





PROGRAM SCHEDULE

Saturday, November 14, 2009

King David Hotel

6:30 PM **Cocktails**
Ambassadors' Hall

7:15 PM **Dinner**
Presidents' Hall

8:00 PM **Opening Session: Israeli And American Worldviews**

WELCOMING REMARKS: Haim Saban, *Chairman, The Saban Forum*

Strobe Talbott, *President, The Brookings Institution*

MODERATOR: David Ignatius, *Columnist, The Washington Post*

Avigdor Liberman, *Deputy Prime Minister; Minister of Foreign Affairs*

James Steinberg, *Deputy Secretary of State, U.S. Department of State*

9:30 PM **Coffee and Cocktails**
Reading Room

Sunday, November 15, 2009

8:00 AM **A Breakfast Conversation with Former Prime Minister Ehud Olmert: Peacemaking in Wartime**
Presidents' Hall

INTRODUCTION: Haim Saban

MODERATOR: Samuel Berger, *Chair, Albright Stonebridge Group*

9:30 AM Buses depart for Ramallah



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11:00 AM Meeting with Prime Minister Salam Fayyad

Presentation of the Fayyad Plan: *Palestine: Ending the Occupation, Establishing the State*

DISCUSSANT: Stanley Fischer, *Governor, Bank of Israel*

12:30 PM Luncheon Hosted by Prime Minister Salam Fayyad

3:00 PM Participants return to Jerusalem

5:00 PM Cocktails
David Citadel Hotel

6:00 PM Saban Forum 2009 Gala Dinner

WELCOMING REMARKS AND INTRODUCTION OF PRESIDENT CLINTON: Haim Saban

A Conversation with President William J. Clinton

MODERATOR: Nahum Barnea, *Political Columnist, Yedioth Ahronoth*

7:00 PM Dinner is Served

8:00 PM Keynote Address

INTRODUCTION OF PRIME MINISTER NETANYAHU: Haim Saban

Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu

8:45 PM A Conversation with Governor Arnold Schwarzenegger: *The Fight for Alternative Energy Sources*

WITH: Congressman Henry Waxman (D-California), *Chairman, House Committee on Energy and Commerce*

MODERATOR: Shai Agassi, *CEO, Better Place*



Monday, November 16, 2009

King David Hotel

9:00 AM Dialogue Session One: Assessing Progress with Iran

Ambassadors' Hall

MODERATOR: Kenneth M. Pollack, *Director, Saban Center at Brookings*

Dan Meridor, *Deputy Prime Minister*

James Steinberg, *Deputy Secretary of State, U.S. Department of State*

Uzi Arad, *National Security Advisor to Prime Minister Netanyahu*

Senator Joseph Lieberman (I-Connecticut), *Chairman, Senate Homeland Security Committee*

11:00 AM Coffee Break

11:30 AM Dialogue Session Two: The Prospects for Israeli-Syrian Peace

Ambassadors' Hall

MODERATOR: Itamar Rabinovich, *Bronfman Distinguished Fellow, Saban Center at Brookings*

Frederic C. Hof, *Special Coordinator for Regional Affairs, Office of the Special Envoy for Middle East Peace*

Gen. Amos Yadlin, *Head of the Directorate of Military Intelligence, Israel Defense Forces*

1:00 PM Luncheon Session: Assessing the Israeli and American Roles in Peacemaking

Presidents' Hall

MODERATOR: Congresswoman Nita Lowey (D-New York), *Chairwoman, House Appropriations Subcommittee on Foreign Operations*

Tzipi Livni, *Leader of the Opposition and Head of the Kadima Party*

Congressman Howard Berman (D-California), *Chairman, House Foreign Affairs Committee*



3:00 PM Break

4:00 PM Dialogue Session Three: Strengthening Palestinian Security and Governance Capabilities
Ambassadors' Hall

MODERATOR: Bruce Riedel, *Senior Fellow, Saban Center at Brookings*

Yuval Diskin, *Director, Israel Security Agency (Shin Bet)*

Congresswoman Jane Harman (D-California), *Chairwoman, House Homeland Security Subcommittee on Intelligence Affairs*

Daniel Shapiro, *Senior Director of Middle East and North Africa, National Security Council*

5:30 PM Afternoon Tea
Ambassadors' Garden

6:00 PM Concluding Dialogue Session: Assessing the State of the U.S.-Israel Strategic Relationship
Ambassadors' Hall

Ehud Barak, *Minister of Defense*

INTERVIEWED BY: Eliot Cohen, *Professor of Strategic Studies, Johns Hopkins University School of Advanced International Studies*

7:00 PM The Saban Forum 2009 Concludes