

Jerusalem, May 28-31, 2010

The International Advisory Council of IDI

Annual Retreat



FRIDAY, May 28th

**Democratic State-Building In Israel:
Principal Challenges and Possible Solutions**



10:30am – 12:30pm

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Field trip: Meeting with Ultra-Orthodox Leadership in Jerusalem



1:00pm – 2:30pm

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Lunch and Discussion with Ultra-Orthodox Leadership
The Olive Room, the King David Hotel

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SATURDAY, May 29th



12:00pm – 2:30pm

Field trip: Meeting with Israeli-Arab leadership, Nazareth



8:30pm

Gala Opening Dinner:

The Ambassador's Hall, the King David Hotel

“Protecting Democracy in an Asymmetric World”

Former Secretary of State George P. Shultz

In conversation with:

- MK Ze'ev Binyamin (Benny) Begin, Minister
- Dr. Yossi Beilin, Former Minister of Justice
- Prof. Vernon Bogdanor, Prof. of Government, Oxford University
- Prof. Dominique Moisi, Special Advisor, The French Institute for International Relations

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SUNDAY, May 30th

The Challenge of Political Reform



08:30am – 11:15am

“Are We One Nation? Sectarian Politics and the Challenge of Integration”

The George Shultz Roundtable Forum, IDI, Jerusalem

Four Perspectives:

- Ms. Nabila Espanioly, Director of Altufula Center in Nazareth
- Mr. Yisrael Harel, Chairman, Institute for Zionist Strategies
- Rabbi Mordechai Karelitz, Former Mayor of Bnei Brak
- Prof. (Emer.) Yaron Ezrahi, Political Science, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem



11:30am – 1:15pm

The Forum for Political Reform

The George Shultz Roundtable Forum, IDI, Jerusalem

- Justice Meir Shamgar, Former Chief Justice, Israeli Supreme Court
- Dr. Gideon Rahat, IDI Senior Researcher; Political Science, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem
- Mr. Shlomo Dovrat, Chairman of IDI's Board of Directors



1:15pm – 2:15pm

Lunch



2:15pm – 4:15pm

“Religion and State in Israel: Is Harmony Possible?”

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- Prof. Yedidia Z. Stern, Vice President for Research, IDI
- Prof. Moshe Halbertal, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem; NYU School of Law



4:30pm – 5:30pm

“Israel’s Economy and the Challenge of Reform”

The George Shultz Roundtable Forum, IDI, Jerusalem

- Dr. Yuval Steinitz, Minister of Finance



7:00pm – 9:00pm

Dinner with IDI Senior Fellows and Board of Directors

The Ambassador’s Hall, the King David Hotel

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Monday, May 31st

National Security and Democracy



09:00am – 10:30am

Roundtable with President Shimon Peres: “Israel’s Potential Contribution to the Global Village”

The President’s Residence, Jerusalem



11:00am – 12:00pm

Security and Civil Liberties in the War on Terror

The George Shultz Roundtable Forum, IDI, Jerusalem

■ Mr. Yuval Diskin, Head, General Security Service



12:00pm – 1:30pm

Operational Challenges in Israel’s Quest for Security

The George Shultz Roundtable Forum, IDI, Jerusalem

■ Lieut. General (ret.) Moshe (Bogie) Yaalon, Minister of Strategic Affairs and former Chief of Staff, Israel Defense Forces



1:30pm – 2:30pm

Lunch



2:30pm – 4:00pm

The International Task-Force on Terrorism, Democracy and the Law

The George Shultz Roundtable Forum, IDI, Jerusalem

■ Prof. Mordechai Kremnitzer, Vice President for Research, IDI



4:15pm – 6:30pm

The Future Strategy of IDI:

Concluding Discussion with IDI's Senior Fellows and Board of Directors



6:30pm – 7:15pm

Farewell Dinner

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