

HERZLIYA 2011 הרצליה

The Eleventh Annual Herzliya Conference
The Balance of Israel's National Security

Preliminary Program*

Sunday, February 6, 2011

14:00 Reception and Registration

14:30-15:30 *Herzliya Aud.*

The Balance of Israel's National Security: The National Assessments

Opening Remarks: Maj. Gen. (res.) **Danny Rothschild**, Director, Institute for Policy and Strategy, IDC Herzliya; Chair, Annual Herzliya Conference Series

Maj. Gen. **Amir Eshel**, Head of Plans and Policy Directorate, IDF

Amb. **Rafi Barak**, Director General, Ministry of Foreign Affairs

15:30-16:30 *Herzliya Aud.*

The Balance of Israel's National Security: The Herzliya Indices

MK Dr. **Yuval Steinitz**, Minister of Finance

MK **Isaac Herzog**, Fmr. Minister of Social Affairs and Social Services

Prof. **Rafi Melnick**, Provost, IDC Herzliya

Prof. **Gabriel Ben-Dor**, Haifa University

16:45-19:00 *Herzliya Aud.*

Inaugural Ceremony

Introduction: Mr. **Tommy Steiner**, Senior Research Fellow, Institute for Policy and Strategy, IDC Herzliya

Greetings: Ms. **Yael German**, Mayor of Herzliya

Introduction: Prof. **Uriel Reichman**, President, IDC Herzliya

Keynote Address: H.E. **Shimon Peres**, President of the State of Israel

Prof. **Alex Mintz**, Dean, Lauder School of Government, Diplomacy and Strategy, IDC Herzliya

Herzliya Assessment: Maj. Gen. (res.) **Danny Rothschild**, Director, Institute for Policy and Strategy, IDC Herzliya; Chair, Annual Herzliya Conference Series

"The US and the Future of the Global Economic System"

Introductory Remarks: Prof. **Jacob Frenkel**, Chairman, JPMorgan Chase International; Chairman, Group of Thirty (G-30); Fmr. Governor of the Bank of Israel

Keynote Address: Hon. Prof. **Lawrence Summers**, Kennedy School of Government, Harvard University; Fmr. Assistant to the US President for Economic Policy and Director of the National Economic Council; Fmr. US Secretary of the Treasury; Fmr. President of Harvard University

19:45 *Herzliya Aud.*

Shared Strategic Challenges: Panel of Defense Ministers'

In cooperation with the European Friends of Israel (EFI)

Introduction: Mr. **Tommy Steiner**, Senior Research Fellow, Institute for Policy and Strategy, IDC Herzliya

Greetings: Mr. **Elmar Brok**, MEP, Chairman, European Parliament Delegation for Relations with the United States

MK Maj. Gen. (res.) **Matan Vilnai**, Minister of Homefront Defense

Rt. Hon. Dr. **Liam Fox**, MP, Secretary of State for Defence, UK

Hon. Dr. **Alexandr Vondra**, Senator, Minister of Defense, Czech Republic

Hon. Dr. **Csaba Hende**, Minister of Defense, Republic of Hungary

Monday, February 7, 2011

10:00-10:30 **Herzliya Aud.**

Introduction: Mr. **Israel Makov**, Chairman of the Board, Institute for Policy and Strategy, IDC Herzliya

Keynote Address: MK **Tzipi Livni**, Chairperson of Kadima Party, Head of the Opposition; Fmr. Minister of Foreign Affairs

10:30-11:30 **Herzliya Aud.**

The Herzliya Debate: Can the World Live with a Nuclear Iran?

Ms. **Danielle Pletka**, Vice President, Foreign and Defense Policy Studies, American Enterprise Institute (AEI)

Mr. **Brian Katulis**, Senior Fellow, Center for American Progress

Brig. Gen. (res.) Dr. **Ephraim Sneh**, Fmr. Deputy Minister of Defense; Chair, S. Daniel Abraham Center for Strategic Dialogue, Netanya Academic College

Mr. **Efraim Halevy**, Fmr. Head of the Mossad; Director of the Shasha Center for Strategic Studies, Hebrew University of Jerusalem

Moderator: Dr. **Manfred Bleskin**, Journalist and News Presenter, German News Television

11:45-13:15 **Herzliya Aud.**

From Da'wa to Jihad: The Nexus of Indoctrination and Violence

Dr. **Shmuel Bar**, Director of Studies, Institute for Policy and Strategy, IDC Herzliya

Ms. **Ayaan Hirsi Ali**, Fellow Resident, American Enterprise Institute (AEI)

Ms. **Judith Miller**, Contributing Editor, *City Journal*, US

Dr. **Boaz Ganor**, Executive Director, International Institute for Counter-Terrorism (ICT), IDC Herzliya

11:45-13:15 **Chais Aud.**

The New Global Balance of Power: The Shift to the East

Amb. **Bilahari Kausikan**, Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Singapore

Dr. **PANG Zhongying**, Director, Centre on the New Global Governance, People's University of China (Renmin)

Ms. **Indrani Bagchi**, Diplomatic Editor, *The Times of India*

Prof. **Yaacov Vertzberger**, Department of International Relations, Hebrew University of Jerusalem

Moderator: Mr. **Arad Nir**, Channel 2

14:00-15:30 **Herzliya Aud.**

All the Eggs in One Basket? America's Place in Israel's Foreign Policy

MK Amb. **Daniel Ayalon**, Deputy Minister of Foreign Affairs

Amb. **Zalman Shoval**, Fmr. Ambassador of Israel to the US

Prof. **Gabriela Shalev**, Fmr. Permanent Representative of Israel to the UN; Ono Academic College

Mr. **Malcolm Hoenlein**, Executive Vice Chairman, Conference of Presidents of Major American Jewish Organizations

Moderator: Mr. **Arnon Perlman**

14:00-15:30 **Chais Aud.**

Latin America: The Growing Economic Locomotive

Dr. **José de Gregorio**, Governor, Central Bank of Chile

Amb. **Clifford M. Sobel**, Fmr. US Ambassador to Brazil

Prof. **Mario Sznajder**, Chair, Department of Political Science, Hebrew University of Jerusalem

Dr. **Luis F. Rubio**, President, Center of Research for Development (CIDAC), Mexico

Prof. **Rafi Melnick**, Provost, IDC Herzliya

14:00-15:30 **Yecher Aud.**

Multiple Jewish Identities: Celebrating Pluralism, Maintaining Cohesiveness

Prof. **Mikhail Chlenov**, Secretary General, Euro-Asian Jewish Congress, Russia

Prof. **Jonathan Webber**, UNESCO Chair in Jewish and Interfaith Studies, University of Birmingham, UK

Dr. **Ruth Calderon**, Founder and Executive Director, Alma – Home for Hebrew Culture

Rabbi Dr. **Benjamin (Benny) Lau**, Director of Jerusalem's Center for Judaism and Society, Beit Morasha; Rabbi of the Ramban Synagogue in Jerusalem

Moderator: Mr. **Nadav Peri**, Channel 10

15:45-17:30 Herzliya Aud.

Herzl Award Laureate Keynote Address

Presentation of Award and Introduction:

MK **Benjamin (Fuad) Ben-Eliezer**, Fmr. Minister of Industry, Trade, and Labor

Keynote Address: Dr. **Alexander Mashkevich**, President, Euro-Asian Jewish Congress, Russia

Securing the Future of Israel and the Jewish People

Sir **Ronald Cohen**, Chairman, Portland Trust

Mr. **Mick Davis**, Chairman, UK Jewish Leadership Council (JLC); Chairman, United Jewish Israel Appeal (UJIA)

Amb. **Dan Gillerman**, Chairman, Markstone Israel; Fmr. Permanent Representative of Israel to the UN

Mr. **Malcolm Hoenlein**, Executive Vice Chairman, Conference of Presidents of Major American Jewish Organizations

Mr. **Nathan Sharansky**, Chairman of the Executive, Jewish Agency for Israel

16:00-17:30 Chais Aud.

Rediscovering the Silk Road: Developing Israel's Trade with Asia

Mr. **Israel Makov**, Chairman of the Board, Institute for Policy and Strategy, IDC Herzliya

Mr. **Boaz Hirsch**, Deputy Director General and Director, Foreign Trade Administration, Ministry of Industry, Trade and Labor

Dr. **Orna Berry**, Vice President, global EMC; CEO, EMC Israel; Chairwoman, Australia-Israel Chamber of Commerce

Mr. **Clyde Prestowitz**, Founder and President, Economic Strategy Institute, US

Mr. **Tobey Simon**, CEO, Synergia - Business Beyond Borders, India

Mr. **Uriel Lynn**, President, Federation of Israeli Chambers of Commerce

Concluding Remarks:

MK **Benjamin (Fuad) Ben-Eliezer**, Fmr. Minister of Industry, Trade and Labor

16:00-17:30 Ivcher Aud.

Future Warfare and Battlefield: Implications for Force Structure

Maj. Gen. (res.) **Eitan Ben Eliyahu**, Fmr. Commander of the Air Force

Brig. Gen. **Axel Binder**, Commander of the Bundeswehr Transformation Centre, Germany

Dr. **Bruno Tertrais**, Senior Research Fellow, Fondation pour la Recherche Strategique (FRS), France

Dr. **Dov Zakheim**, Senior Fellow, CNA Corporation, US

Dr. **Dan Schueftan**, Director of the National Security Studies Center, University of Haifa

Moderator: Ms. **Tallie Lipkin-Shahak**, IDF Army Radio

18:00 Herzliya Aud.

Introductory Remarks: Amb. **Ronald S. Lauder**, President, World Jewish Congress

Keynote Address: Lt. Gen. **Gabi Ashkenazi**, IDF Chief of General Staff

19:45 Herzliya Aud.

The Broader Middle East Game: The US, Europe and Regional Stability

Keynote Address: Gen. (ret.) **James L. Jones**, Fmr. US National Security Advisor; Fmr. Commander, US European Command and Supreme Allied Commander Europe

Mr. **Francis Delon**, Secretary General for Defence and National Security, France

Ms. **Mary-Beth Long**, Fmr. US Assistant Secretary of Defense for International Security Affairs

Maj. Gen. (res.) **Amos Gilead**, Director, Political-Military Bureau, Ministry of Defense

Moderator: Mr. **Yoav Limor**, Chief Defense Correspondent, Channel 1

Tuesday, February 8, 2011

10:00-11:15 Herzliya Aud.

Is Israel Losing Europe?

MK **Silvan Shalom**, Vice Prime Minister and Minister of Regional Cooperation and Minister of the Development of the Negev and Galilee

Hon. Prof. **Uri Rosenthal**, Minister of Foreign Affairs, The Netherlands

Mr. **Michael Dugher**, MP, UK Shadow Defence Minister

Dr. **Jürgen Rüttgers**, Fmr. Minister President, North-Rein Westphalen, Germany

Moderator: Dr. **Josef Joffe**, Publisher-Editor, *Die Zeit*, Germany

11:30-13:15 Herzliya Aud.

At Peak Oil: Strategic Implications for the World and Israel

Brig. Gen. **Axel Binder**, Commander of the Bundeswehr Transformation Centre, Germany

Mr. **R. James Woolsey**, Chairman, Woolsey Partners LLC; Fmr. Director of the CIA

Mr. **Yossie Hollander**, Chairman, Israeli Institute for Economic Planning

Mr. **David Hobbs**, Chief Energy Strategist, IHS Cambridge Energy Research Associates (CERA), US

Dr. **Brenda Shaffer**, School of Political Sciences, University of Haifa

Mr. **Shaul Zemach**, Director General, Ministry of National Infrastructures

Moderator: Mr. **Sam Kiley**, Security Editor, Sky News

11:30-13:00 Chais Aud.

Security in Cyberspace

Maj. Gen. (res.) Prof. **Itzhak Ben-Israel**, Chairman, Israel National Council for Research and Development; Tel-Aviv University

Hon. **Douglas Andrew Smith**, US Assistant Secretary of Homeland Security for the Private Sector

Dr. **Martin Libicki**, Senior Management Scientist, RAND Corporation, US

Ms. **Deborah Hausen-Couriel**, Yuval Ne'eman Tel Aviv Workshop for Science, Technology and Security

Brig. Gen. (res.) **Nitzan Nuriel**, Head, Counter-Terrorism Bureau, National Security Council, Prime Minister's Office

Brig. Gen. (res.) **Yair Cohen**, Senior Director ICS, Elbit Systems Ltd.

14:00-15:30 Herzliya Aud.

New Media as a Strategic Weapon

Dr. **Yossi Vardi**, Chairman, International Technologies

Brig. Gen. **Avi Benayahu**, IDF Spokesperson

Dr. **Noam Lemelstrich Latar**, Dean, Ofer School of Communications, IDC Herzliya

Honorary Chair: Mr. **Vladimir Gusinsky**, Founder, Media-Most

14:00-15:30 Chais Aud.

Israel's Role in Reducing Global Oil Dependency

Prof. **Eugene Kandel**, Head, National Economic Council, Prime Minister's Office

Prof. **Moti Hershkowitz**, Vice-President and Dean for R&D, Department of Chemical Engineering, Ben Gurion University of the Negev

Dr. **Sass Somekh**, Founder, Musea Ventures, US

Mr. **Ariel (Aik) Rosenberg**, Chairman, Metal-Tech Ltd.

Dr. **Gal Luft**, Executive Director, Institute for the Analyses of Global Security (IAGS)

Moderator: Mr. **Yossie Hollander**, Chairman, Israeli Institute for Economic Planning

14:00-15:15 Ivcher Aud.

Turmoil in the Middle East: Economic Implications for Israel

Prof. **Rafi Melnick**, Provost, IDC Herzliya

Mr. **David Brodet**, Chair, Board of Directors, Bank Leumi

Brig. Gen. (res.) **Pinchas Buchris**, Fmr. Director General, Ministry of Defense

Prof. **Amir Barnea**, Founding Dean, Arison School of Business, IDC Herzliya

Dr. **Gil Bafman**, Chief Economist, Bank Leumi

15:45-17:15 Herzliya Aud.

Turkey - Cause for Concern?

Dr. **Michael Leigh**, Director General for Enlargement, European Commission

Prof. **Barry Rubin**, Head, GLORIA Center, IDC Herzliya

Dr. **Constanze Stelzenmüller**, Senior Transatlantic Fellow, German Marshall Fund, Germany

Prof. **Soli Özel**, Professor of International Relations and Political Science, Bilgi University, Turkey

Dr. **Ariel Cohen**, Senior Research Fellow, Heritage Foundation, US

Moderator: Dr. **Kenneth R. Weinstein**, CEO, Hudson Institute, US

15:45-17:15 Chais Aud.

Employment in the Arab Sector

Mr. **Mohammad Darawshe**, Co-Executive Director, The Abraham Fund Initiatives

Dr. **Masad Barhoum**, Manager, Nahariya Hospital

Mr. **Sharon Kedmi**, Director General, Ministry of Industry, Trade and Labor

Mr. **Ayman Saif**, Director, Economic Development Authority in the Minority Sector, Prime Minister's Office

Brig. Gen. (res.) **Eival Giladi**, Director, Portland Trust Israel

Ms. **Evelyn Collins**, Chief Executive, Equality Commission, Northern Ireland

15:30-17:15 Ivcher Aud.

Research and Development as an Ecosystem: Government, Industry, and Universities

Maj. Gen. (res.) Prof. **Itzhak Ben-Israel**, Chairman, Israel National Council for Research and Development; Tel-Aviv University

Prof. **Eugene Kandel**, Head, National Economic Council, Prime Minister's Office

Mr. **Avi Hasson**, Chief Scientist, Ministry of Industry, Trade and Labor

Dr. **Yossi Vardi**, Chairman, International Technologies

Brig. Gen. (res.) **Uzi Eilam**, Fmr. Head of Research and Development Directorate, Ministry of Defense

Concluding Remarks:

MK Prof. **Daniel Hershkowitz**, Minister of Science and Technology

17:30-19:00 **Herzliya Aud.**

On Criticism and Prejudice: The Arab-Israeli Conflict and the Assault on Israel's Legitimacy

MK Dr. **Nachman Shai**, Kadima Party

Mr. **Tommy Steiner**, Senior Research Fellow, Institute for Policy and Strategy, IDC Herzliya

Ms. **Brooke M. Goldstein**, Director, The Lawfare Project, US

Mr. **Dan Diker**, Secretary General Designate of the World Jewish Congress

Ms. **Lorna Fitzsimons**, CEO, BICOM, UK

Amb. **Ron Prozor**, Ambassador of the State of Israel to the UK

Moderator: Mr. **Gilad Adin**, Samy Ofer School of Communications, IDC Herzliya

Concluding Remarks: MK Lt. Gen. (res.) **Moshe Ya'alon**, Vice Prime Minister and Minister of Strategic Affairs

17:30-19:00 **Chais Aud.**

Women Empowerment and Leadership – The Y Factor

Amb. **Nancy Brinker**, Founder and CEO, Susan G. Komen for the Cure, US

Hon. Dr. **Ursula Plassnik**, Fmr. Minister of Foreign Affairs of Austria; Special Envoy for International Women's Issues

Ms. **Nehama Ronen**, Chairman, Maman Cargo Terminals and Handling Ltd.; Fmr. Director General, Ministry of the Environmental Protection; Fmr. Member of the Knesset

Ms. **Alona Barkat**, Owner and Chairperson, Hapoel Beer Sheva

Ms. **Indrani Bagchi**, Diplomatic Editor, *The Times of India*

Col. (res.) **Ahuva Yanai**, CEO, Matan – Investing in the Community

Ms. **Efrat Duvdevani**, Director General, Office of the President

Moderator: Prof. **Galia Golan**, Lauder School of Government, Diplomacy and Strategy, IDC Herzliya

17:30-19:00 **Ivcher Aud.**

Online Learning: Leverage for Economic Growth and Alleviating Socio-Economic Polarization

Polarization

Introductory Remarks:

MK **Gideon Sa'ar**, Minister of Education

Hon. **Bob Wise**, President, Alliance for Excellent Education; Fmr. Governor of West Virginia

Mr. **Michael Yutzenka**, Senior Director, Education and Economic Development, Cisco

Ms. **Gila Ben-Har**, CEO, Center for Educational Technology

Prof. **Hagit Messer-Yaron**, President, Open University

Dr. **Ofer Rimon**, Director for Science and Information, Ministry of Education

Adv. **Ariel Deri**, Executive Director, Haredi College of Jerusalem

Dr. **Khaled Abu-Asbah**, Director, Massar Institute for Research, Planning and Educational Counseling

Dr. **Ofer Rimon**, Acting Director, Science and Technology Administration, Ministry of Education

Moderator: Mr. **Menashe Raz**, Journalist

19:45 **Herzliya Aud.**

Challenges to Global Economic Governance: Trade and Monetary Aspects

Keynote Address: Prof. **Stanley Fischer**, Governor, Bank of Israel

Dr. **José de Gregorio**, Governor, Central Bank of Chile

Amb. **Miriam E. Sapiro**, Deputy US Trade Representative

Dr. **Yossi Bachar**, Chairman, Board of Directors, Bank Discount

Moderator: Mr. **Eytan Avriel**, Editor, TheMarker Online

Concluding Address: Hon. Prof. **Giulio Tremonti**, Minister of Finance and Economy of Italy

Wednesday, February 9, 2011

10:00-11:30 **Herzliya Aud.**

The Peace Process – Quo Vadis?

Lt. Gen. (res.) **Shaul Mofaz**, Chairman, Knesset Foreign Affairs and Defense Committee

Hon. **Robert Wexler**, President, S. Daniel Abraham Center for Middle East Peace, US

Prof. **Shlomo Avineri**, Department of Political Science, Hebrew University of Jerusalem; Fmr. Director General, Ministry of Foreign Affairs

Mr. **Israel Harel**, Chairman, Institute for Zionist Strategy

Brig. Gen. (res.) **Michael (Mike) Herzog**, The Jewish People Policy Institute (JPPI); Fmr. Envoy of the Prime Minister and the Defense Minister for the Peace Process

Moderator: Mr. **Raviv Druker**, Political Analyst, Channel 10

11:45-13:30 Herzliya Aud.

Dilemmas in US Policy in the Middle East: Stability vs. Democracy?

Mr. **Brian Katulis**, Senior Fellow, Center for American Progress
Maj. Gen. (res.) **Yaakov Amidror**, Vice President, Jerusalem Academic Center, Lander Institute

Dr. **David Gordon**, Head of Research and Director, Global Macro Analysis, Eurasia Group; Fmr. Vice Chairman, US National Intelligence Council (NIC)

Prof. **Martin Kramer**, Senior Fellow, Shalem Center

Dr. **Peter Berkowitz**, Senior Fellow, Hoover Institution, Stanford University

Dr. **Shmuel Bar**, Director of Studies, Institute for Policy and Strategy, IDC Herzliya

11:45-13:30 Chais Aud.

Bringing Down Socio-Economic Inequalities: The Government's Strategic Challenge

Prof. **Zvi Eckstein**, Deputy Governor, Bank of Israel

Mr. **Sharon Kedmi**, Director General, Ministry of Industry, Trade and Labor

Ms. **Esther Dominissini**, Director General, National Insurance Institute

Mr. **Nahum Itzkovitz**, Director General, Ministry of Social Affairs and Social Services

Ms. **Orna Hozman-Bechor**, Director General, Ministry for the Development of the Negev and the Galilee and the Ministry for Regional Development

Dr. **Shimshon Shoshani**, Director General, Ministry of Education

Mr. **Moshe Bar Siman Tov**, Deputy Director, Budgeting Division, Ministry of Finance

Moderator: Mr. **Sever Plotzker**, Chief Economic Commentator, *Yedioth Aharonoth*

14:30-16:00 Herzliya Aud.

Streets Rule? Middle East Domestic Instability and Regional Implications

Mr. **Riad al Khouri**, Member of the International Council, Questscope, Amman, Jordan

Dr. **Israel Elad-Altman**, Senior Research Fellow, Institute for Policy and Strategy, IDC Herzliya

Mr. **Sherif El Diwany**, Senior Director, Middle East and North Africa, World Economic Forum, Switzerland

Ms. **Judith Miller**, Contributing Editor, *City Journal*, US

Mr. **Salman Shaikh**, Director, Brookings Doha Center, Qatar; Fellow, Saban Center for Middle East Policy, Brookings Institution

Moderator: Ms. **Smadar Perry**, Middle East Editor, *Yediot Aharonot*

14:30-16:00 Chais Aud.

Binding the Ties: Leveraging the Israel Experience Programs among the World Jewish Young Generations

Ms. **Amira Aharonovitz**, Head of the Strategic Division, Jewish Agency for Israel

Mr. **Eyal Dagan**, Head of Diaspora Affairs, Ministry of Public Diplomacy and Diaspora Affairs

Ms. **Michal Frank**, Head of the Department for Policy Implementation, Prime Minister's Office

Ms. **Ayelet Shilo-Tamir**, CEO, Masa Israel

Mr. **Gideon Shavit**, Chairman, Lapid Coalition

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

14:30-16:00 Ivcher Aud.

Governance and Competitiveness: Enhancing Performance and Uncorking Bureaucratic Bottlenecks

MK Dr. **Uzi Landau**, Minister of National Infrastructures

Mr. **Shouky Oren**, Accountant General, Ministry of Finance

Maj. Gen. (res.) **Amos Yaron**, Chairman, Eilat Ashkelon Pipeline Co (EAPC)

Mr. **Dror Strum**, Director, Israeli Institute for Economic Planning

Ram Belinkov, Fmr. Director of the Budget, Ministry of Finance; Fmr. Direct General, Ministry of Interior

Adv. **Noga Rubinstein**, Chief Legal Advisor, Ministry of Communication

16:30-18:00 Herzliya Aud.

Taking a Toll? International Sanctions and Iran's Domestic Arena

Dr. **Shmuel Bar**, Director of Studies, Institute for Policy and Strategy, IDC Herzliya

Mr. **Mehdi Khalaji**, Next Generation Fellow, Washington Institute for Near East Policy, US

Dr. **Patrick Clawson**, Deputy Director for Research, Washington Institute for Near East Policy, US

Mr. **Meir Javedanfar**, Founder of Middle East Economic and Political Analysis Company (MEEPAS)

Mr. **Mark Dubowitz**, Executive Director, Foundation for Defense of Democracies, US

Moderator: Mr. **Richard D. Heideman**, Chairman, International Advisory Board of the Herzliya Conference

Concluding Remarks:

Hon. **Haley Barbour**, Governor of Mississippi

18:00-18:45 Herzliya Aud.

Introductory Remarks: Mr. **Tommy Steiner**, Senior Research Fellow, Institute for Policy and Strategy, IDC Herzliya

Keynote Address: H.E. **Anders Fogh Rasmussen**, Secretary General of NATO

18:45-20:15 Herzliya Aud.

Concluding Session: A New Middle East?

Opening Remarks: Amb. **Alexander Vershbow**, US Assistant Secretary of Defense for International Security Affairs

Lt. Gen. (res.) **Amnon Lipkin-Shahak**, Chairman, Board of Directors, TAHAL Group; Fmr. Chief of the General Staff, IDF

Maj. Gen. (res.) **Danny Rothschild**, Director, Institute for Policy and Strategy, IDC Herzliya; Chair, Annual Herzliya Conference Series

Maj. Gen. **Amos Yadlin**, Fmr. IDF Director of Military Intelligence

Prof. **Shlomo Avineri**, Department of Political Science, Hebrew University of Jerusalem; Fmr. Director General, Ministry of Foreign Affairs

20:15-20:45 Herzliya Aud.

Concluding Remarks : Prof. **Uriel Reichman**, President, IDC Herzliya

Maj. Gen. (res.) **Danny Rothschild**, Director, Institute for Policy and Strategy, IDC Herzliya; Chair, Annual Herzliya Conference Series

20:45

Concluding Reception

Herzliya Roundtable Sessions

The Herzliya Roundtable sessions are intended to facilitate in-depth conversations on topical issues involving a limited number of senior-most practitioners and experts. Held under the Chatham House Rule, participation in these sessions is by invitation only.

The Challenge of Electro-Magnetic Pulses (EMP)

Chair:

Dr. **Shlomo Wald**, Chief Scientist, Ministry of National Infrastructures

Discussants:

Mr. **John Kappenman**, Member of the Advisory Board, The Electric Infrastructure Security Council, US
Dr. **John Lightstone**, CFO, Advanced Fusion Systems, US
Mr. **Ferdinand (Andy) Joseph Metzger**, Chief of Operational Survivability, US Strategic Command

The Iranian Challenge – Political Alternatives and Beyond

Chair:

Dr. **Shmuel Bar**, Director of Studies, Institute for Policy and Strategy, IDC Herzliya

Discussants:

Ms. **Danielle Pletka**, Vice President, Foreign and Defense Policy Studies, American Enterprise Institute (AEI), US
Dr. **Gal Luft**, Executive Director, Institute for the Analyses of Global Security (IAGS)
Maj. Gen. (res.) **Amos Gilead**, Director, Political-Military Bureau, Ministry of Defense

Addressing the Assault on Israel's Legitimacy in Europe

Chairs:

Brig. Gen. (Ret.) **Yosef Kuperwasser**, Deputy Director-General, Ministry for Strategic Affairs
Mr. **Tommy Steiner**, Senior Research Fellow, Institute for Policy and Strategy, IDC Herzliya

Discussants:

Mr. **Philipp Missfelder**, Member of the Bundestag
Rt. Hon. **John Spellar**, MP, UK Shadow Minister for Foreign and Commonwealth Affairs
Mr. **Robin Shepherd**, Director of International Affairs, Henry Jackson Society
Dr. **Richard Prasquier**, President, Representative Council of French Jewish Institutions (CRIF)
Mr. **Claude Kandiyoti**, Publisher, Contact J
Mr. **Rafael Bardaji**, International Policy Director, FAES Foundation

Radicalization and Counter - Radicalization in the Muslim World

Chair:

Dr. **Shmuel Bar**, Director of Studies, Institute for Policy and Strategy, IDC Herzliya

Discussants:

Mr. **Reuel Marc Gerecht**, Senior Fellow, Foundation for Defense of Democracies, US
Dr. **Israel Elad Altman**, Senior Research Fellow, Institute for Policy and Strategy, IDC Herzliya
Prof. **Martin Kramer**, Senior Fellow, Shalem Center
Mr. **Ehud Rosen**, Bar-Ilan University

Going to Zero? Global and Regional Nuclear and WMD Disarmament Initiatives

Chair:

Dr. **Oded Brosh**, Senior Research Fellow, Institute for Policy and Strategy, IDC Herzliya

Discussants:

Dr. **Josef Joffe**, Editor, Die Zeit, Germany
Dr. **Ariel (Eli) Levite**, Nonresident Senior Associate, Carnegie Endowment for International Peace
Dr. **Bruno Tertrais**, Senior Research Fellow, Fondation pour la Recherche Strategique (FRS), France
Dr. **Emily Landau**, Senior Research Associate, Institute for National Security Studies (INSS)

Not a Sealed Fate, nor Preordained: Israel's Online Image

Chair:

Dr. **Noam Lemelstrich Latar**, Dean, Ofer School of Communications, IDC Herzliya

Discussants:

Ms. **Miri Eisin**, Fmr. Foreign Media Advisor to the Prime Minister
Mr. **Romney Hassman**, Arison School of Business, IDC Herzliya
Lt. Col. **Avital Leibovich**, IDF Spokesperson's Unit
Mr. **Lior Chorev**, Founding Partner, Euro RSCG Israel Group
Mr. **David Saranga**, Head, Department for Digital Diplomacy Initiatives, Ministry of Foreign Affairs
Mr. **Doron Avni**, Policy and Government Relations Manager, Google Israel
Mr. **Uri Shinar**, Founder and CEO, Aniboom
Mr. **John Ray**, Middle East Correspondent, ITV News

NATO After the Lisbon Summit: Implications for the Middle East and Israel

Chair:

Amb. **Luigi Mattiolo**, Ambassador of Italy to Israel and NATO Contact Point Ambassador in Israel

Discussants:

Amb. **Dirk Brengelmann**, NATO Assistant Secretary General for Political Affairs and Security Policy
Amb. **Alexander Vershbow**, US Assistant Secretary of Defense for International Security Affairs
Amb. Dr. **Oded Eran**, Director of the Institute for National Security Studies (INSS)
Mr. **Eran Etzion**, Director of Policy Planning, Ministry of Foreign Affairs

Developing Israel's Relations with Asia-Pacific

Chairs: Amb. **Ruth Kahanoff**, Deputy Director General for Asia-Pacific, Ministry of Foreign Affairs
Mr. **Doron Bergerbest-Eilon**, CEO and President, ASERO Worldwide

Discussants:

Amb. **Bilahari Kausikan**, Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Singapore
Mr. **Tommy Steiner**, Senior Research Fellow, Institute for Policy and Strategy, IDC Herzliya
Mr. **Tobby Simon**, CEO, Synergia - Business Beyond Borders, India
Mr. **Mitsugu Saito**, Councilor, National Security and Crisis Management, Cabinet Secretariat, Japan
Ms. **Indrani Bagchi**, Diplomatic Editor, *The Times of India*

Warfare in the Missile Age

Chair: Maj. Gen.(res.) **Eitan Ben Eliyahu**, Fmr. Commander of the Air Force

Discussant:

Brig. Gen. (res.) **Yosef Kuperwasser**, Deputy Director-General, Ministry for Strategic Affairs

Embedding the Culture of Readiness in Homeland Defense and Civilian Crisis Management

Chair: Mr. **Gidi Grinstein**, Founder and President, Reut Institute

Discussant:

Hon. **Douglas Andrew Smith**, US Assistant Secretary of Homeland Security for the Private Sector
MK **Zeev Bielski**, Chair, Knesset Foreign Affairs and Defense Subcommittee for the Examination of Home-Front Readiness

Cyberwarfare and Cybersecurity

Chair: Prof. Maj. Gen. (res.) **Itzhak Ben-Israel**, Tel-Aviv University; Chairman, Israel National Council for Research and Development

Discussant:

Dr. **Martin Libicki**, Senior Management Scientist, RAND Corporation

Measuring Results in the Government and the Public Sector

Chair: Mr. **Arie Mientkavich**, Deputy Chairman, Gazit Globe Ltd.

Discussants:

Mr. **Yekoutiel (Couty) Sabah**, Director Research, Planning and Training Division, Ministry of Social Affairs and Services
Mr. **Ehud Praver**, Head of Policy Planning, Prime Minister's Office
Dr. **Steven Popper**, Director, RAND Israel Initiative
Brig. Gen. (res.) **Pinchas Buchris**, Fmr. Director General, Ministry of Defense
Dr. **Gal Alon**, CEO, Insights: Decision Intelligence; Fmr Advisor for Strategic Development, Prime Minister's Office
Ms. Tali Rosov, Measurement and Evaluation, Rashi Foundation

Jewish Russian Speakers in the World – Shared Challenges

Chair: Mr. **Haim Ben Yakov**, Vice-President, Euro-Asia Jewish Congress

Discussants:

Rabbi **Pinchas Goldschmidt**, Chief Rabbi, Moscow
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