

Expert discussion

«Image of the Future: Russian trace»

08 January 2024, Tel-Aviv

Round Table Program

15:30-16:00	Gathering and light snacks
16:00-16:45	The meeting opening and "Dor Moria" research activities presentation in 2023.
16:45-17:00	The presentation of the results of the poll " The influence of world leaders and the future of Israel and the Middle East"
17:15-17:45	The discussion
17:45-18:00	Summing up the conference and discussing the following studies of Dor Moria Association.
18:00-18:45	Break

The opinion poll is conducted by the Sociological Center "Geocartography" לאוקרטוגרפיה to questionnaires developed by the Analytical Center at NGO "Dor Moria" (<u>https://dor-morian.org.il/</u>)

Within the framework of Haifa Format project, 5 studies were carried out in 2023:

- Israelis' attitude to the armed conflict in Ukraine;
- Israelis' attitude to judicial reform;
- Israelis' attitude to the Israel neutrality issue;
- Israelis' expectations of the US presidential election in 2024;
- The influence of world leaders and the future of Israel and the Middle East

Method: The research was conducted through an online survey among 1005 respondents aged 18 and older, forming a national and representative sample of the adult population of the State of Israel (both Jewish and Arab sectors were included as part of this overall population).

The survey was conducted during the fourth week of December 2023.

The maximum range of statistical error under the conditions of this sample is +3.09% with a 95% level of statistical significance.

Israelis' attitude to judicial reform

- 63% of respondents from the total number of respondents (and 72% of those who have an opinion on this matter) believe that any reform of Israel legal system is necessary.
- 4% of poll participants report that they are constantly participating in demonstrations against reform.
- 89% of respondents do not participate or participate sporadically.

Israelis' expectations of the US presidential election in 2024

- Secular and Arabic-speaking Israelis prefer a victory of Democrats (43-45% versus 18-29% to religious of varying degrees Jews). Religious Jews prefer a victory of Republicans (33-50% versus 8-24% among Arabs and secular Israelis).
- Russian-speaking Israelis favor Republicans in their expectations of the US elections results.

After the war in Israel



-The Palestinian state within the borders of 1967

The concept of "Two states for two peoples" is most supported by representatives of moderate and ultra-left **political views**, with 67% and 69%, respectively, endorsing it.

The influence of world leaders and the future of Israel and the Middle East

	Who among the following leaders has the greatest influence on the agenda in the Middle East?	Which of the following leaders' policies contribute to peace in the Middle East?	Which of the following leaders is interested in the continuation of the war between Israel and Hamas?	
Joe Biden	58,9%	42,7%	17,7%	
Benjamin Netanyahu	34,5%	25,3%	45,3%	
Vladimir Putin	31,3%	3,5%	30,2%	
Mohammed bin Salman Al Saud	16,0%	12,6%	13,9%	
Ebrahim Raisi	10,4%	1,4%	14,8%	
Donald Trump	9,9%	20,4%	16,9%	
Recep Erdogan	7,6%	9,7%	19,9%	
Emmanuel Macron	3,6%	3,9%	3,0%	
I don't know	<mark>19,4%</mark>	<mark>33,5%</mark>	<mark>19,7%</mark>	
Total responses*	191,6%	152,9%	181,5%	

Dynamics of changes

Risks	April 2023	July 2023	November 2023
Conflict and damage to relations with Russia	56%	54%	48%
Conflict and damage to relations with Ukraine	3%	4%	2%
Conflict and damage to relations with the U.S. and other countries	9%	10%	7%
Economic damage, reduction in foreign investments, and the like.	5%	8%	5%
Damage to the stability of Israel's national security	5%	3%	5%
Damage to Israel's national stability from a social perspective	2%	2%	2%
Damage to Jewish communities worldwide	3%	3%	5%
No risks at all	2%	4%	7%
Don't know	15%	12%	19%

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