

# The German-Israeli Hub 2021

## Training Ground: Sharing Bilateral Expertise on Digital Exchange Programs

### Online Bilateral Meeting for Professionals in German-Israeli Encounter Projects

July 7, 2021  
Digital Event

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Why are we sitting in front of screens for over a year now?  
The answer to this question we all know.

But how do we turn this time into a meaningful experience? How can we insert valuable content into our programs? How will we build a close connection between participants on screen?

To answer all these questions and more – **we need YOU!**

In the past year, ConAct and the Israel Youth Exchange Authority have collected ideas, tools and practices on digital German-Israeli exchanges from professionals and young people – you can learn all about it on the [Exchange Online](#) page. Before the summer break 2021, we would like to gather the energy, motivation and knowledge into one space and exchange together about the directions our field is taking.

Join us on the **Training Ground: Sharing Bilateral Expertise on Digital Youth Exchanges**, a digital event with professionals in the field of German-Israeli exchanges! We will discuss the current possibilities of online encounters, your offline and online experience and everything you have to offer to bring German-Israeli exchanges another giant step further!

The seminar is taking place **online** on **July 7, 2021**. The participants from Germany and Israel will come together digitally – to work, discuss and exchange with one another.

For questions about the **Training Ground: Sharing Bilateral Expertise on Digital Youth Exchanges**, please contact the Israeli Youth Exchange Authority: [Ilona\[at\]youthex.co.il](mailto:Ilona[at]youthex.co.il) or ConAct: [Rinat.Avigur\[at\]ConAct-org.de](mailto:Rinat.Avigur[at]ConAct-org.de)

We would love to have you with us on the meeting!  
The team of ConAct and the Israel Youth Exchange Authority

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9.45 AM **Arrival & Technical Check**

10.00 AM ***Opening of the Joint Day Online***

**Greetings**

**Getting to Know Each Other**

**Input – The “Sarona Hub”: A Technological Innovation Youth Center in Tel Aviv, Israel**

11.15 AM ***Ground One: Good Practice Examples***  
**German-Israeli Partnerships Introduce Their Online experiences in 2021:**

1. Rishon Letzion – Hamburg
2. Jerusalem – Bavaria
3. Tel Aviv – Frankfurt am Main
4. Emek Hefer – Siegen Wittgenstein

12.30 PM ***Ground Two: Digital Methods & Platforms for German-Israeli Exchanges***

**Parallel Workshops**

1. Opening & Closing Methods for Your Online Exchange
2. The Language Animation Digital Methods Collection
3. MyGIX – The German-Israeli Exchange Network

1.30 PM **Lunch break**

2.30 PM ***Ground Three: Digitalization of German-Israeli Exchanges Post Corona***

**Parallel Sessions for Reflecting on Our Exchange Work Following the Corona Crisis – How Will We Further Use The Digital Space in Our Exchange Work?**

*Conclusions, Challenges, Wishes and Perspectives*

**Evaluation & Reflection in the Plenum**

4.00 PM

***End of the Event***



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## FURTHER INFORMATION

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### **Online Event**

The link to the event will be sent to all participants via email prior to the beginning of the event.

### **Language**

The working language for the event is English.

### **Seminar Lead**

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### **Seminar Team**

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As well as other coordinators of ConAct and the Israel Youth Exchange Authority

### **Participation Fee**

A participation fee for an online event will not be requested.

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The **Israel Youth Exchange Authority** (formerly Israel Youth Exchange Council) is the coordinating office of International Youth Relations in Israel and the respective partner organization of ConAct. It is working with support of the Israeli Ministry of Higher Education and the Israeli Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

