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Conference:

**Perseverant Europe?
Solidarity in the European Union: Challenges and Perspectives**

**Thursday, November 17th, 2016
The Lester and Sally Entin Faculty of Humanities, Gilman Building, Room 496**

PROGRAMME OF THE CONFERENCE

09:00-09:15

Prof. Dr. Raanan Rein, Vice President, Tel Aviv University
Greetings

09:15-09:45

**H.H. Lars Faaborg-Andersen, Head of the Delegation of the European Union to the
State of Israel**
Introductory Remarks on the Current State of the European Union

Moderation: Prof. Dr. Raanan Rein, Vice President, Tel Aviv University

09:45-10:00

**PD Dr. Angelos Giannakopoulos, Heinrich-Heine Visiting Professor in European
Studies, Tel Aviv University**
European Solidarity: Opening Remarks

10:00-10:30

Prof. em. Dr. Alfred Tovias, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem and IASEI, Israel
Solidarity in the Eurozone: Spontaneous, Organized or Inexistent?

Discussant: Dr. Aharon Yair MacClanahan, Interdisciplinary Center Herzilya, European Studies Programme, Israel

10:30-10:45

Public Questions-Answers Session

10:45-11:15

Coffee Break

11:15-11:45

Dr. David Rinaldi, CEPS – Centre for European Policy Studies, Research Fellow, Economic Policy Unit, Belgium
Solidarity and the Crises: From Austerity to Investment? A Proposal for a Way Out

Discussant: Dr. Lior Herman, Department of International Relations, The Hebrew University

11:45-12:00

Public Questions-Answers Session

12:00-12:30

Prof. Dr. Deniz Sert, Chair Department of International Relations, Özyegin University, Istanbul, Turkey
The EU-Turkey Refugee Deal: The “Baleful” Balance between Protection of Refugee and Human Rights and Controlled Refugee Flows

Discussant: Dr. Esther Lopatin, Director of the Center for European Studies, Interdisciplinary Center Herzilya, Israel

12:30-12:45

Public Questions-Answers Session

12:45-13:15

Prof. Dr. Andreas Maurer, University of Innsbruck, Austria and FINE Advisory Board
Solidarity and the Refugee Crisis: A “Game of Chicken” as the Favourite National Strategy of Europeans?

Discussant: Prof. Dr. Hartwig Hummel, Heinrich-Heine University of Düsseldorf and FINE, Germany

13:15-13:30

Public Questions-Answers Session

13:30-14:30

Lunch

14:30-15:00

Prof. Dr. Alberto Spektorowski, Tel Aviv University, Israel

From Notorious Anti-Europeans to Far-Right Populists: Disillusionment with Democracy and What this Could Mean for European Solidarity

Discussant: Dr. Amir Lupovici, Associate Professor, Department of Political Science, Tel Aviv University, Israel

15:00-15:15

Public Questions-Answers Session

15:15-15:45

Dr. Kyriakos Filinis, Hellenic Foundation for European and Foreign Policy-ELIAMEP, Athens, Greece

European labour markets: Trends towards fragmentation and exclusion within and between European societies

Discussant: Dr. David Rinaldi, CEPS – Centre for European Policy Studies, Research Fellow, Economic Policy Unit, Belgium

15:45-16:00

Public Questions-Answers Session

16:00-16:30

Coffee Break

16:30-17:00

Prof. Dr. Hartwig Hummel, Heinrich-Heine University of Düsseldorf and FINE, Germany

The Meaning of Solidarity in Europe's Common Security and Defence Policy

Discussant: Dr. Vasileios Kappis, Buckingham University, United Kingdom

17:00-17:15

Public Questions-Answers Session

17:15-17:45

Dr. Christal Morehouse, Senior Program Officer, OSIFE – Open Society Initiative for Europe

The “New Pact for Europe”-Project: Debating the European Crises

Discussant: Prof. em. Dr. Alfred Toviás, Co-Convenor

17:45-18:00

Public Questions-Answers Session

18:00-18:30

Dr. Maya Sion-Tzidkiyahu, European Studies Programme, European Forum, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem and IASEI, Israel

“Brexit” as a radical development of opt-outs and differentiated integration: What’s next?

18:30-19:00

Keynote Speech: *What’s next after “Brexit”?*

Dr. Denis MacShane, former Member of Parliament, Former Minister of State for Europe, United Kingdom

19:30

Common Dinner with Invited Participants