

Israel and Bavaria through the lens of volunteering

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**08.12.21,
18.30-20 Uhr**



Online-
Meeting

Strong democratic societies are based on strong civil engagement - people who volunteer for the common good of the community. Volunteers are active in many fields such as social initiatives, neighborhood activities, sports clubs and various other groups and organizations. Democracy is dependent on their commitment but also on solid political frameworks, strong community service and state funding.

Israel and Bavaria are both characterized by strong civic engagement. Therefore it is beneficial to learn from one another and grow together.

This is what our joint conference strives to achieve: Learning what makes each society special. Together, we will explore how we can create solid conditions allowing volunteering to take its well-deserved place within society.

We will explore the topic by short keynotes followed by discussion. We are looking forward to meeting you at the conference!

18:30

Opening Session

Carmela Shamir, Consul General of the
State of Israel to Southern Germany

18:45

Volunteering and Social Involvement in Israel and Bavaria - Exploring the field in Israeli and German Society

Volunteering and Social Involvement - the German Perspective

Dr. Thomas Röbbke, Chair Bavarian Network of civil society
(Landesnetzwerk Bürgerschaftliches Engagement Bayern e.V)

Dr. Uli Glaser, Head of the department for Civil Society and
Corporate Citizenship in the City of Nuremberg
(Stabsstelle "Bürgerschaftliches Engagement und 'Corporate
Citizenship'" der Stadt Nürnberg)

19:15

Volunteering and Social Involvement - The Israeli Perspective

Ronit Bar, CEO-The Israeli Council for Voluntarism

Prof. Michal Almog-Bar, Head of the Institute for the Study of
Civil Society and Philanthropy, Hebrew University of Jerusalem

Nickey Gregor, Director Municipality Unit for Volunteer
Services, Department of Community Social Work and
Community Resources Services, City of Jerusalem

19:45

Open discussion, sharing and thoughts for the future

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