Europe and Israel: What Next?

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Bucerius Institute for Research of Contemporary German History and Society
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Summary

The two-day workshop will provide an opportunity for the participans from Israel, Europe and the United States to discuss the current relationship between Israelis and European from a broad historical and cultural vantage point. The participants hail from academia, the arts and the media, representing fresh voices and future-oriented ideas.

Conference Schedule, Lecturers and Topics

June 5, 2004 Arrival

Registration at Dan Carmel Hotel, Haifa

Dinner at Duzan Restaurant, Hamoshava Hagermanit

Greetings: Prof. Yossi Ben-Artzi

Afterwards a Walk through the Germany Colony (Templer Settlement)

June 6, 2004

Greetings:

Ariel Bendor, Dean, The Faculty of Law

Yfaat Weiss, The Bucerius Institute

Fania Oz-Salzberger, The Posen Research Forum

First Session: The Joint Llegacy as a Future-Oriented Tool

Michael Brenner, Professor of Jewish History, University of Munich

Dominique Caillat, Playwright and Theatre Director, Geneva

Eran Tiefenbrunn, Journalist, Yedioth Aharonot

Fania Oz-Salzberger, The Posen Research Forum

Second Session: Anti-Semitism in Europe today

David Cesarani, Professor of History, University of Southampton

Gisela Dachs, Journalist, Die Zeit

Konstanty Gebert, Columnist, Gazeta Wyborska and Founder of Midrasz, a Periodical Covering Jewish life in Poland, Warsaw

Lars Rensmann, Political Scientist, Center for International and Area Studies, Yale University, and the Free University, Berlin

Third Session: The Global Perspective

Malachi Haim Hacohen, Professor of History, Duke University

Anette Heuser, Bertelsmann Foundation, Brussels

Ulrike Liebert, Director, Jean Monnet Centre for European Studies and Professor of Political Science, University of Bremen

Paul Prettitore, Legal adviser, Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe (OSCE) Amnon Reichman, Lecturer, The Faculty of Law

June 7, 2004

First Session: Setting the Agenda for an Israeli-European Future Soli Oezel, Journalist and Analyst, Sabah Daily, Istanbul Yfaat Weiss, Bucerius Institute

Jonathan Yovel, Lecturer, The Faculty of Law