



## Symposium: Struggles over the Future of Jerusalem and Holy Sites: Research Findings and Lessons

In honor of Prof. Yitzhak Reiter on the occasion of his retirement from Jerusalem Institute

**November 13, 2019 | Jerusalem Institute for Policy Research | 20 Radak St., Jerusalem**

**17:00 – 17:15 Greetings** Lior Schillat, Director General of JIPR

**17:15 - 18:30 Session 1: Lessons from Negotiating Jerusalem**

**Chair:** Ulrich Wacker, Friedrich Naumann Foundation for Freedom

Professor Kenneth Stein, Emory University, USA

**“Carter, Begin, and Sadat: why diplomacy in the 1970s is not replicable half a century later?”**

Dr. Lior Lehrs, The Leonard Davis Institute for International Relations, Hebrew University

**Open-Closed-Open: The Open City Model for Jerusalem**

Prof. Yitzhak Reiter, Ashkelon Academic College and JIPR

**Lessons from Track 2 Diplomacy between Israelis and Palestinians**

**18:30 - 20:00 Session 2: Control Struggles over Holy Sites**

**Chair:** Dr. Sarit Ben-Simhon-Peleg, Jerusalem Institute

Merav Stein, A Window to Mt. Zion, Jerusalem Intercultural Center

**Mt. Zion – From Conflict to Peace**

Eran Tzidkiyahu, PhD student, Sciences Po University

**Jewish High Holidays and the Temple Mount Conflict**

Dr. Michal Bitton, Hebrew University and the Technion

**Intra-Christian Tensions on Anglican Identity at the Tomb Garden**

Dr. Lior Chen, Ben Gurion University

**Intra-Jewish Struggles over Control at Qasr al-Yahud**

**Respondent: Dr. Amnon Ramon, Jerusalem Institute**

