



Space, Time, and Power in the Levant: The Making of the Diasporic Stances
March 18-19, 2013 | Van Leer Jerusalem Institute

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4:00-6:30

Alfonso de Toro | University of Leipzig
Performative / Hybrid Diasporas: Hospitality and Belonging

Assaf Ashkenazi | Hebrew University
A Diasporic Stance of Translation: The Hebrew Amadís de Gaula (16th century)

20:00 Dinner at Restaurant Hatzet

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9:30 - 10:45

Jonathan Ray | Georgetown University
Creating Sepharad: Expulsion, Migration, and the Limits of Diaspora

10:45-11:00 Break

11:00 - 13:00

Mauricio Dimant | Hebrew University
The Experience of the "Israeli Palestinians" born in Latin America in their "arrival" to their Parents' Origins: A Case for Understanding the Dynamic of Diaspora Identity

Ariel Sheerit | Ben Gurion University and The Open University
Concepts of Diaspora in Miral al-Tahawy's *Brooklyn Heights*

13:00 - 14:00 Lunch

14:00 - 16:00

Frédéric Abécassis | Ecole Normale Supérieure de Lyon

Conversion and Diasporic stance in an Egyptian Jewish Family in 1930 : Conversion and Migration as Ways of Sustaining Identities in a Changing World

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“Diasporic dis-stances. Margins, geographies and other spaces”