

***Entrepreneurship: Policies and Prospects in Occupied Palestine***  
***Wednesday, April 11th, 2018, at Said Khoury Building for Development Studies, Hall 104***  
***Please confirm your attendance by submitting the participation form on our website no later than***  
***March 31, 2018***  
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<b>8:30 – 9:30</b>	<b>Registration</b>	
<b>9:30 – 9:45</b>	<b>Opening Remarks</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Dr. Abdul Latif Abu Hijleh, President of Birzeit University</li> <li>- Dr. Grace Khoury, Dean of Faculty of Business &amp; Economics</li> </ul>
<b>9:45 – 10:40</b>	<b>Keynote Addresses</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Mr. Marwan Tarazi, Director of the Center for Continuing Education (CCE), Birzeit University</li> <li>- Mr. John Campbell, recently retired with over 40 years of Wall Street experience &amp; board member of Youth About Business</li> <li>- Mr. Khaled Sabawi, CEO &amp; Vice Chairman of UCI, TABO, MENA Geothermal</li> </ul>
<b>10:40 – 11:00</b>	<b>Coffee Break and Networking</b>	
<b>11:00 – 12:30</b>	<b>Plenary session 1</b>	<p><b>Social/Green and Cultural Entrepreneurship, Social Entrepreneurs and Social Enterprise</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Moderator: Dr. Yousef Nasser</li> <li>- Professor Haya Al-Dajani, University of Plymouth, UK</li> <li>- Dr. Anton Sabella &amp; Lecturer Niveen Eid, Birzeit University, Palestine</li> <li>- Ms. Lilian Volat, Project Leader, Cewas Middle East</li> <li>- Mr. Anton Hallak, Founder, EcoTech Recycling</li> <li>- Mr. Mahmoud Kuhail, Co-founder, Amoro</li> <li>- Concluding Remarks: Dr. Riad Mousa</li> </ul>
<b>12:30 – 1:00</b>	<b>Coffee Break and Networking</b>	
<b>1:00 – 2:30</b>	<b>Plenary Session 2</b>	<p><b>Women Entrepreneurship: Importance, Challenges and Outcomes</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Moderator: Dr. Nidal Sabri</li> <li>- Dr. Grace Khoury, Lecturer Wojdan Farraj &amp; Dr. Suhail Sultan, Birzeit University, Palestine</li> <li>- Ms. Jane Giacaman, Co-founder, The Palestinian Network for Small and Microfinance "Sharakeh"</li> <li>- Mr. Anwar Jayosi, Palestine for Credit and Development – FATEN</li> <li>- Ms. Doa Wadi, Executive Director, Business Women Forum, Palestine</li> <li>- Ms. Raya Yusuf-Sbitany, Chief Business Development &amp; Financial Inclusion Officer, Bank of Palestine</li> <li>- Concluding Remarks: Dr. Samia Botmeh</li> </ul>
<b>2:30 – 3:30</b>	<b>Lunch and Networking</b>	
<b>3:30 – 5:00</b>	<b>Round-table Discussion for Policy-makers</b>	A Panel of representatives of relevant ministries will participate in this discussion. The discussion will revolve around policy-related issues with respect to entrepreneurship.
<b>3:30 – 5:00</b>	<b>Parallel Session</b>	BuildX by Derrar Ghanem

\*Master of Ceremonies: Ms. Shireen Al-Basha