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Humboldt German – Israeli Roundtable Sustainability and Peace-Building July 13 – 14, 2015 Freie Universität Berlin

Sunday, July 12. Faculty Club, SEMINARIS CampusHotel Berlin, Takustraße 39, 14195 Berlin

19:00-21:00 Informal Get-Together

Monday, July 13. Senate Assembly Hall, Henry Ford Building, Garystraße 35, 14195 Berlin-Dahlem

9:00 **Greetings and Welcome**

Miranda Schreurs, Director, Environmental Policy Research Centre, Freie Universität Berlin (host)

9:15 **Opening Remarks**

Avi Gottlieb, Tel Aviv University, *Depoliticizing and Repoliticizing Sustainable Peace-Building in the Middle East*

9:45 Simone Heil, Alexander von Humboldt Foundation, *Networks of Excellence: Programmes and Initiatives for Israel*

10:15 **Keynote Address**

Stuart Schoenfeld, York University, *Regional Environmental Challenges and the Cultivation of Empathy in the Eastern Mediterranean*

11:00 **Coffee Break**

11:30 **Session 1. Global Challenges, Regional Solutions: Climate Change**

Chairs:

Ofira Ayalon, Natural Resource & Environmental Research Center, University of Haifa, *Global threats, regional solutions*

Dan Rabinowitz, Tel Aviv University, *Climate of peace? Global warming and regional stability in the Middle East*

13:00 **Buffet Lunch** (2nd-floor foyer, Henry Ford Building)

Monday, July 13 – cont'd

14:00 **Session 2 (extended). *Regional Challenges, Regional Solutions: Hydro-Diplomacy and the Water-Energy Nexus***

Chairs:

Gidon Bromberg, EcoPeace Middle East, *The water and energy nexus as a catalyst for Middle East peace*

Benjamin Pohl, adelphi, *The rise of hydro-diplomacy: strengthening foreign policy for transboundary waters*

Tobias Ide, Universität Hamburg, *Water conflict or water cooperation*

Jürgen Scheffran, Universität Hamburg, *Sustainable peace in the energy-water-climate nexus in the Middle East*

16:00 **Coffee Break**

16:30 **Session 3. *Population Growth, Migration, and Sustainable Consumption***

Chairs:

Christiane Fröhlich, Universität Hamburg, *Economic, political and environmental causes of migratory movements in the MENA region*

Rafi Groszlick, Tel Aviv University, *Cultural environmentalism in Israel – sociological analysis of the case of organic hummus*

18:00 **End of Day 1**

Tuesday, July 14. Senate Assembly Hall, Henry Ford Building, Garystraße 35, 14195 Berlin-Dahlem

9:00 **Session 4 (extended). *The Domestic Landscape: Jews, Arabs, and Environmental Justice in Israel***

Chairs:

Natalia Gutkowski, Tel Aviv University, *Time, others and experts in development plans for Bikat Beit Netofa/ Sahel el Batuf*

Hussein Tarabeih, Towns Association for Environmental Quality, *How cooperation between Arabs and Jews can solve environmental problems and promote sustainable development*

11:00 **Coffee Break**

11:30 **Session 5. *Environmental Peace-Building Bottom-Up: The Role of Civil Society***

Chairs:

Dov Hanin, Member of Israeli Parliament (Knesset), *The Israeli environmental movement's responses to regional threats to environment and sustainability: roots of weakness and their resolution*

Nader Khateeb, EcoPeace Middle East, *The environmental peace-building efforts of EcoPeace Middle East*

13:00 **Buffet Lunch** (2nd-floor foyer, Henry Ford Building)

Tuesday, July 14 – cont'd

14:00 **Session 6. Sustainability and peace-building: the Middle East and beyond**

Chairs:

Hans Günter Brauch, Peace Research and European Security Studies, *Sustainability and peacebuilding in the Anthropocene*

Miranda Schreurs, Freie Universität Berlin, **TBD**

15:30 **Coffee Break**

16:00 **Concluding Discussion: Regional Resilience and Peace**

Chair: Avi Gottlieb

17:00 **End of Day 2**

19:00 **Bus Transfer from Hotel to Restaurant**

19:30 **Dinner Reception**

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