

Call for Submissions –Medium-Sized Workshop on Identity, Emotion and Intergroup Conflict, June 4-6, 2015

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Medium-Sized Workshop on *Identity, Emotion and Intergroup Conflict*

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For decades, different communities in the field of social and political psychology have been examining intergroup conflict and the psychological processes involved, such as group identification and the experience and communication of group-based emotions within and between groups. However, there has been little integration of and contact between these communities. Based in a new ongoing collaboration between scholars from Israel and the Netherlands, this workshop aims to bring together theorizing and research on (1) the social psychology of social identity and emotional processes in intergroup relations and (2) the political psychology of intense (intractable) intergroup conflicts and their resolution.

The three-day medium-sized workshop on "Identity, Emotion and Intergroup Conflict," which takes place in a beautiful location in Tel Aviv-Jaffa on June 4-6, 2015, includes talks, poster presentations and roundtable discussions about the study of identity and emotion in intergroup conflicts, with the aim of exchanging and developing ideas. We are delighted to announce a keynote talk by Prof. William Swann (University of Texas) on the novel notion of identity fusion. The upcoming meeting aims to start a new annual tradition, alternating in location between Israel and the Netherlands.

We invite submissions for talks or posters from researchers at any career stage who conduct research relevant to identity and/or emotional processes in intergroup conflict and who are interested in theoretical and empirical integration. If you are interested in presenting, please send an abstract (max. 250 words), author affiliations, and contact information to Eran Halperin (mailto: eran.halperin@idc.ac.il) **no later than March 1, 2015** (and if you are interested in attending without presenting, please also contact us at the above address with your information and research interests). Participants will be asked to pay a registration fee of 160 Euros, covering room and partial board for the duration of the workshop. Because of the size of the workshop, please note that only a limited number of submissions can be accepted.