

Agenda
International Conference
“Sustainable Development under Crisis and Conflict Conditions”
"Leaving no one Behind"

In Partnership with:
 Prime Minister's Office / the National Team for Sustainable Development
 United Nations Development Program (UNDP/ PAPP)
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Tuesday and Wednesday 23-24th /04/2019 at Birzeit University Conference Room (243)
Institute of Law Building

Day 1 - Tuesday 23/April/2019	
Registration	8:00 – 8:45
Opening	8:45 -9:45
Professor. Abdullatif Abuhijleh/ Birzeit University President.	8:45 – 8:55
HE. Dr. Mohammad Shtayyeh/ Prime Minister	8:55 – 9:10
Ms.Nour Mattour: Chairperson of the Public Administration Department.	9:10 – 9:15
Mr. Roberto Valent: Special Representative of UNDP / PAPP.	9:15 – 9:20
United Nations Economic and Social Commission for Western Asia (ESCWA) Representative.	9:20-9:25
Keynote Speaker: Dr. Nabeel Kassis Director General, Palestine Economic Policy Research Institute (MAS)	9:25 – 9:45
Coffee Break	(15 minutes)

Session one Sustainable Development in Palestine: Reality and Challenges	
Chairperson: Dr. Estephan Salameh /Senior Advisor at United Nations Development Program (UNDP) Conference Room (243) Institute of law Building 10:00-11:50	
Progress towards Achieving Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs): Achievements and Challenges.	Mahmoud Ataya/Office of Prime Minister
Tracking Sustainable Development Indicators in Palestine.	Mustafa Khawaja, /Palestinian Bureau of Statistics.
Assessment of the Readiness of the Palestinian Government to Implement Sustainable Development Goals(SDGs).	Ala' Ghrayib / State Audit and Administrative Control Bureau
Implementing the SDGs in the Arab region.	Karima El-Korri /United Nations Economic and Social Commission for Western Asia (ESCWA)
Critical View: the Process of Implementing Sustainable Development Agenda in Palestine.	Raja Khaledy/ MAS Intuition
Discussion	
Coffee Break	

Session Two Development in Marginalized Areas Due to Occupation	
Chairperson: Dr. Safa Nasser Aldeen/ Vice President of Al-Quds University Conference Room (243) Institute of law Building 11:50-1:20	
Sustainable Development Under Occupation in Jerusalem.	Ahmad Ruwaidi / Islamic Cooperation Organization in Palestine.
Threats and Opportunities Facing Area C.	Jad Ishac and Jane Hilal / Applied Research Institute in Jerusalem (ARIJ)
Challenges Facing Sustainable Development in Area C.	Salah Sabri/ Al-Quds Open University
Technocratic Development under Colonial Settlements.	Ihab Maharma and Ahmed Shwaiki/ Arab Center for Research and Policies Studies, Doha Qatar.
Challenges Facing Strengthening Sustainable Development in Gaza.	Abdel Fattah Nasrallah / researcher in the field of sustainable development
Discussion	
Coffee Break	

Session Three Sustainable Economic Development under Conditions of Crises: Cross-Sector Partnerships and its Role in Achieving Sustainability (1)		<u>Parallel Session</u> Sustainable Economic Development Under Conditions of Crises: Cross-Sector Partnerships and its Role in Achieving Sustainability (2)	
Chairperson: Dr. Samia Al- Butmeh/Dean of the Faculty of Business and Economics / Birzeit University Conference Room (243) Institute of law Building 1:20-2:50		Chairperson: Dr. Adel Zagha /Birzeit University Room (101) Alsadik Building –Faculty of Law and Public Administration 1:20 – 2:50	
The Flourishing of Colonial Agriculture and the Defeat of the Palestinian Agriculture, What Can be done?	George Kurzum/ Maan Development Center	Towards New Ideas of Promoting the Palestinian Economy.	Samir Abdallah / Expert and Researcher in the Field of Economic Development
The effect of wars and conflicts on the sustainable development in the Arab world.	Tariq Al-Alami / United Nations Economic and Social Commission for Western Asia (ESCWA)		
Reconstructing and Rebuilding Stability of Post-War Societies: Security and Economic Interests or Sustainable Development?	Jehad Alayasa / Birzeit University	The Level of Stability in the Economy and its Impact on the Level of Fragility in the Palestinian Society.	Maen Salhab/Palestinian Central Bureau of Statistics (PCBS)
Achieving the SDG’s while under occupation and an internal geographic and political divide.	Nader Ata / UNDP	The Role of Economic Public Policies in Achieving Sustainable Development: Study of the Collaborative and Social Moroccan Economy during the Economic Crises.	Abdel Hafez Nouweini/ Abdulmalik Al-Sadi University, Morocco
Discussion		Discussion	
Lunch time 3:00			

Day 2 - Wednesday 24/04/2019			
Registration		8:00-8:45	
Session one Sustainable Management of Natural Resources and Environment in Crisis Conditions		Session Two Good Governance for Sustainable Development: The Need for Cooperation Under Crises and Conflict Conditions	
Chairperson: Dr. Jehad Al-Alayasa, Director of Master's Program in Government and Local Government/ Birzeit University Conference Room (243) Institute of law Building 8:45-10:20		Chairperson: H.E Eyad Tayyem Chairman of the State Audit and Administrative Control Bureau Conference Room (243) Institute of law Building 10:20-11:55	
Integrating Environmental, Economic and Social Policies.	Zaghloul Samhan/ Environment Quality Authority	Integration National Monitoring and Evaluation with SDGs Indicators to Support Good Governance?	Issam Danadneh and Alaa Hamad / Palestinian National School of Administration
Sustaining Water Resources under Occupation.	Abdel Rahman Tamimi/ Palestinian Hydrology Group	The Role of the Palestinian State Audit and Administrative Control Bureau in the Process of Governmental Reform and the Achievement of Sustainable Development (Case Study: Clean Energy and Climate Change Efforts).	Ayman Zaru / Birzeit University
Responsible Project Management to Face Urgent World Crisis.	Jose- Ramon otegi-olaso/University of Basque-Spain.	Globalization Vs Localization: Achieving a Sustainable Balance to Ensure Good Governance (A Critical Review of the Palestinian National Agenda as a Case Study)	Mohammed Abu Zayed / Birzeit University
Agronomists Job doesn't Reduce Natural Resources to Meet Today's Needs without Compromising the Needs of Future Generation.	Nidal Shaban and Eman Kadhum/ ISLE Association Dijon France, Erika Andenna & Dottore Forestale-WAA,CEDIA-Italy and Agricultural Academy Sofia Bulgaria.	Sustainable Leadership and Effective Organizational Performance to Achieve Sustainable Development	Najwa Tablawi/ University of AlZakazik- Egypt
		The Role of Good Public Policies in Achieving the SDGs.	Mohammed M. Hmood/ University of Karkouk- Iraq
Discussion		Discussion	
Coffee break (10 minutes)		Coffee break (10 minutes)	

Session Three: Sustainable Social Development: The Importance of Social Integration and Congruence	
Chairperson: Mr. Dawoud Deik Deputy Minister at the Ministry of Social Development Conference Room (243) Institute of Law Building 11:55-1:30	
Areas of Inequality in the Palestinian Educational System and the 4th Goal of the SDGs.	Saja Al-Turman-Birzeit University
Achieving SDG Through Providing Employment Opportunities for People with Disabilities in Palestine	Fida Al-Kayed/ Palestinian General Personnel Council.
Leaving no one Behind in Palestine: Health Status between Development Efforts and Challenges	Ola Al-Aker/ Ministry of Health.
Gender Equality and Sustainable Development (A No-One Left Behind Development).	Ameen Assi / Ministry of Women Affairs
Sustainable Social Development: The Importance of Social Integration and Balance (UN Role in Achieving Sustainable Balance and the Future of Palestinian Refugees).	Abdul Qader Al-Azzeh – Mohammed the Fifths University - Morocco
Discussion	
Coffee break	

Parallel Session Collaboration and Cooperation for Sustainable Development	
Chairperson: Dr. Ismail Iriqat/ Birzeit University Conference Room (101) Alsadik Building – Faculty of Law and Public Administration 11:55-1:30	
Financing Sustainable Development for Countries Affected by Crises and Conflict.	Alessandra Viezzer/EU Head of Cooperation.
Development Cooperation in Conditions of Crisis Impactful Implementation of Good-Governance against the Background of the Conflict in Yemen.	Arwa Hasan / German Agency for International Cooperation (GIZ)
Partnerships, Good Governance and Sustainable Development.	Nizam Zaro/Abdul Malik Al-Saadi- Morocco
The Role of the Palestinian Cooperation Agency in Achieving Sustainable Development: South-South Cooperation.	Imad Zuhairi / Palestinian International Cooperation Agency (PICA)
Project of Establishing The Credit Guarantee Schemes in Palestine	Lina Swaiti/ Palestine Monetary Authority
Local Partnerships and its Impact on Sustainable Development in the Old City of Hebron	Emad Hamdan/ Director of Hebron Reconstruction Committee
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Session Four: Sustainable Development at the Local Level	
Chairperson: Dr. Tawfeeq Al-Budairi – Chairperson of Municipal Development and Lending Fund Conference Room (243) Institute of law Building 1:30-2:45	
Achieving the best Value from the SDGs on the Local Level	Girhard Dekker / VNG International
Towards the sustainability and security of Palestinian cities- accomplishing the 11 th goal	Ohood Enaia / Director of Urban Planning, Ministry of Local Governance
Nationalizing SDGs at the Local Level	Ahmad Al-Atrash / UN. HABITAT For a better Urban Future
Discussion	
Final Session and Conference Recommendations / Mrs. Mayada Albadawi, Birzeit University 2:45 – 3:30	
Group Photo	
Lunch : 3:30	