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# The IDF Force Structure

Monday, December 30, 2013

Feldman Conference Hall (Building 301), Bar-Ilan University

3:00 pm

**Chair: Prof. Efraim Inbar, BESA Center**

**Dr. Eado Hecht**, Defense vs. Attack: A Historic Perspective

**Mr. Amir Rapaport**, *IsraelDefense & BESA Center*, The IDF's Multi-Year Plan: Building or Dismantling the Ground Forces?

**Brig. Gen. (res.) Gal Hirsch**, *Defensive-Shield Holdings Ltd. & Deputy Head of the Depth Corps*, The Next Military Revolution: C6ISR

**Brig. Gen. (res.) Avigdor Klein**, *Former Chief Officer of the Armored Corps*, The Compass for Building the Ground Forces

4:45 pm

**Chair: Mr. Amir Rapaport, IsraelDefense & BESA Center**

**Dr. Eitan Shamir**, *BESA Center*, The Maneuvering Role of Ground Forces in Future Conflicts

**Vice Admiral (res.) Eli Marom**, *Former Commander of the Navy*, The Naval Dimension in Force Buildup

**Maj. Gen. (res.) Meir Kalifi**, *Former Military Secretary of the Prime Minister*, Balances in Force Structure in a Dynamic Fighting Environment

**Maj. Gen. Gershon Hachohen**, *Corps Commander of the General Staff*, Force Building: Between the Human and Technological Components (TBC)

Simultaneous English translation will be provided



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