**, Vice President, Deputy Head Global Clinical Development, Global Head Business & Science Affairs, Actelion Pharmaceuticals, Switzerland
- **Dr. Markus Hellenthal**, Former CEO & President of Thales Deutschland, former CEO of the Business Unit Global Security of EADS (now Cassidian) and former Chief Border Guards and Aviation Security of the Federal Republic of Germany.
- **Adv. Elad Popovich**, Researcher, International Institute for Counter-Terrorism (ICT), IDC Herzliya, Israel
- **Dr. Abraham Wagner**, Professor of International and Public Affairs (SIPA), Columbia University; Senior Research Fellow, Saltzman Institute of War and Peace Studies, NY, U.S.A.

## 3. Countering Maritime Terrorism – The New Platform for Global Jihadi Terrorists

- **Co-Chair: Dr. Marc A. Genest**, Forrest Sherman Chair of Public Diplomacy in the Strategy and Policy Department and Co-Director of the Center on Irregular Warfare and Armed Groups, U.S. Naval War College, U.S.A.
- **Co-Chair: Admiral (ret.) Abraham Ben-Shoshan**, Former Commander of the Navy, Israel Defense Forces, Israel
- **Dr. Andrea Dew**, Co-Director, Center on Irregular Warfare and Armed Groups (CIWAG), U.S. Naval War College, U.S.A.
- **Mr. Ye Hailin**, Deputy Head, Chinese Academy of Social Sciences, Institute of Asia-Pacific Studies, China
- **Col. (Ret.) Behram A. Sahukar**, The Parachute Regiment (Special Forces), Indian Army, India
- **Captain Thomas Sass**, MG Wild Bill Donovan Special Operations Forces Chair, Joint Military Operations, U.S. Naval War College, U.S.A.

#### 4. The Muslim Brotherhood's role in the revolutions in the Arab countries

- **Chair: Dr. Reuven Paz**, Director, Project for the Research of Islamist Movements (PRISM), GLORIA Center, IDC Herzliya, Israel
- **Ms. Noam Jolles**, Thesis Student, Lauder School of Government, Diplomacy & Strategy, IDC Herzliya, Israel
- **Dr. Heidi Elizabeth Lane**, Director, Greater Middle East Research Study Group/Area of Study Track, United States Naval War College, United States
- **Mr. Salameh Nematt**, Founder and Principal, Pillar Seven & Former Washington Bureau Chief, Al Hayat, Jordan
- **Prof. Eyal Zisser**, Dean, Faculty of Humanities & Director of the Moshe Dayan Center for Middle Eastern Studies, Tel Aviv University, Israel

#### 5. External Influences on the Palestinian Arena

- **Chair: Maj. Gen. (Res.) Danny Rothschild**, Director, Institute of Policy and Strategy (IPS), IDC Herzliya, Israel
- **Mr. Avi Issacharoff**, Palestinian and Arab Affairs Correspondent, Ha'aretz Daily Newspaper, Israel
- **Dr. Ely Karmon**, Senior Research Scholar, ICT, IDC Herzliya, Israel
- **Mr. Jonathan S. Paris**, Nonresident Senior Fellow, South Asia Center, Atlantic Council, U.S.A.
- **Dr. Randall G. Rogan**, Associate Dean, Wake Forest University, U.S.A.
- **Prof. Gerald Steinberg**, Executive Director, NGO Monitor & Founder, Program on Conflict Management and Negotiation, Bar Ilan University, Israel
- **Dr. Jan Techau**, Director, Carnegie Endowment for International Peace (CEIP), Europe