

Faces of Israel at Expo 67 Conference Program

May 23 – 24, 2017

Room Atrium, Samuel Bronfman Building, 1590 Docteur Penfield

Tuesday, May 23, 2017

9:00 am ***Registration and coffee***

9:30 am ***Opening Remarks***

Csaba Nikolenyi, Director of the Azrieli Institute of Israel Studies

Jason Camlot, Associate Dean of Faculty Affairs for the Faculty of Arts and Science

Ziv Nevo Kulman, Consul General of Israel for Quebec and the Atlantic provinces

10:00 am ***A Tale of Two Pavilions: Jewish Participation in Expo 67***

Harold Troper, University of Toronto

Department of Curriculum, Teaching and Learning

Expo 67 in the Israeli and the Jewish Press

Csaba Nikolenyi, Concordia University

Department of Political Science

11:00 am ***1967: Cells, Clusters, Systems***

Inderbir Singh Riar, Carleton University

Azrieli School of Architecture & Urbanism

On Unfamiliar Ground: Habitat 67 as Representation, Home and Myth

Irena Murray, Executive Director, Kaplicky Architectural Centre and Foundation, Prague

Lunch break at noon – not provided

1:30 to 3 pm ***Photographic Boxes — Art Installations: A Study of the Role of Photography in the Israel Pavilion at Expo 67***
Tal-Or Ben-Choreen, Concordia University
Department of Art History

Via Cyprus: Naftali Bezem's Art Workshop for Shoah Refugees
Carol Zemel, York University
School of the Arts, Media, Performance & Design

The Israeli Visual Narrative of Nationhood at World Fairs
Loren Lerner, Concordia University
Department of Art History

3 – 3:30 pm ***Israeli Newsreel about Expo 67***

Opening Ceremony of the Israel Pavilion at Expo 67 (audio excerpt)

Impressions of Expo 67
A film from the National Film Board of Canada

3:30 – 4:30 pm ***The Israeli Expo 67 Hostesses- the Spirit of the Pavilion***
Kaya Deckelbaum & Sara Riesman
Hostesses at the Israel Pavilion
Moderated by Csaba Nikolenyi

4:30 – 6:00 pm ***1 of 13 in '67: Memories of a Hostess at the Israel Pavilion from the Archive of Sara Riesman***
Official opening of the exhibition and vernissage
Introductory remarks by curator of the exhibition
Alyssa Hauer, Concordia University
Department of Art History

Wednesday, May 24, 2017

4:30 pm ***Welcome and Greetings***

Rebecca Duclos, Dean of Faculty of Fine Arts

Israel on Display: Expo 67
Keynote Address for Faces of Israel at Expo 67 and
Annual Meeting of the Canadian Society for Jewish
Studies
Eran Neuman, Tel Aviv University
Head of the Azrieli School of Architecture
Director of the Azrieli Architectural Archive, Tel Aviv Museum of Art