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**Dr. Gershon Baskin:**  
**Second Track Diplomacy and Prospects for Peace in  
Israel/Palestine**

Dr. Gershon Baskin, who headed the secret, backchannel negotiations between Hamas and Israel, is coming to Berkeley to offer his unique perspective on the prospects for peace in Israel and Palestine, and diplomacy's role in the conflict.



Dr. Baskin is the cofounder of the Israel/Palestine Center for Research and Information think tank, or IPCRI, which strives to provide an sustainable and fair two-state solution to the conflict. His diplomatic efforts were instrumental in the release of Israeli soldier Gilad Shalit.

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