

PANEL ON

**AL-QUDS AL-SHARIF & AL-AQSA MOSQUE
UNDER THE LIGHT OF HISTORICAL DOCUMENTS**

IRCICA, 22.12.2022

Alemdar Cad. 15, Bâb-Âli Girişi, Cağaloğlu, Fatih, Istanbul



PROGRAM

10.00-10.45 Opening Session

I. IRCICA Documentary Screening

II. Welcome Speeches

Speakers:

- H.E. Amb. Prof. Mahmud Erol Kılıç, IRCICA Director General
- H.E. Amb. Samir Bakr, Assistant Secretary-General of the Organization of Islamic Cooperation for Palestine and Al-Quds Affairs
- H.E. Amb. Faed Mustafa, Ambassador of the State of Palestine to the Republic of Turkey
- Mr. Mutasem Tayem, Head of the Jerusalem Unit, The Jerusalem Higher Committee, Office of the President
- Prof. Dr. İsmail Taşpınar, Director of Jerusalem Studies Application and Research Center, Marmara University

10.45-11.15 Exhibition Opening

"Al-Aqsa Mosque in Ottoman Archive Documents and Historical Photos from IRCICA Archives"

11.15-11.45 Documentary Screening

Topic: "Property Documents of Al-Aqsa Mosque / Al-Haram Al-Sharif"

Prepared by: The Jerusalem Higher Committee, Jerusalem Unit, The Office of the President

11.45-13.15 First Session

Chairman: Dr. Basel al-Jabari, Strategic Planning & Policy Advisor, The Jerusalem Higher Committee

Presentations

Prof. Fazıl Bayat, IRCICA, Expert on Historical Studies

"Ottoman Empire's Efforts to Preserve the Status of Masjid al-Aqsa" [Arabic]

Prof. Dr. İmad Abu Kishek, President of Al-Quds University

"Educational Institutions in the Vicinity of Al-Aqsa Mosque" [Arabic]

Dr. Alaattin Dolu, Kastamonu University, Department of History

"Al-Aqsa Mosque as a Perpetual Stipulation in Al-Quds Waqfs" [Turkish]

Prof. Yasemin Avci, Pamukkale University, Department of History

"Wailing Wall: A Place of Worship Created by an Ideology" [Turkish]

12.45-13.15 Q&A Session

13.15-14.45 Lunch Break

14.45-16.15 Second Session

Chairman: Prof. Dr. İsmail Taşpınar, Director of Jerusalem Studies Application and Research Center, Marmara University

Presentations

Dr. Basel al-Jabari, Strategic Planning & Policy Advisor, The Jerusalem Higher Committee

"The Israeli Plans to Divide Al-Aqsa Mosque / Al-Haram Al-Sharif" [Arabic]

Prof. Berdal Aral, Medeniyet University, Faculty of Political Sciences & International Relations

"Al-Quds and International Law" [Turkish]

Dr. Yusuf Natsheh, Director of the Center for al-Quds Studies, Al-Quds University

"The Ottoman Heritage in al-Quds, An Islamic Property" [Arabic]

Assoc. Prof. Dr. Eldar Hasanoğlu, Hacı Bayram Veli University, Faculty of Islamic Studies

"Al-Quds, the Qibla of Three Religions: Historical and Theo-Etymological Arguments and the Issue of its Belonging" [Turkish]

15.45-16.15 Q&A Session

16.15-17.00 Closing Session