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World Summit on Counter-Terrorism

Terrorism's Global Impact

ICT's 8th International Conference
Interdisciplinary Center (IDC) Herzliya, Israel



Introduction

Welcome to ICT's 8th Annual International Conference. As the conference grows in importance every year, it continues to serve as one of the most influential meeting places for experts in homeland security and counter-terrorism – representatives that come from all over the world and from diverse disciplines and approaches. The importance of the ICT annual conference is not simply derived from the staggering quantity of participants or their high level of experience and expertise, but also by virtue of the fact that – unlike other conferences – the ICT annual event includes four days of networking and collaboration between decision makers, government representatives, security services, first responders, police, the business sector and academia. These participants are provided the unique opportunity to sit together, listen to lectures on current trends in terrorism, focus on new challenges and developments in countering the threat, and compare notes on policies, practices, successes and failures.

Hosting so many diverse delegates year after year is essential in establishing an international informal counter-terrorism network, crucial for succeeding to defeat one of the largest threats to collective security – the Global Jihadi terrorist network. Indeed, terrorism is a challenging and dynamic phenomenon. Terrorists are constantly engaged in a learning process, not only preparing new and more dangerous tactics and approaches, but also working to understand the counter-measures designed against them. By anticipating such measures, terrorists are able to surprise their enemies time after time.

It is thus the responsibility of counter-terrorism experts from every branch and discipline of the field – academia, law enforcement, business, the intelligence community, military and diplomatic circles – to be at least as innovative as the forces they seek to defeat. We must think outside the box and rely on collaboration and synergetic efforts to find the best answers to address the challenges of terrorism. The ICT international conference was designed to serve as an effective platform to reach this end goal, challenging our minds and stimulating discussion and creative solutions. We wish all delegates a fruitful and productive conference this year.

Monday, September 8th, 19:00
at the Interdisciplinary Center (IDC), Herzliya

Opening Evening

19:00 Reception

20:00 Greetings:

Prof. Uriel Reichman, President, IDC Herzliya, Israel

Mr. Shabtai Shavit, Former Head of the Mossad; Chairman, ICT Board of Directors, Israel

Ms. Yael German, Mayor of Herzliya, Israel

Dr. Boaz Ganor, Executive Director of ICT; Deputy Dean of the Lauder School of Government, Diplomacy and Strategy, IDC Herzliya, Israel

Keynote speakers:

MK Benjamin Netanyahu, Former Prime Minister, Leader of the Opposition, Israeli Knesset

Mr. Gilles de Kerchove, Counter-Terrorism General Secretariat, European Union

Master of Ceremonies:

Mr. Jonathan Davis, Head of the Raphael Recanati International School, Vice President for External Relations, IDC Herzliya, Israel



***Tuesday, September 9th**

at the Center for Performing Arts, Herzliya

Plenary Session

Morning Sessions

8:00 Reception and Registration

9:00 THE EVOLVING THREATS OF INTERNATIONAL TERRORISM

Dr. Rohan Gunaratna, Head of the International Centre for Political Violence and Terrorism Research at Singapore's Nanyang Technological University, Singapore

Dr. Magnus Ranstorp, Research Director of the Center for Asymmetric Threat Studies at the Swedish National Defense College, Sweden

Prof. Muhadi Sugiono, Director of the Center for Security and Peace Studies at the Universitas Gadjah Mada, Indonesia

Dr. Matthew Levitt, Senior Fellow and Director of the Washington Institute's Stein Program on Counter-Terrorism and Intelligence, U.S.A.

11:00 Break

11:30 STRATEGIC AND OPERATIONAL CHALLENGES FOR COUNTER-TERRORISM PROFESSIONALS

Mr. Shiraz Maher, Senior Research Fellow for Policy Exchange, London, U.K.

Gen. Montgomery Meigs, Visiting Professor of Strategy & Military Operations at Georgetown University, U.S.A.

Dr. Sergey Kurginyan, President of the International Public Foundation Experimental Creative Center, Russian Federation

Mr. Jack Tomarchio, Deputy Under Secretary for Operations at the U.S. Department of Homeland Security, Office of Intelligence & Analysis, U.S.A.

13:00 Lunch

* Please Notice the Plenary Session will take place at the Center for Performing Arts, Herzliya

Tuesday, September 9th at the **Center for Performing Arts, Herzliya**

Afternoon Sessions

14:30 **THE NECESSITY OF TIMELY AND EFFICIENT RESPONSES**

Mrs. Michele Coninx, Vice President of Eurojust, the European Criminal Justice Agency, Hague, The Netherlands

Baroness Pauline Neville Jones, Shadow Minister of Security, U.K.

Mr. David Nahmias, United States Attorney for the Northern District of Georgia, U.S.A.

U.S. Rep. Adam Smith, Chairman, Subcommittee on Terrorism, Unconventional Threats and Capabilities, U.S.A.

Prof. Irwin Cotler, Member of Parliament, Former Minister of Justice and Attorney General, Canada

16:30 **Break**

17:00 **FUTURE PROSPECTS: TRENDS AND OPPORTUNITIES**

Dr. Boaz Ganor, Executive Director of ICT; Deputy Dean of the Lauder School of Government, Diplomacy and Strategy, IDC Herzliya, Israel

Prof. Sir. Lawrence Freedman, Professor of War Studies and Vice Principal (Research) at King's College, London, U.K.

Dr. Daniel Pipes, Director of the Middle East Forum, Columnist, U.S.A.

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Workshops

The workshop titles are thematically arranged in three groups:

Regional Threats

- Insurgency and Terrorism: Lessons Learned in Iraq, Afghanistan and Israel
- Terrorism and Instability in Lebanon
- Global Jihad in Africa
- Terrorist Threats in Israel
- Al-Qaeda and Global Jihad in Asia
- Terrorism Threats in Latin America
- Terrorist Threats in Europe

Macro-level Approaches

- Prosecuting Terrorism
- Motivations of Stepping In and Stepping Out of Terrorism
- Countering Political Radicalization Processes
- State Conflicts with Non-State Actors: Re-conceptualizing Duties and Liabilities
- Ideological Radicalization Among Inmates
- Coping with Psychological Effects of Terrorism

Operational Challenges

- Managing Terrorist Threats to Water Supply Systems
- Counter-Terrorism Policing
- The Funding of Global Terrorism: Threat Characteristics and Response Trends
- Closing and/or Countering radical Islamic Media
- Aviation Terrorism: Common Sense or Ticking Boxes?
- International Counter-Terrorism Cooperation: Radicalization and Incitement
- Information Operations: Turn on, Turn in, Speak out



The Workshop on **Motivations of Stepping in and Stepping out of Terrorism** will be held in memory of Prof. Ehud Sprinzak z"l (1940-2002).

Professor Ehud Sprinzak was the founding Dean of the Lauder School of Government, Strategy and Diplomacy at IDC Herzliya. He was a world renowned researcher and lecturer on the topics of public affairs, religion and fundamentalism, violence and terrorism in Israel, the Middle East and the US, and was considered one of Israel's top authorities on these matters.

September 10th,
at the Interdisciplinary Center (IDC), Herzliya

Workshop Sessions

09:30 Morning Workshops

- State Conflicts with Non-State Actors: Reconceptualizing Duties and Liabilities;
- International Counter-Terrorism Cooperation: Radicalization and Incitement;
- Insurgency and Terrorism: Lessons Learned in Iraq, Afghanistan and Israel;
- Coping with Psychological Effects of Terrorism;
- Terrorism Threats in Europe;

12:30 Lunch Break

14:00 Afternoon Workshops

- Closing and/or Countering Radical Islamic Media;
- Terrorism Threats in Latin America;
- Terrorism and Instability in Lebanon;
- Global Jihad in Africa;
- Motivations of Stepping in and Stepping out of Terrorism;

September 11th,
at the Interdisciplinary Center (IDC), Herzliya

Workshop Sessions

09:30 Morning workshops

- Managing Terrorist Threats to Water Supply Systems;
- Aviation Terrorism: Common Sense or Ticking Boxes?
- Countering Political Radicalization Processes;
- Terrorist Threats in Israel;
- Ideological Radicalization among Inmates;

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- The Funding of Global Terrorism: Threat Characteristics and Response Trends;
- Al-Qaeda and Global Jihad in Asia;
- Counter-Terrorism Policing;
- Information Operations: Turn on, Turn in, Speak out



Speakers and Panelists

Lt. Gen. (Ret.) Orit Adato, First International Vice President, International Correction and Prison Association (ICPA), Former Commissioner, Israeli Prison Service, Israel

Dr. Maria Alvanou, Senior Analyst, Research Institute for European and American Studies, Greece

Mr. Dominique R. Antonini, Director of Business Development, AVS&C, Switzerland

Dr. Ron Avi Astor, Professor, University of Southern California, Schools of Social Work and Education, U.S.A.

Maj. Gen. Shahar Ayalon, Deputy Commissioner, Israel Police, Israel

Dr. Col. (Ret.) Eitan Azani, Deputy Director, ICT, IDC Herzliya, Israel

Prof. William C. Banks, Director, Institute for National Security and Counterterrorism, Syracuse University, U.S.A.

Mr. Alain Bauer, Security Advisor to the French President and Criminologist, Sorbonne University, France

Mr. Philip Baum, Editor-in-Chief of Aviation Security International Magazine; Managing Director, Green Light Ltd, U.K.

Prof. Rami Benbenishty, Professor, Paul Baerwald School of Social Work and Social Welfare, Hebrew University of Jerusalem, Israel

Lt. Col. (Res.) Ron Ben-Yishai, Columnist on Security Matters, Yediot Aharonot, Israel

Lt. Col. (Ret.) Patrick Bettane, Former Chief of Water Security - Israel Defense Forces, Strategic Consultant of Suez Environment, Israel

Dr. Joseph Bollag, Founder and Chairman, Institute for Security Analysis and Strategic Networking, Switzerland

Mr. Thierry Bourbie, Former Executive Vice President and Deputy General Manager, Suez Environment, France

Dr. Danny Brom, Founding Director, Israel Center for the Treatment of Psycho-trauma, Herzog Hospital, Jerusalem, Israel

Mr. Stanislav Cadjo, Minister of the Interior, Republika Srpska Government, Bosnia and Herzegovina

Mr. Yigal Carmon, Founder and President, Middle East Media Research Institute, Israel

Mr. Sydney Chau, General Manager, Aviation Security Co. Ltd., China

Adv. Dvora Chen, Attorney at Law, Former Director of the Department of Security Matters, State Attorney's Office, Ministry of Justice, Israel

Prof. Hiram Chodosh, Dean, S.J. Quinney College of Law, University of Utah, U.S.A.

Ms. Michele Coninx, Vice President, Eurojust (the European Criminal Justice agency), Hague, Netherlands

Rabbi Abraham Cooper, Associate Dean, Simon Wiesenthal Center, U.S.A.

Dr. Geoff Corn, Associate Professor of Law, South Texas College of Law, U.S.A.

Prof. Irwin Cotler, Member of Parliament, Former Minister of Justice and Attorney General, Canada

Prof. Bob de Graaff, Director, Centre for Terrorism and Counterterrorism, Campus The Hague, Leiden University, Netherlands

Mr. Gilles de Kerchove, Counter-Terrorism Coordinator, General Secretariat, European Union

Ms. Anne de Mandeville, Co-director, Centre de Droit Pénal International et d'Analyse des Conflits, Université Toulouse I, France

Mr. Michael P. Downing, Deputy Chief Commanding Officer, Counter-Terrorism and Criminal Intelligence Bureau, Los Angeles Police Department, U.S.A.

Mr. Mark Dubowitz, Executive Director, Foundation for the Defense of Democracies, U.S.A.

Det. (Ret.) Mordecai Dzikansky, Former NYPD Intelligence Division Overseas Liaison to the Israel National Police, NYPD, U.S.A.

Gen. (Ret.) Giora Eiland, Former Head of the Israeli National Security Council and Former National Security Advisor to the Prime Minister, Israel

Dr. Gil Feiler, Senior Researcher, Begin-Sadat Center for Strategic Studies, Bar-Ilan University; Managing Director, Info-Prod Research, Israel

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Prof. Sir Lawrence Freedman, Professor of War studies and Vice Principal of Research, King's College, London, U.K.

Prof. Robert Friedmann, Professor and Criminal Justice and Distinguished Chair of Public Safety Partnerships, Georgia State University, U.S.A.

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Mr. Franck Galland, Vice President of Corporate Security, Suez Environment, France
Dr. Boaz Ganor, Executive Director of ICT, Deputy Dean of the Lauder School of Government, Diplomacy and Strategy, IDC Herzliya, Israel
Maj. Gen. Yair Golan, GOC Homefront Command, Israel
Prof. Emanuel Gross, Professor at Faculty of Law, University of Haifa, Israel
Prof. Amos Guiora, Professor, S.J. Quinney College of Law, University of Utah, U.S.A.
Dr. Rohan Gunaratna, Head of the International Centre for Political Violence and Terrorism Research, Nanyang Technological University, Singapore
Mr. Tony Heal, Deputy Head of the PREVENT Unit, UK Office of Security and Counter Terrorism (OSCT), U.K.
Mr. Eric Herren, Research Associate, ICT, IDC Herzliya, Israel
Mr. Shanaka Jayasekara, Associate Lecturer, Centre for Policing, Intelligence and Counter Terrorism (PICT), Macquarie University, Australia
Baroness Pauline Neville Jones, Shadow Security Minister, U.K.
Dr. Ely Karmon, Senior Research Scholar, ICT, IDC Herzliya, Israel
Mr. Bill Kelly, Former Deputy Commissioner, Victoria Police, Australia
Mr. Michael B. Kraft, Counterterrorism Consultant, Writer, and Former State Department Counterterrorism Official, U.S.A.
Ms. Irka Kuleshnyk, Senior Terrorism Prevention Officer, Terrorism Prevention Branch, Office on Drugs and Crime, United Nations
Dr. Sergey Kurginyan, President, International Public Foundation Experimental Creative Center, Russian Federation
General (Ret.) Antoine Lahad, Former Commander of the South Lebanese Army (SLA), Israel
Dr. Uzi Landau, Former Minister of Internal Security and Member of the Israeli Knesset (Likud Party), Israel
Mr. Omer Laviv, C.E.O., Athena GS3 Security Implementations Ltd., Israel
Dr. Matt Levitt, Director, Stein Program on Counterterrorism and Intelligence, U.S.A.
Mr. Dovev Levinson, C.E.O., Whitewater Security, Israel
RADM (Ret.) Manuel Lora, Former Vice Chief of Staff of the Navy, Peru
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Maj. Gen. Dov Lutzki, Head of Operations, Israeli Prison Service, Israel
Mr. Shiraz Maher, Senior Research Fellow, Policy Exchange, London, U.K.
Mr. Cliff May, President, Foundation for the Defense of Democracies, U.S.A.
Gen. Montgomery C. Meigs, Visiting Professor of Strategy & Military Operations, Georgetown University, U.S.A.
Mr. Hans Meurisse, General Director, Belgian Prison Service, Belgium
Prof. Mario Mikulincer, Dean, New School of Psychology, IDC Herzliya, Israel
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Dr. Hilly Moodrick-Even Khen, Assistant Professor of Law, Sha'arei Mishpat College, Israel
Mr. Luis Moreno, Deputy Chief of Mission, United States Embassy in Israel, U.S.A.
Mr. Joel Mowbray, Syndicated Columnist, Knight-Ridder Tribune, U.S.A.
Mr. Yassin Musharbash, Terrorism Analyst, Spiegel Online, Berlin, Germany
Mr. David Nahmias, United States Attorney, Northern District of Georgia, U.S.A.
MK Benjamin Netanyahu, Former Prime Minister of Israel, Leader of the Opposition, The Knesset, Israel
Dr. Peter Neumann, Director, International Centre for the Study of Radicalisation and Political Violence (ICSR), U.K.
Mr. Jonathan S. Paris, Adjunct Fellow, Hudson Institute, London, U.K.



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Dr. Ruth Pat-Horenczyk, Director, Child and Adolescent Clinical Services, Israel Center for the Treatment of Psycho-trauma, Herzog Hospital, Israel
Dr. Gustavo Perednik, Visiting Professor, UCEMA University of Argentina, Israel
Dr. Daniel Pipes, Director, The Middle East Forum, U.S.A.
Dr. Angel Rabasa, Senior Policy Analyst, RAND, U.S.A.
Mr. Don Radlauer, Researcher, ICT, IDC Herzliya, Israel
Dr. Magnus Ranstorp, Research Director, Centre for Asymmetric Threat Studies, Swedish National Defence College, Sweden
Prof. Fernando Reinares, Director, Program on Global Terrorism, Elcano Royal Institute, Madrid, Spain
Col. Adv. Daniel Reisner, Former Head of the International Law Branch, IDF Legal Division, Israel
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Brig. Gen. (Res.) Amnon Sofrin, Former Head of Intelligence Directorate, ISIS, Israel
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Adv. Avner Yarkoni, Former Head of the Civilian Aviation Authority, Israel
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REGISTRATION AND INFORMATION

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Conference participation fee is 700 USD.

The conference includes one full day of panel discussions and two full days of workshops.

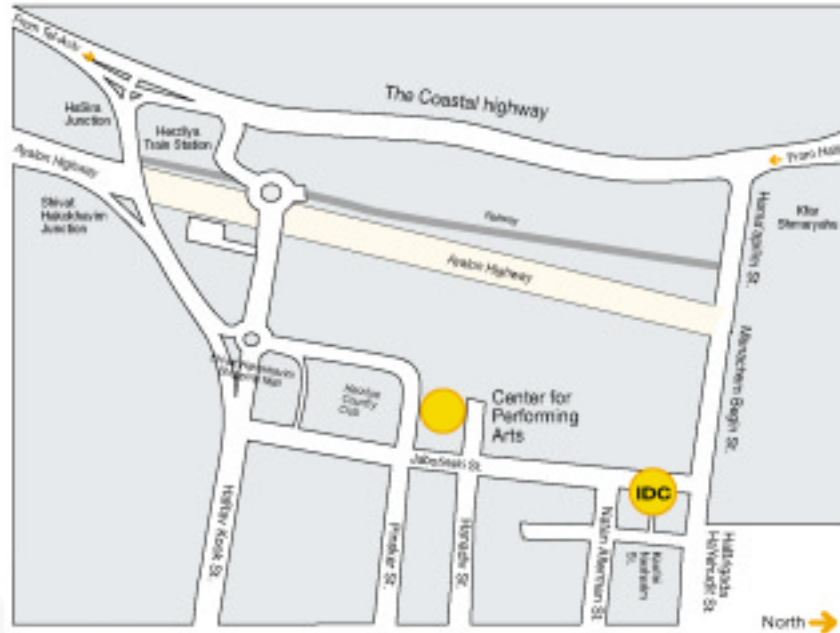
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