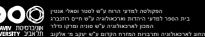
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- 13:45 Greetings and Awarding of Scholarships
- 14:00 Session I: Landscape and Environment

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The Cultural Impact on the Natural Vegetation of Jerusalem and Its Environs **Dafna Langgut**

Like a Cave over Holy Waters: Cultic Practices Surrounding Jerusalem's Spring Waters Joe Uziel

"Though I Walk through the Valley of the Shadow of Death": Mobility and Memory along the Tyropoeon Valley Before and After 70 CE Nahshon Szanton

"Ashes to Ashes, Dust to Dust": Transfer of Sacred Soil from Jerusalem to Cemeteries in Europe | **Neta Bodner**

Discussant | Yuval Portugali

15:35 Coffee Break

16:05 Session II: Faith and Religion

Opening Remarks Nitsan Shalom

The Emergence of Worship and Religion during the Neolithic Period: Direct and Indirect Evidence from Recent Excavations at Neolithic Sites | Hamoudi Khalaily and Ianir Milevski

A Northern Example for the Temple in Jerusalem? 'Ain Dara and the Religious Architecture of the Northern Levant | Mirko Novák

Holier than Thou? The Temples at Moza as a Case Study for the Development of Religious Centers in the Jerusalem Environs during the Iron Age | **Shua Kisilevitz**

"Their Speech Differs, but Their Religion is One": Byzantine Jerusalem as a Cosmopolis Yana Tchekhanovets

Discussant Dalit Rom-Shiloni

17:40 Coffee Break

18:00 Session III: The Charismatic Individual

Opening Remarks Guy Stiebel

Reclaiming Manasseh—The Creation of Greater Jerusalem | Yuval Gadot

Reclaiming "Hasmonean" Jerusalem: The Role of Alexander Jannaeus in Shaping the Capital City | **Tehillah Lieberman**

Between Politics and Faith—Juvenal, Eudocia and the Building Environment of Jerusalem in the 5th Century CE | Jacob (Yaki) Ashkenazi

The Making of a Medieval City: The Mamluk Amir Tankiz al-Nasiri and His Business Vision for Jerusalem | **Bethany Walker**

Discussant | Thomas E. Levy