

Program

09.30 – 10.00 Registration of participants and coffee

10.00 – 10.20 Opening of the conference by *Carin Jämtin*, Party secretary of the Social democratic party of Sweden, *Lena Hjelm Wallén*, Chair person of the Olof Palme International Center and *Dr Nabeel Shaat*, Commissioner of International Relations and Member Central Committee of Al Fatah.

10.20 – 11.10 Panel discussion 1:

The situation today on the ground and the current dynamics in East Jerusalem

Moderator: *Ann Linde*, International Secretary of the Social democratic party, Sweden

Keynote speakers:

Daniel Seidemann, Founder of Ir Amim.

Hind Houry, Ambassador.

Jawad Siyam, director of Silwan community center.

*Hagit Ofra*n, Director of the Settlement Watch Project in Peace Now.

11.10 – 11.30 Questions from the audience.

11.30 – 12.20 Panel discussion 2:

The political process and the effects of it on the ground

Moderator: *Jihad Abu Znaid*, Member of PLC and member of Revolutionary Council.

Keynote speakers:

Samir Awad, Professor of International Relations, Bir Zeit University.

Dr Nazmi Juabeh, Department of History and Archaeology, Bir Zeit University.

Mohammad Barakeh, Member of Israeli Knesset, Head of Arab Front for Peace and Equality (Hadash).

Xavier Abu Eid, Negotiations Support Unit (NSU).

12.20 – 13.00 Questions from the audience.

13.00 – 14.20 **Lunch break**

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14.20 – 15.10 Panel discussion 3:

The status of Jerusalem, what options are available and the major issues to be resolved

Moderator: *Nidal Foqaha*, Executive Director Palestinian Peace Coalition.

Keynote speakers:

Dr. Mahdi Abdel Hadi, Head of PASSIA: Palestinian Academic Society for the Study of International Affairs, Jerusalem.

Salwa Hudiab, Member of Fatah Revolutionary Council, and member of Jerusalem Committee.

Adnan Al-Husseini, Governor of Jerusalem.

Khalil Toufakji, Director of Maps at Beit Al Sharq, Jerusalem.

15.10 – 15.25 Questions from the audience.

15.25 – 16.15 Panel discussion 4:

Jerusalem and the declaration of a Palestinian State. What effect will the UN General Assembly resolution have?

Moderator: *Kent Härstedt*, MP Sweden.

Keynote speakers:

Dr Nabeel Shaat, Commissioner of International Relations and Member Central Committee of Al Fatah.

Pål Wrangé, International Law expert at Stockholm University.

Dr. Najat Abu Baker, Member of Palestinian Legislative Council (PLC).

16.15 – 16.30 Questions from the audience

16.30 Closing Speech by *Mrs. Mona Sahlin*, Former party leader and deputy prime minister