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Reading a Symptom: Literary and Psychoanalytical Perspectives
in preparation for
The Xth NLS Congress: Reading a symptom

Tel-Aviv University, Monday May 14th 2012
Dan-David building Hall 208: 9:00am – 14:00pm
Trubowicz Law building Hall 101: 14:00pm-18:00pm

Location: Dan David building, Hall 208

9:00-9:20 – Gathering

9:20-9:30: Opening Remarks
Prof. Shirley Sharon-Zisser, Head, English and American Studies Department, Tel-Aviv University, NLS, AMP, Lacanian Network

9:30-11:00 – Rhetoric and the Symptom
Chair: Prof. Shirley Sharon-Zisser, Head, English and American Studies Department, Tel-Aviv University, NLS, AMP, Lacanian Network
Ms. Susana Huler, ELP, AMP, Lacanian Network
“True or Real”
Prof. Ginette Michaux, Ecole de la Cause Freudienne
“James Joyce: de la Suppléance au 'Sinthome'”
Dr. Zafra Dan, English and American Studies Department, Tel-Aviv University
“Reading for the Written Symptom - the Rhetoric of Repression in Congreve's The Double Dealer”
11:00-11:15 - Break

11:15-13:00 — **The Author As Symptom**
Chair: Dr. Roi Tartakovsky, English and American Studies Department, Tel-Aviv University
Ms. Stella Harrison, Ecole de la Cause Freudienne

*Virginia Woolf, Being, the Real, and Two Ways of Writing*
Ms. Einav Ketrao-Deutsch, English and American Studies Department, Tel-Aviv University
*Reading a Symptom Backwards in Virginia Woolf’s The Voyage Out*
Ms. Tamar Gerstenhaber, English and American Studies Department, Tel-Aviv University, GIEP
*Framing the Real*

13:00-14:00 – Lunch Break

**Location:** Trubowicz Law building, Hall 101

14:00-15:45 — **Oedipus and the Symptoms**
Chair: Tamar Gerstenhaber, English and American Department Tel Aviv-University, GIEP
Prof. Erik Roraback, Charles University, Prague

*The Dance Between Existence, Creation & the Commons in Dante's Commedia, Dostoevsky's Notes from Underground and Ellison's Invisible Man*
Dr. Efrat Biberman, Hamidrasha School of Art, Beit Berl Academic College
*Father Tongue: Michal Na'amans Birth of Art from the Spirit of History*
Ms. Yulia Perlman, School of Social Work, Haifa University
*Mother Is On the Page*

16:00-16:15 – Break

16:15—18:00 — **Symptom, Judaism**
Chair: Ms. Yulia Perlman, School of Social Work, Haifa Univerity
Dr. Aïm Deüelle Lüski, Tel Aviv University, Bezalel Academy of Art
*Old Testament as the Lacanian Symptom*
Dr. Malkiel Kaisey, Jewish Studies Sapir College
*Judeophobia, Hostility and Symptom Formation in Freud's ‘Little Hans’*
Prof. Shirley Sharon-Zisser, Head, English and American Studies Department Tel-Aviv University, NLS, AMP, Lacanian Network
*La Troisieme in Hebrew Letters*