

## Friday, April 12th, 2013

**4:00-6:30 PM** Florida Loves Israel Registration

Registration/Hotel Check-In at the Holiday Inn: *1250 W University Ave*

**7:15 PM** Welcome & Shabbat Shalom

Attend Shabbat Services (Reform/Conservative/Orthodox) or participate in a Zionist Shabbat discussion (details TBA): *UF Hillel, 2020 West University Avenue*

**8:45 PM** Shabbat Dinner and Opening Address

T.J. Villamil, Student Body President at the University of Florida

Christina Bonarrigo, Student Body President Elect at the University of Florida

**10:00 PM** Shabbat Oneg Reception (Optional)

### Israel Between the Sheets

Join Ofer Avigdori, Shaliach at the Jewish Federation of Palm Beach Florida, for a discussion on the evolution of Israeli sexuality and identity.

**Torat Eretz Yisrael, Details TBA**

## Saturday, April 13th, 2013

**8:00 AM** Breakfast & Optional Shabbat Services at Hillel

**9:00 AM** Israel@65: State-Seeking, State-Making, State-Keeping

Professor Kenneth Stein, Director, Institute for the Study of Modern Israel, President, Center for Israel Education

*Coffee Break*

**10:30 AM** Israel@65 Breakout Sessions

**Israel: A History Through Maps**

Avi D. Gordon, StandWithUs Emerson Fellowship Director & East Coast Campus Director

**Palestinian Refugees Forever?**

Dr. Asaf Romirowsky, Adjunct Scholar at the Foundation for Defense for Democracies, and the Middle East Forum.

**Zionist-Arab relations: from Weizmann to Fruman**

Ilan Grapel, Emory University, Juris Doctorate  
Former IDF Paratrooper & 2006 Lebanon War Veteran  
Former Political Prisoner of Egypt

**Israeli History Through Art\***

Yael Nemni, Southeast Regional Director, Friends of Israel Scouts and the World Zionist Organization

*Coffee Break*

**11:30 AM** Artists4Israel & GrowIsrael

**Craig Dershowitz, President, Artists4Israel**

Artists4Israel is a charity and pro-Israel advocacy organization that works through artists in all artistic media to educate people worldwide about Israel.

**12:00 PM** Breakout Sessions: Israel Today

**The Untold Story of Inequality in Israel**

Mollie Spevack Breger, North American Manager, Ma'ase Olam

**Exile No More: African Refugees in Israel\***

Kady Buchanan, Film Director

**Bringing Israeli Innovation to African Villages\***

Emma Goldman, Outreach Coordinator, Innovation Africa

**FemInIsrael: Celebrating Israeli Women**

Yael Nemni, Southeast Regional Director, Friends of Israel Scouts and the World Zionist Organization

**12:45 PM** Lunch & Keynote Address: Israel's Place in an Unstable Middle East

Raphael Danziger, Ph.D. Senior Research Advisor, Policy and Government Affairs, and Editor-in-Chief Emeritus, Near East Report

**2:15 PM Breakout Sessions: Israel & The International Community**

**Teaching Morality in an Armed Conflict: The IDF Model**

Amos Guiora, Professor of Law and Co-Director of the Center for Global Justice at the S.J. Quinney College of Law, the University of Utah.

**A Potential Game Changer In Hamas's Attack Methods**

Dr. Asaf Romirowsky, Adjunct Scholar at the Foundation for Defense for Democracies, and the Middle East Forum.

**Anti-Zionism vs Anti-Semitism**

Robert Tanen, Associate Regional Director, Anti-Defamation League Florida

**Master Level in the Effects of Social Media During War**

Jeffrey Kaplan, UF Hillel

*Coffee Break*

**3:15 PM We Cannot Forget: The Munich Massacre, Zaq Harrison, Director**

**4:00 PM Yom Ha'Zikaron (Israeli Memorial Day) Ceremony & Exhibit**

**5:00 PM Break**

**7:00 PM Celebrating Israel@65 Dinner & Keynote Address**

**Dean Emeritus Ralph L. Lowenstein**

Veteran of Israel's War of Independence and Dean Emeritus, College of Journalism and Communications, University of Florida

**Carl Bernstein, Pulitzer Prize-winning journalist**

**8:30 PM The State of American Politics and Its Effect on Israel and Journalism Today: An Evening with Carl Bernstein**

**11:00 PM**

**Israel@65 Celebration at The Jam: Gainesville**

## Sunday, April 14th, 2013

**9:00 AM** Walk the Land: Celebrate Life! Israel@65

**9:45 AM** Breakfast & Campus Conversations  
Avital Kranz, The David Project

**11:00 AM** Breakout Sessions: Israel on Campus  
Topics TBA

**12:00 PM** Lunch & Organizational Fair

**1:00 PM** Next Steps & Closing Remarks  
Oren Marmorstein  
Counselor for Public and Academic Affairs at the Embassy of Israel in Washington,  
DC