The Yarqon/Aluja water basin spans from the national watershed line in the Samarian Mountains to the Mediterranean Sea. 40% of the basin is west of the green line (the demarcation lines set out in the 1949 Armistice Agreements) and 60% is to the east of it.

The Yarqon River Authority initiated a master plan for the Yarqon River in 1994. This has been the planning basis for an impressive revolution; following this change the Yarqon River Authority initiated a renewed appraisal with an updated and expanded plan now including the entire Yarqon/Aluja Basin.

Join us for a conversation with Master Architect Liora Meron to discuss the new master plan as a breakthrough in Israeli/Palestinian cooperation around socioeconomic, cultural, and environmental issues.

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