The Sophie Davis Forum on Gender, Conflict Resolution and Peace cordially invites you to the fifth Learning Community meeting:

## **Belonging, Gender, and Conflict Resolution**

Monday, May 8, 12:30-4:00 (Gathering and Light refreshments, 12:00) Room 502 Beit Maiersdorf, Hebrew University of Jerusalem

*Belonging*, the human emotional need to fit, to be accepted, to be part of something greater than ourselves (a social group, a place), stands in the center of social struggles for equality, equity, and wellbeing, that we encounter as scholars focusing on gender and conflict/ resolution. Many of us struggle to belong to a certain structure, others to release themselves from a structure they were assigned to, and some to challenge the ways in which such structures are constructed. Most of us operate from within—the power and limitation of—a particular (assigned, achieved) status and a sense of belonging. This meeting invites you to reflect of these various tensions as reflected in your research, activism, and lived experiences.

**Opening:** Prof. Dan Miodownik, Academic Director, the Leonard Davis Institute for International Relations, Hebrew University of Jerusalem.

## **Speakers:**

Prof. Nadera Shalhoub-Kevorkian, the Faculty of Law (Institute of Criminology) and the School of Social Work and Public Welfare, the Hebrew University of Jerusalem.Dr. Sarai Aharoni, Gender Studies, Ben-Gurion University of the NegevMs. Siri Levinas with Ms. Yahaloma Zchut, Women Wage Peace.Prof. Yifat Bitton, Faculty of Law, College of Management and the Hebrew University

**Chair**: Dr. Tal Nitsán, The Sophie Davis Forum on Gender, Conflict Resolution and Peace, Hebrew University of Jerusalem

*Belonging, Gender, and Conflict Resolution*, is the fifth meeting of The Sophie Davis Learning Community. The meetings aim to create a scholarly community that will develop various creative and innovative collaborations around these themes. The previous meetings focused on the concepts: Hope (Dec), Kavod (January), Translation (March), and ReCall (April).

All meetings will be audio/video recorded and take place in Hebrew. Seating is limited, please RSVP at: <u>http://SophieDavisLC.rsvpify.com</u> by Thursday, May 4<sup>th</sup>. For more information visit: <u>http://en.davis.huji.ac.il/book/gender-forum</u> For inquiries, contact Dr. Tal Nitsán at: <u>tal.nitsan1@mail.huji.ac.il</u>





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