



Israel in American Politics

Annual Symposium of the Ruderman Program for American Jewish Studies at the University of Haifa

Tuesday | 4.20.2021 | Online Event

15:00-15:20 Greetings

Prof. Gur Alroey - Director of the Ruderman Program for American Jewish Studies and Rector of the University of Haifa

Prof. Ron Robin - President of the University of Haifa

Ms. Shira Ruderman - Executive Director of the Ruderman Family Foundation

15:20-15:45 Interview with Ambassador Daniel Shapiro - Former US Ambassador to Israel and Distinguished Visiting Fellow at the Institute for National Security Studies at Tel Aviv University.

Interviewer: Prof. Avraham Ben Zvi - Winner (CHATAN), The Israel Prize in Political Science and International Relations for 2020. Head, The Program in Diplomacy Studies, The Division of international Relations, The University of Haifa

15:45-16:15 Guest Lecture: From Consent to Divide - Trends in Public Opinion in the United States towards Israel

Dr. Amnon Cavari - Assistant Professor at the Lauder School of Government, Diplomacy and Strategy at IDC Interdisciplinary Center Herzliya, Head of the Political Marketing Graduate Program at IDC, and Co-Chair of the Center for Statistical Consulting at IDC.

16:15-16:45 Interview with Mr. Elliot Abrams - Senior Fellow for Middle Eastern Studies at the Council on Foreign Relations (CFR), and former US Special Representative for Iran and Venezuela

Interviewer: Mr. Dov Weissglas - Chairman of the Board of Directors, University of Haifa.

16:45-17:15 Interview with Congressman Steve Israel - Director of the Institute of Political and Global Affairs at Cornell University.

Interviewer: Dr. Carmela Lutmer - Acting Head of the Department of International Relations, School of Political Science, University of Haifa

17:15-18:00 Experts Panel: Israel Looking Toward Washington - Israel in American Politics from the Israeli Perspective

Chairman: Prof. Gur Alroey

Participants: Ambassador Danny Danon - Israel's 17th Permanent Representative to the United Nations and Chairman of the World Likud.

Brig. General (Ret.) Sima Vaknin Gill - Former Director General of the Ministry of Strategic Affairs, Member of the Board of Advisors at the Institute for the Study of Global Antisemitism and Policy (ISGAP), and Founding Member of the Combat Antisemitism Movement (CAM).

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Participation is free but pre-registration is required:



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