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January 16 ~ 17, 2010

Crowne Plaza Hotel,

The Liberty Room,

Hamra, Beirut

## International Workshop

# Future of Iraq: Social, Economic and Political Issues in Question

### Workshop Programme

#### Day 1: January 16 (Saturday)

★ 9:45 Opening Remarks (Prof. Keiko Sakai)

★ Morning Session (10:00 - 12:30)

#### Displacement and Diaspora - Iraq's Refugees, Part I: Dynamics of Displacement - Displacement Processes in Iraq

Philip Marfleet. “Understanding Iraqi Displacement 1.” *University of East London*

Nasir Samarraie. “Dynamics of Displacement.” *Political Analyst*

Ekraam Ghazali. “Displacement in Baghdad.” *International Medical Corps*

Fyras Mawazini. “Iraqi Returnees: the Challenges Ahead.” *NGO Coordination Committee for Iraq (NCCI)*

Intisar al-Fartoosi. “IDPs in Iraq.” *Tokyo University of Foreign Studies*

★ Afternoon Session 1 (13:30 - 15:50)

#### Displacement and Diaspora - Iraq's Refugees, Part II: Refugee Communities

Geraldine Chatelard. “Understanding Iraqi Displacement 2.” *Institut Français du Proche-Orient (IFPO)*

Kamel Dorai. “Iraqis in Syria.” *Institut Français du Proche-Orient (IFPO)*

Didem Danis. “Iraqis in Turkey.” *Galatasaray University*

Sara Sadek. “Iraqis in Egypt.” *American University in Cairo*

★ Afternoon Session 2 (16:20 - 18:10)

#### Nationalism and Ethnic/Communal Identities in Contemporary Iraqi Politics: Cases of the Islamists and the Kurds

Dai Yamao. “Islamism or Nationalism? Struggle for New Iraqi State-building.” *Kyoto University*

Akiko Yoshioka. “The Position of the Kurds: Shaky Federal System in the New Iraq.” *JIME Center-IEEJ*

Faleh A. Jabar. “Rise and Decline of Identity Politics in Iraq, 2003-2009.” *Iraq Institute for Strategic Studies*

#### Day 2: January 17 (Sunday)

★ Morning Session (10:00 - 12:50)

#### Contemporary Issues of Oil and Economy in Iraq

Falah al-Khawaja. “Optimum Iraq Oil Production Rates 2010 - 2020.” *Independent Consultant based in Amman*

Walid Khadduri. *Writer on Energy Affairs*

Ahmed Jiyad. “The Fiscal Regime Governing Iraq's Upstream Petroleum Development.” *Independent Scholar*

Ali K Merza. “Oil & Issues in Iraq.” *Independent Scholar*

Kamil Mahdi. “Imperialism, Fragmentation and Iraq Economic Policymaking.” *Transnational Institute, Amsterdam*

★ Afternoon Session 1 (14:00 - 15:30)

#### Education in Iraq: Present Facts and Future Trend

Shimran al-Ajli. *Bayt al-Hikma, Baghdad*

Amal Shalash. *Bayt al-Hikma, Baghdad*

Kareem Hamza. *Bayt al-Hikma, Baghdad*

★ Afternoon Session 2 (15:50 - 19:20)

#### Iraqi Self-Conception in History & Culture

Hala Fattah. “Things I Learned about the Royalist Era in Iraq by Conducting an Oral History Project.” *Independent Scholar*

Rashad Salim. “Iraqi Art after 2003.” *International Network of Contemporary Iraqi Artists (iNCiA)*

Fathia Al-Joumaily. “Factors that Paved the Way for the Occupation of Iraq and Their Effects on Iraqi Society After 2003.” *Independent Iraqi Sociologist*

Maysoon Pachachi. Documentary Film: “Open Shutters IRAQ.” *Iraqi Film Director*

★ Concluding Remarks (19:20 - 19:30)

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