

New Approaches to Gender Roles in Peace Making

Opening Event

Women and Peace Negotiations: Local and Global Perspectives

Monday, June 16th, 17:00-19:00 the Van Leer Jerusalem Institute, 43 Jabotinsky St., Jerusalem

Greetings: **Gabriel Motzkin**, Director, The Van Leer Jerusalem Institute

Chair: **Naomi Chazan**, Co-director of WIPS; Dean of the School of Government and Society at the Academic College of Tel Aviv-Yaffo

Hiba Hussein, Former Chair of the Legal Committee to Final Status Negotiations between the Palestinians and Israelis

Gabriela Shalev, Former Israeli Ambassador to the UN

Maryse Guimond, Programme Manager, UN Women, Arab States Office

Natalie Hudson, Department of Political Science, University of Dayton; Policy Specialist, Peace and Security Section, UN Women

International Symposium

Challenging the "Women and Peace" Hypothesis

Tuesday, June 17th, Beit Maierdorf (Room 405) The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, Mt. Scopus

9:00-9:30 Refreshments

9:30-11:00 **Theoretical Approaches for Studying Gender Roles in War and Militaristic Societies** | Chair: Prof. Piki Ish-Shalom

Prof. Maria Stern, University of Gothenburg

Rethinking Gender, Violence and Peacebuilding

Prof. Kristin Goss, Duke University

"Fighting for a Different Way in America": Mothers

Mobilize against the U.S. Gun Culture

Dr. Sarab Abu-Rabia-Queder, Ben-Gurion University & Dr.

Naomi Weiner-Levi, David Yallin College

Rethinking the Agency of Palestinian Women in Israel

Discussant: Dr. Benedetta Berti, Ben Gurion University and

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11:15-12:45 **Peace Activism and Resistance: Gendered Narratives, Discourses and Practices** | Chair: Prof. Joel Peters

Dr. Tamir Magal, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem

Identity Discourses in Gendered Peace Organizations and their Effect on Visions of Future Peace

Dr. Orna Sasson-Levy, Bar-Ilan University & Prof. Edna

Lomsky-Feder, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem

Testimonies of Women Soldiers as Gendered Anti-War

Voices: The Case of Women Breaking the Silence

Areej Yahya, Israeli Center for Educational Technology & Dr.

Nurete Brenner, Yezreel Valley College

Women Educators Build Bridges for Peace: Fieldwork

Reflections

Discussant: Prof. Naomi Chazan, Tel-Aviv Yaffo Academic

College and WIPS

13:00-14:00 **Keynote Address (Bronfman Hall)**

Prof. Carolyn R. Nordstrom

Department of Anthropology, University of Notre Dame

Gender, Digital Warscapes & the 'Home' Front

14:00-15:00 Lunch Break

15:00-16:30 **Measuring Gendered Differences: Opinion, Experience and Action** | Chair: Dr. Nitzan Feldman

Prof. Richard C. Eichenberg, Tufts University

Gender Difference in American Public Opinion on the Use of Military Force before and after the Wars in Iraq and Afghanistan

Dr. Sivan Hirsch-Hoefler, IDC Herzliya & Julia Elad-Strenger, IDC Herzliya

Women and Political Aggression: Towards a New Theoretical Framework

Dr. Sarai Aharoni, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem

The Multilayered Matrix of Insecurity and Hope: An Intersectional Approach

Discussant: Prof. Galia Golan, IDC Herzliya

16:30- 17:00 Coffee Break

17:00-18:30 **Critical Perspective on Women and Peacemaking** | Chair: Dr. Tal Dingott-Alkopher

Prof. Natalie Hudson, University of Dayton

Implementing 1325: Moving Beyond the Development of NAPs and RAPs to Outcomes and Impacts

Dr. Siobhan Byrne, University of Alberta

Feminist Anti-War Activism in Ethnicized Conflict: Local and Global Encounters

Molly Malekar, Previous Director, Bat-Shalom

Personal Reflections from Times of Hope and Despair

Discussant: Dr. Yali Hashash, Rothberg International School and Beit-Berl College

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