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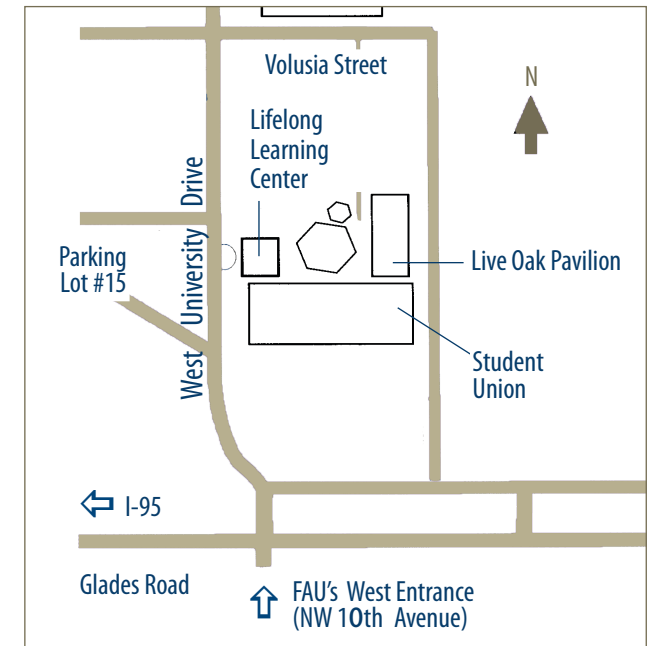
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Sunday, Feb. 26 – LIFELONG LEARNING CENTER

8:30 AM – Registration and Welcome

9 am – **SOCIETY**, Chair: Robert Rabil (Florida Atlantic University)

Population and Immigration in Israel: Ethnicity, Religion, and Family Values, Calvin Goldscheider (Brown University)

From Privatization to Renewal: Changes in the Kibbutzim, 1991-2011, Raymond Russell (University of California, Riverside)

Reports of the Death of the Left: Women, Volunteerism, and Small Forms of Social Movement Mobilization in Israel
Patricia J. Woods (University of Florida)

1:15 PM – **CULTURE**, Chair: Ella Levy (Florida Atlantic University)

Israeli Fiction and National Identity
Nehama Aschkenasy (University of Connecticut)

Current Research on the Sounds and Forms of Israeli Hebrew
Shmuel Bolozky (University of Massachusetts, Amherst)

3:30 PM – **IDENTITY**, Chair: Kristen Lindbeck (Florida Atlantic University)

History, Imagery, Memory: Contesting Israel in Scholarship and Beyond, Arieh Saposnik (UCLA)

Women, Art, and Identity in Israel
Paula J. Birnbaum (University of San Francisco)

Monday, Feb. 27 – LIVE OAK PAVILION

8:30 AM – CURRENT CONCERNS

Chair: Miriam F. Elman (Syracuse University)

Religious Fundamentalism in Israel

Michael Feige (Ben-Gurion University of the Negev)

From Consensus to Contentious: The New Politics of Israel in the American Jewish Community

Theodore Sasson (Middlebury College)

10:45 AM – REFLECTIONS

Chair: Marianne Sanua, (Florida Atlantic University)

Scenarios of the Zionist Future: Continuity and Change in a Century of Negotiating Imagination with Reality

Ilan Troen (Brandeis University)

CONCLUDING PANEL DISCUSSION

Chair: Frederick E. Greenspahn (Florida Atlantic University)

INFORMATION – Sunday sessions will be in the Lifelong Learning Center and Monday sessions in the Live Oak Pavilion. **Sunday lunch is included in the registration fee.** No confirmation notice will be sent; admission materials will be available at the door. Free parking is available in the unmetered section of Lot 15, on the west side of Broward Avenue. For further information, contact:

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Enclosed please find \$_____ for _____ (# of registrations) in payment for The Gimelstob Symposium in Judaic Studies, "New Scholarship on Israel." **Please check a box below for type of registration.**

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- FAU graduate students, undergraduate students, faculty or staff* (\$5 per person, includes lunch on Sunday)

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