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Joint invitational workshop on **spiritual capitals** to take place on,
20-22 March 2009
at the Department of Architecture, Bezalel Academy, Jerusalem

Both Jerusalem and Krakow have a long tradition as seats of religions including places of pilgrimage that have influenced the spatial structures of the city and playing a significant role in the process of shaping identities and memory. Contemporary problems facing places whose heritage is rooted in the power of cult, and the attendant problems of the management of the spatial content in conditions of global economies and dynamic expansion of the cultural tourism market will be considered.

Friday 20 March 2009

Opening session

Host: Dr Yaarah BarOn,
Vice President for Academic Affairs, Bezalel Academy
Sponsor: H.E. Agnieszka Magdziak-Miszewska,
Ambassador of the Republic of Poland to Israel

9.00 *Greetings:*

*Bezalel Academy Prof Michael Turner
Cracow University of Economics Prof Jacek Purchla*

9.15

*The sacrum of Cracow – times, places and people
Prof. Grzegorz Ryś - Rector, Krakow Catholic Seminar
Contemporary life in the shadow of genocide-
the Armenians in Jerusalem
Two folded mapping
Yona Weitz, Bezalel Academy*

*Jerusalem: Sacred Space between Three Religions
Professor Ora Limor, Vice President Open University*

- 11.15 *Sites and compounds- divine properties*
 Prof Zeev Druckman
Sacrum in Cracow urban space
 Prof. Aleksander Böhm - Department of Architecture,
 Krakow University of Technology
Jerusalem Compounds
 Prof Michael Turner David Guggenheim, Bezalel Academy
Discovering and presenting the past
 Jon Seligman, Israel Antiquities Authority
- 13.15 - 14.00 Very Reverend Sr. Pierbattista Pizzaballa ofm,
The Custos of the Holy Land
 Discussion

Saturday 21 March 2009

Site visits

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| 9.00 | <i>Compounds in Jerusalem</i> | <i>David Guggenheim</i> |
| 11.00 | <i>Church of the Holy Sepulchre</i> | <i>Jon Seligman</i> |
| 13.00 | <i>Armenian Patriarchate</i> | <i>Yona Weitz</i> |

Sunday 22 March 2009

- 9.00 Opening
- 9.15 *Cultural tourism*
 Professor Michael Turner
Sacred places of Jews in Krakow
 Dr Agnieszka Sabor, journalist - "Tygodnik Powszechny" Magazine
The tourism in the Old City of Jerusalem
 Dr Kobi Cohen Hattab,
Spiritual landscapes
 Judy Green
- 11.30 *The urban economics of spirituality*
The management of the spiritual capital
Spirituality as a factor for urban development – the case of Krakow
 Prof Jacek Purchla, Krakow University of Economics
The nature and purpose of the Holy Land Council and its relevance to Jerusalem
 Rabbi David Rosen
- 14.00 *Pilgrimages*
Kraków – “The Pope’s city”
 Dr Anna Niedźwiedz, Department of Ethnology,
 Jagiellonian University
Pilgrimage to the Holy Land Reflections in Medieval Italian Mosaics
 Dr. Naomi Meiri-Dann
- 16.00 *Summary and future programmes and cooperation*
Further research and networking
Conclusions

Presentation of the Masters of Urban Design programme - MUrbDes
 Professor Zeev Druckman
- 18.00 *Krakow Exhibition at the Begin Centre*
 Moshe Fuxman, Israeli curator with Agnieszka Sabor, Polish curator

Discussants

Polish team

Prof. Aleksander Böhm, Department of Architecture of the Krakow University of Technology

Prof. Grzegorz Ryś, Rector of the Catholic Seminar of Krakow.

Dr Anna Niedźwiedź, PhD, Jagiellonian University, Department of Ethnology, is an anthropologist.

Dr Agnieszka Sabor, PhD, "Tygodnik Powszechny" Magazine, is a journalist interested in the history of Polish Jews

Prof Jacek Purchla - International Cultural Centre, Krakow University of Economics, UNESCO Chair for Heritage and Urban Studies

Israeli team

Prof Michael Turner, UNESCO Chair in Urban Design and Conservation Studies

Prof Zeev Druckman, Head, Graduate Programme in Urban Design

David Guggenheim, Graduate Programme in Urban Design

Judy Green, Graduate Programme in Urban Design

Yona Weitz, History and Theory Department

Dr. Naomi Meiri-Dann, History and Theory Department

Professor Ora Limor, Vice President Open University

Dr Kobi Cohen-Hattab, Hebrew University

Rabbi David Rosen, Director of the American Jewish Committee's Department for Interreligious Affairs and the Heilbrunn Institute for International Interreligious Understanding,