US-Israel Educational Foundation - Education USA at the American Center

Pre-Departure Orientation Day
JUNE 7, 2016

Schedule of Event:

8:30-9:00  Registration

9:00  Welcoming Remarks
Dr. Anat Lapidot-Firilla, Executive Director, USIEF
A representative- Embassy of the United States, Tel Aviv

9:15-10:15  Academic Environment
Dr. Eli Cook, Harvard University, University of Haifa
Dr. Laurie Pearce, University of California-Berkeley
Professor Yossi Shain, Tel Aviv University, Georgetown University

Moderator: Bill Murad

Fulbright Post-Doctoral Fellows- Break Away Session
Dr. Michael Gilead, Ben Gurion University, Columbia University
Dr. Haim Suchowski, Tel Aviv University, University of California-Berkeley

Moderator: Judy Stavsky

10:30-12:00  Panel: Cultural Adjustment and more
Ms. Zoe Morgan, Cultural Adjustment, Ustudy
Mr. Yehonatan Abramson, Johns Hopkins University
Mr. Fadi Canaan, Suny-Albany
Ms. Keren Greenblatt, Georgetown University
Ms. Dar Raz, Florida Institute of Technology
Mr. Gil Shotan, Stanford University
Ms. Orit Yasu, University of Akron-Ohio

Moderator: Yaron Pearl

12:15-13:00  "Thinking Ahead- Back Home"
Mrs. Tsallit Rozenberg, The Israel Brain Gain Program
Mrs. Monika Lev- Cohen, Bio Abroad

13:15 Lunch

14:00-14:45 Visa Information Session
Ms. Naomi Anisman, Ms. Yaarit Balkhany
Non-immigrant visa section, U.S. Embassy

14:45 Health Care in the U.S.
Mr. Haim Ohayon-VP of Strategic Relationships
David Shield, International Medical Insurance

15:30 Farewell Remarks

Venue:  Nofim Hall, Erez Israel Museum, 2 Haim Levanon Street, Ramat Aviv, Tel Aviv

Time:  08:30-15:30 (parking is available at the museum parking lot and at parking lots around)

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Name, Telephone, Email, US institution+ State, Degree and Field of study
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Fee: 100 New Israeli Shekels per person (Cash only) at the registration