INSS SECURITY CHALLENGES OF THE 21ST CENTURY 2016

The 9th Annual International Conference

Changing Rules of the Game?

Monday, January 18, 2016

In the presence of His Excellency, Mr. Reuven (Ruvi) Rivlin, President of the State of Israel

8:00-13:00 - Closed Session: Simulations at INSS with international guests– by invitation only

13:00 - Doors open at the Eretz Israel Museum

14:00 - Greetings

14:10 - Introducing the Conference

14:20 - Lt. Gen. Gadi Eisenkot, Chief of the General Staff, IDF

15:05 - Is the IDF Preparing for the Future Challenges? – Panel Discussion

Moderator: **Brig. Gen. (res.) Udi Dekel,** Deputy Director**,** INSS
Maj. Gen. (ret.) Orna Barbivai, former IDF Head of Manpower Directorate
Brig. Gen. (res.) Itay Brun, former IDF Head of Research at Military Intelligence
Brig. Gen. (res.) Yoram Hamo, former Head of Dado Center for Interdisciplinary Military Studies, IDF
Brig. Gen. Assaf Orion, Senior Research Fellow, INSS, former Head of Strategic Planning Division, IDF

16:00 - *Coffee Break*

16:30 - Amb. Daniel B. Shapiro, United States Ambassador to the State of Israel

16:50 - The Ever-Changing World Order - Panel Discussion

Moderator: **Amb. Dr. Oded Eran,** Senior Research Fellow, INSS
Mr. Thierry de Montbrial, Executive Chairman, IFRI
Mr. Shivshankar Menon, Chairman of the Advisory Board, Institute of Chinese Studies, New Delhi
Gen. (ret.) David Petraeus, Member & Chairman of the KKR Global Institute, former Director of the CIA
Prof. Itamar Rabinovich, President, Israel Institute (Washington and Tel Aviv)
Amb. Vyacheslav Trubnikov, Director, IMEMO, Russian Academy of Sciences,
former Director of Foreign Intelligence Service for Russia

17:50 - Coffee Break

18:25 - Amb. Samantha Power, United States Ambassador to the United Nations

18:45 - Mr. David Grossman, Israeli Author, speaking with
Dr. Yehuda Ben Meir, Senior Research Fellow, INSS

19:15 - **His Excellency, Mr. Reuven (Ruvi) Rivlin, President of the State of Israel**

19:45 - Strategic Survey for Israel 2016

Mr. Amos Harel, Military Correspondent and Defense Analyst, *Haaretz* newspaper, speaking with
Maj. Gen. (ret.) Amos Yadlin, Director, INSS

20:30 End of the First Day

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07:30 - Doors open at the Eretz Israel Museum

08:15 - Greetings

08:30 - The Israeli-Palestinian Conflict: Managing the Conflict or Changing the Game? – Panel Discussion

Moderator: **Mr. Gilead Sher,** Senior Research Fellow, INSS
Prof. Moshe Arens, Chairman of the Board of Governors, Ariel University, former Defense Minister
Dr. Yossi Beilin, Chairman of the Board and President, Beilink, Business Foreign Affairs
Ms. Hiba Husseini, Managing Partner, Husseini & Husseini law firm, former Senior Negotiator in the Palestinian Negotiation Team
Mr. David Makovsky, Director, Project on the Middle East Peace Process, Ziegler Distinguished Fellow, Washington Institute for Near East Policy

09:30 – Minister Naftali Bennett, Minister of Education

09:50 - *Coffee Break*

10:20 - **MK Yair Lapid,** Head of Yesh Atid Party

10:40 - Israel's Arab Sector: How Can Inclusiveness in Israeli Society be Achieved? - Panel Discussion

Moderator: **Brig. Gen. (ret.) Meir Elran,** Senior Research Fellow, INSS
Dr. Dalia Fadila, Principal, Al-Qasemi Academy
Ms. Rawnak Natour, Co- Executive Director, Sikkuy: The Association for the Advancement of Civic Equality in Israel
Ms. Shirin Natour Hafi, Principal, ORT High School in Lod

11:25 - Amb. Dore Gold, Director-General, Ministry of Foreign Affairs

11:45 - The INSS National Security and Public Opinion Polls: Latest Findings

Dr. Zipi Israeli, Research Fellow, INSS

12:05– Minister Gilad Erdan, Minister of Public Security, Strategic Affairs and Information

12:25 - *Lunch*

13:35 - A New Regional Order? - Panel Discussion

Moderator**: Mr. Alon Ben David,** Defense Correspondent and Anchorman, Channel 10
Dr. Benedetta Berti, Research Fellow, INSS
Amb. James Jeffrey, Philip Solondz Distinguished Fellow, Washington Institute for Near East Policy
Mr. Suat Kınıklıoğlu, Executive Director, Center for Strategic Communication
Dr. Kobi Michael, Senior Research Fellow, INSS
Prof. Galia Sabar, Prof. of African Studies, Tel Aviv University
Mr. Wladimir van Wilgenburg, Middle East Analyst and Freelance Journalist, Jamestown Foundation

14:40 - Brig. Gen. (res.) Michael (Mike) Herzog, Senior Fellow, Washington Institute for Near East Policy and Jewish People Policy Institute, speaking with

Mr. Abraham H. Foxman, Distinguished Non-Resident Fellow, INSS, National Director Emeritus of the Anti-Defamation League

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15:00 - *Coffee Break*

15:30 - Mr. Gideon Sa'ar, Distinguished Senior Fellow, INSS, former Minister of Education and former Minister of Interior

15:50 - Planning for the Unknown: Possible Scenarios – Panel Discussion
Moderator**: Brig. Gen. (ret.) Shlomo Brom,** Senior Research Associate, INSS
Speakers – To Be Announced

16:30 - Amb. Wendy Sherman, Senior Fellow, Belfer Center for Science and International Affairs, former United States Undersecretary of State for Political Affairs and Chief US Nuclear Negotiator with Iran

16:45 - Israel and the Region after the Nuclear Agreement with Iran – Panel Discussion
Moderator**: Mr. Udi Segal,** Diplomatic Correspondent, Channel 2 TV news
Maj. Gen. (ret.) Yaakov Amidror, Senior Fellow, BESA Center for Strategic Studies, former Head of the Israeli National Security Council
Mr. Avner Golov, Research Associate, INSS
The Hon. Jane Harman, Director, President and CEO, Wilson Center
Prof. François Heisbourg, Special Advisor, FRS, Paris, Chairman, IISS, London
Sir John Jenkins, Executive Director, IISS, Middle East

17:30 - *Coffee Break*

18:05 - Minister Ayelet Shaked, Minister of Justice

18:25 - The Future of the Islamic State – Panel Discussion
Moderator: **Mr. David Ignatius,** Associate Editor and Columnist, *Washington Post*
Gen. (ret.) John Allen, Co-Director and Senior Fellow, Center for 21st Century Security and Intelligence, Brookings Institution, former Special Presidential Envoy for the Global Coalition to Counter ISIL
The Hon. Michèle Flournoy, Co-Founder & Chief Executive Officer, CNAS
Amb. Jean-David Levitte, Distinguished Fellow, Brookings Institution
Mr. Yoram Schweitzer, Senior Research Fellow, INSS

19:25 - MK Isaac Herzog, Head of the Israeli Parliamentary Opposition, Head of the Zionist Camp

19:45 - Lt. Gen. (ret.) Moshe Ya'alon, Minister of Defense

20:30 - Closing Remarks

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