

Religious Claims, Nationalism, and Human Suffering in Political Conflict

The Case of Zionism

October 24 – 25, 2013

Workshop Conveners:
Nadim N. Rouhana and Nadera Shalhoub-Kevorkian

Thursday, October 24, 2013

9:45 – 10:45AM Welcoming Breakfast and Introductory Session

Nadera Shalhoub-Kevorkian, Mada al-Carmel and The Hebrew

University of Jerusalem

Welcoming and Introductory Remarks

Nadim Rouhana, Mada al-Carmel and Tufts University

The Fusion of Nationalism and Religious Claims: A Comparative

Perspective

10:45AM - 12:15PM Session I: Religion and Nationalism: Ideological Underpinnings

Uri Ram, Ben-Gurion University of the Negev

Esmail Nashif, Ben-Gurion University of the Negev

12:15 – 12:30PM Coffee Break

12:30 – 2:00PM Session II: Religion and Nationalism: Political Manifestations

Michael Karayanni, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem

Benjamin Beit-Halahmi, University of Haifa

2:00 – 3:30PM Lunch Break

3:30 – 5:30PM Session III: Theology and National Religiosity

Amal Jamal, Tel Aviv University Noya Rimalt, University of Haifa Yaacov Yadgar, Bar-Ilan University

8:00PM Group Dinner (in Nazareth)

Friday, October 25, 2013

8:30 – 9:30AM Breakfast (in the Workshop room)

9:30 – 11:00AM Session IV: Colonialism and Suffering

Nadera Shalhoub-Kevorkian and Yossi David, The Hebrew University of

Jerusalem

Ammon Raz-Krakotzkin, Ben-Gurion University of the Negev

11:00 – 11:15AM Coffee Break

11:15AM – 1:15PM Session V: Historicity, Culture, and Globalization

Meir Buzaglo, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem

Hizky Shoham, Bar-Ilan University

Mtanes Shihadeh, Mada al-Carmel, The Hebrew University of

Jerusalem

1:15 – 2:30PM Working Lunch and Concluding Session