EAST ASIA'S SECURITY CHALLENGES

21-22 January 2018

The Truman Institute for the Advancement of Peace
The Hebrew University of Jerusalem

January 21 | Sunday

09:30-10:00 Gathering and Registration

10:00-10:30 Opening Remarks
H.E. Mr. Koji Tomita, Ambassador of Japan to the State of Israel
Menahem Blondheim, Truman Institute, The Hebrew University
Nissim Otmazgin, Dept. of Asian Studies, The Hebrew University
Galia Press-Barnathan, Dept. of International Relations,
The Hebrew University

10:30-12:00 Japan's Regional Security
Chair: Galia Press-Barnathan, The Hebrew University
Ehud Harari, The Hebrew University: *"Japan's Security Challenges in the 21st Century"*
Paul Midford, Norwegian University of Science and Technology: *"Overcoming Security Isolationism: Japan's Promotion of East Asian Security Multilateralism Since 1991"*
Yiftach Govreen, The Hebrew University: *"Closing the Gaps: Transnational Policy Networks in the U.S.-Japan Alliance"*

12:00-13:00 Lunch Break

13:30-15:00 China and East Asia's Regional Security
Chair: Lior Rozenberg, The Hebrew University
Kai He, Griffith University: *"Rethinking China and International Order: A Conceptual Analysis"*
Yitzhak Shichor, The Hebrew University: *"False Alarm: Xinjiang and China's National Security"*
Doron Ella, The Hebrew University: *"Institutional Statecraft with 'Chinese Characteristics': The AIIB as a Case in Point"*

January 22 | Monday

09:00-10:30 Maritime Conflicts and North Korea's Nuclear Dilemma
Chair: Ira Lyan, The Hebrew University
Tetsuo Kotani, Japan Institute of International Affairs (JIIA): *"Gray Zone Conflicts in Maritime Asia"*
Alon Levkowitz, Bar-Ilan University: *"North Korea's Nuclear Threat in Regional Perspective"*
Or Rabinowitz-Batz, The Hebrew University: *"Four Paths to a 'Strategic Miscalculation' over North Korea"*

11:00-13:00 Cybersecurity and Regional Security: Lessons from East Asia and the Middle East
This panel is in collaboration with, HUJI Cyber Security Research Center (H-CSRC)– Cyber Law Program
Chair: Amit Sheniak, The Hebrew University
Dai Mochinaga, Mitsubishi Research Institute Inc.: *"Key Elements Governing Cyberspace and Security Environment in Japan and Beyond"*
Dayu Kao, College of Police Science and Technology, Taiwan: *"Toward Actionable Intelligence of Private-Public-Partnership (PPP) in Improving Cybersecurity Forensic Investigation"*
Amit Sheniak, The Hebrew University: *"The Israeli Cybersecurity Innovation Ecosystem: The Case of Beer-Sheva Cyber-Park"*
Tamar Berenblum, The Hebrew University: *"Geography Matters: Spatial Dimensions in System Trespassing Incidents"*
Anja Mihr, HUMBOLDT-VIADRINA Governance Platform: *"Public Privacy: The Balance between Freedom and Privacy in Cyberspace"*

13:00-14:00 Lunch Break

14:30-16:00 The Regional Implications of Great Power Competition
Chair: Danny Orbach, Truman Institute, The Hebrew University
Raymond Yamamoto, Aarhus University: *"China and Japan's Economic Engagement in Southeast Asia–A Threat to Regional Security?"*
Galia Press-Barnathan, The Hebrew University: *"Multi-Level Governance- US-ASEAN Counter-Terrorism Cooperation"*
Yoram Evron, University of Haifa: *"The Spillover of Asian Rivalry: Asia-Related Disputes in the Middle East"*

16:30-17:30 Concluding Roundtable: East Asia's Security Challenges and Prospects
Chairs: Nissim Otmazgin, The Hebrew University
Galia Press-Barnathan, The Hebrew University

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