

Liberal Democracies and their Fight against Terrorism—A New Approach

International Workshop

IDI's Amnon Lipkin-Shahak Program on National Security and Democracy

Wednesday and Thursday, December 6–7, 2017

The Israel Democracy Institute, 4 Pinsker St., Jerusalem

Wednesday, December 6

12:00–12:30 Mingling and Lunch

12:30–12:45 Opening Remarks:

Prof. Mordechai Kremnitzer, Vice President for Research, Israel Democracy Institute

Dr. Alexander Brakel, Director, Konrad Adenauer Stiftung in Israel

12:45–1:30 First Session

Special Advocates—A Proposal for Solving the Problems of Confidential Material in Administrative Detention Proceedings

Chair:

Col. Liron Liebman, The Amnon Lipkin-Shahak Program on National Security and Democracy, Israel Democracy Institute; Former Head of the International Military Law Branch, Military Advocate General Corps, Israel Defense Forces

Presenters:

Adv. Arie Rotter, Former legal adviser to the Israeli Security Agency

Adv. Gabby Lasky, Human rights expert

Judge Col. Netanel Benisho, President of the Military Appeals Court

• Open Discussion •

1:45–3:00 **Second Session**

Online Surveillance in Israel

Chair:

Prof. Yuval Shany, Senior Fellow, Israel Democracy Institute; Faculty of Law, Hebrew University of Jerusalem

Presenters:

Adv. Raz Nizri, Deputy Attorney General for Public and Constitutional Matters

Adv. Lila Margalit, The Proportionality in Public Policy Project, Israel Democracy Institute

Adv. Eli Bahar, The Amnon Lipkin-Shahak Program on National Security and Democracy, Israel Democracy Institute; former legal advisor to the Israeli Security Agency

• **Open Discussion** •

3:15–4:45 **Third Session**

Dealing with Terrorism - Distinctions and Proportionality

Chair:

Prof. Matti Steinberg, The Amnon Lipkin-Shahak Program on National Security and Democracy, Israel Democracy Institute; former legal adviser to the Israeli Security Agency

Presenters:

Dr. Ronit Marzan, Chaikin Geostrategy Institute, University of Haifa

Mr. Yohanan Tzoref, Head of Palestinian Department, Ministry of Intelligence Affairs

Mr. Michael Milstein, Researcher specializing in the Palestinian issue

• **Open Discussion** •

5:00 – 6:30 Fourth Session

The Military and National Security

Chair:

Mr. Yohanan Plesner, President, Israel Democracy Institute

Presenter:

Ms. Tali Lipkin-Shahak, Journalist at Galei Tzahal (IDF Radio), Steering Committee Member, The Amnon Lipkin-Shahak Program on National Security and Democracy, Israel Democracy Institute

Lecture and Discussion with Lt. Gen. Gadi Eizenkot, Chief of the IDF General Staff

6:30 Dinner

Thursday, December 7

9:30–10:00 Mingling

10:00–10:45 Presentation of the Policy Paper "Democracy's Battle Against Terrorism – The View from Israel: Platform for a Strategic Dialogue"

Opening Remarks:

Admiral (ret.) Ami Ayalon, Co-director, the Amnon Lipkin-Shahak Program on National Security and Democracy, Israel Democracy Institute; former head of the General Security Service

Presenters:

Dr. Idit Shafran Gittleman, The Amnon Lipkin-Shahak Program on National Security and Democracy, Israel Democracy Institute; Minerva Center for the Rule of Law under Extreme Conditions, the University of Haifa

Mr. Brian Michael Jenkins, Senior adviser to the president of the RAND Corporation

Dr. Moran Yarchi, Sammy Ofer School of Communications, IDC Herzliya

Prof. Matti Steinberg

11:00-12:00 Lecture and Discussion with Adv. Dr. Avichai Mandelblit, Attorney General of the State of Israel

12:00–1:00 Lunch

1:00–2:30 First Session

The Civilian Front

Presenters:

Admiral (ret.) Ami Ayalon

Dr. Dana Blander, Researcher, Israel Democracy Institute

Open Discussion

2:45–4:15 Second Session -

The International Front

Presenters:

Prof. Amichai Cohen, Co-director, the Amnon Lipkin-Shahak Program on National Security and Democracy, Israel Democracy Institute; Faculty of Law, Ono Academic College.

Dr. Roi Sheindorf, Deputy Attorney General for International Law

Prof. Noam Lubell, School of Law, University of Essex

Dr. Nimrod Goren, Founder and Head of Mitvim - The Israeli Institute for Regional Foreign Policies

• **Open Discussion** •

4:30–6:00 Third Session

The Military Front

Presenter:

Maj. Gen. (res.) Yitzhak Eitan, The Amnon Lipkin-Shahak Program on National Security and Democracy, Israel Democracy Institute

• **Open Discussion** •

6:00 Summary and Conclusion