



Minerva School Workshop

# What Do We Mean When We Talk About Jewish-Christian Dialogue?

20-22 September, 2022

Senate Hall & Ofer Observatory, Eshkol Tower,  
University of Haifa

**Day 1 | 20.09.22** | Senate Hall, 29<sup>th</sup> floor of Eshkol Tower

10:00-10:15 Greetings and introduction - **Karma Ben Johanan** and **Silvana Kandel Lamdan**

**Dialogue in Context: Debating In and On the Holy Land**

10:15-11:15 Chair: **David Barak Gorodevsky (University of Haifa)**

**Cedric Cohen Skalli, (University of Haifa)** – A Christian, Arab, and Jewish Dialogue in Europe and the Levant During the Crisis of the 1930s

**Thérèse Andrevon Gottstein (Institut Catholique de Paris)** – Jewish-Christian Dialogue and the Creation of State of Israel

11:30-13:00 Chair: **Karma Ben Johanan (Humboldt University/Hebrew University)**

**Maayan Raveh (Hebrew University)** - "It is time that we put the organs aside and take out our drums": Jewish Christian Relations in Palestinian Liberation Theology

**Abeer Khshiboon (Humboldt University)** – The Forgotten non-Gentile Christians of Palestine, A post-Colonial Reading

**David M. Neuhaus (Pontifical Biblical Institute, Jerusalem)** – The Role of the Muslim in Contemporary Jewish-Christian Dialogue

13:00-14:00 Lunch at the university

**Integrating the Others of Jewish-Christian Dialogue into the Conversation**

14:00-15:00 Chair: **Viola Rautenberg (University of Haifa)**

**Christian Rutishhauser (Philosophische Hochschule München)** – Jews and Jewish Communities Believing in Jesus: Challenge for the Jewish-Christian Dialogue

**Ytzhak Mor (Hebrew University)** – Judeo-Christian Cooperation and the Catholic Neo-Conservative Struggle over the American Public Square

15:30-16:30 Chair: **Ruth Kara-Ivanov Kaniel (University of Haifa)**

**Henrik Simojoki (Humboldt University)** – How are children addressed and represented in German teaching material on Jewish-Christian Dialogue?

**Michael Azar (Scranton University)** – Reframing Christian-Jewish Relations in Light of Rum Orthodox Christianity in Palestine

**Keynote Speaker**

17:30-18:30 **Katharina Von Kellenbach (Evangelische Akademie zur Berlin)** – Intersectional Feminism and Jewish-Christian Dialogue: Promises and Problems

19:00 Dinner in the city

**Day 2 | 21.09.22** | Ofer Observatory, 30<sup>th</sup> floor of Eshkol Tower

**(Re)Theorizing Jewish-Christian Dialogue**

09:30-11:00 Chair: **Hillel Newman (University of Haifa)**  
**Luca Di Blasi (University of Bern)** – *Über*the Jewish-Christian Dialogue

**Karma Ben Johanan (Humboldt University/Hebrew University)** – Islands of Silence on the Dialogical Map  
**Silvia Richter (Goethe University Frankfurt)** – Dialogical Philosophy Revisited – New Approaches for the 21st Century

11:30-12:30 Chair: **Orr Scharf (University of Haifa)**  
**Elad Lapidot (University of Lille)** – The Jewish-Christian Dialogue from a Postcolonial Gaze

**Torsten Meireis (Humboldt University)** – The Disputed Concept of the Public in Postcolonial Debates

12:30-14:00 Lunch at the university

**Day Trip to Nazareth**

14:00-15:00 Travel to Nazareth

15:00-17:00 Hidden corners of spirituality – Guided tour in Old Nazareth

17:30-18:30 **Silvana Kandel Lamdan (University of Haifa)** – Tracing the Steps of Father Paul Gauthier: From Nazareth to the Kibbutz, and From Vatican II to Latin America (a walking lecture in the Schneller Quarter, Nazareth)

19:00 Dinner in Nazareth

**Day 3 | 22.09.22** | Ofer Observatory, 30<sup>th</sup> floor of Eshkol Tower

**Latin American Perspectives**

09:00-10:00 Chair: **Niv Perelsztejn (University of Haifa)**  
**Claude B. Stuczynski (Bar-Ilan University)** – Was Father Manuel De Lacunza a Forerunner? Judeo-Christian Millenarianism and the Latin-American Revolution

**Luciano Maddoni (University of Buenos Aires)** – The "face of the people": the Difficult Reception of Emmanuel Levinas in the Liberationist Explosion of Latin American Philosophy

10:30-11:30 Chair: **Silvana Kandel Lamdan (University of Haifa)**

**Silvina Schammah Gesser (Bar-Ilan University)** – Interreligious Dialogue or Rupture? Ricardo Halac's Judeo-Spanish Plays (1970-2019) Speak from the Southern Corner  
**Eitan Ginzberg (Achva Academic College)** – The "Moses Method" and Israel in Latin American Theo-Politics: From Camilo Torres and Gustavo Gutierrez to Joseph Ratzinger

12:00-13:30 Concluding Panel and Farewell

13:30 Lunch at the university