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A Tribute to

YOUVAL SHIMONI

May 1–2, 2018 Intellectual Forum, Jesus College, Jesus Lane, Cambridge CB3 8BL

Co-chairs | Prof. Yigal Schwartz, Dr. Yaron Peleg

Tuesday, May 1, 2018

Arrival and room allocation
15:00

Opening Session (Bawden Room)
16:00–17:30

Chairperson:
Yaron Peleg, University of Cambridge

Speakers:
Hanna Soker-Schwager, Ben-Gurion University of the Negev
Youval Shimoni: To Fly Through a Crack in the Real (Hebrew)

Philip Hollander, University of Wisconsin-Madison
"Sometimes It’s a Complicated Matter, Father and Son": Paternity and Parallel Structure in Youval Shimoni’s The Salt Line (English)

Yigal Schwartz, Ben-Gurion University of the Negev
Journey to the Heart of Masculinity: Opening Remarks for a Discussion of Youval Shimoni’s Fiction (Hebrew)

Dinner (Cranmer Room)
19:00–20:30

Coffee Break
10:30–11:00

Session Two (Bawden Room)
11:00–12:30

Chairperson:
Oded Nir, Franklin & Marshall College

Speakers:
Roy Greenwald, Ben-Gurion University of the Negev
The Pogrom as a Primordial Scene in the Novel The Salt Line (Hebrew)

Eran Kaplan, San Francisco State University
There Will Be Blood: Real, Reality, and the Limits of Representation in Shimoni’s A Room (English)

Ronit Rapp, Ben-Gurion University of the Negev and David Yellin College of Education
A Painted Room: Visual Images in The Drawer by Youval Shimoni (Hebrew)

Lunch (West Court Dining Room)
12:30–14:00

Wednesday, May 2, 2018

Session One (Bawden Room)
09:00–10:30

Chairperson:
Hanna Soker-Schwager, Ben-Gurion University of the Negev

Speakers:
Yaron Peleg, University of Cambridge
Myth and Anti-myth in Youval Shimoni’s The Salt Line (Hebrew)

Oded Nir, Franklin & Marshall College
Form as a Political Matter in Youval Shimoni’s A Room (English)

Moria Dayan Codish, Ben-Gurion University of the Negev
Strategies of Withdrawal in the Work of Youval Shimoni (Hebrew)

Chairperson’s Closing Remarks:
Yigal Schwartz, Ben-Gurion University of the Negev

Speakers:
Oded Wolkstein, Sapir Academic College
Form and Transformation in the Work of Youval Shimoni (Hebrew)

Adriana X. Jacobs, University of Oxford
Response (English)

Response:
Youval Shimoni