

**Call for Abstracts for the Biennial Conference of the Israeli Society of Criminology**  
*Israeli Criminology: Crime, Justice, and Resilience in Times of Continued Crisis*  
May 13-14, 2026 | Ramada Hotel, Netanya, Israel

The Israeli Society of Criminology is pleased to announce the call for abstracts for its biennial conference. The conference will focus on issues and challenges in criminology and law enforcement in Israel amid the ongoing crisis. Proposals on additional topics are also welcome, as outlined below. The conference aims to foster productive academic and research discourse by presenting criminological research and practices grounded in diverse theoretical perspectives and methodologies.

**Types of Submissions - Guidelines**

**All proposals must include:** Title, abstract (up to 250 words in Hebrew or English), 4-6 keywords, full name, institutional affiliation, email, and mobile phone.

• **Presentation:** A proposal for an individual presentation should include a brief description of the topic, research method, participants, main findings, and conclusions (when relevant).

• **Thematic Panel:** A proposal for a session featuring 3-4 presentations on related topics. The submission should include abstracts and full details of the panel chair, the discussant, and the presenters for each presentation, as specified above.

• **Roundtable:** A proposal for a session involving an open dialogue among participants (4-5 participants, including a moderator) with audience involvement. The proposal should include an abstract describing the discussion topic and full details of the moderator and participants.

• **Poster:** Suitable for research in progress or studies with preliminary findings.

• **Deadline for submitting abstracts for individual presentations or panels: February 10, 2026**

• **Deadline for submitting abstracts for roundtables or posters: March 10, 2026**

**Submission link:** <https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1LC3ga286WduE1qyP0sIDs-1GjzKvIY6oVBF9HLpYt5M/edit>

**List of Conference Topics (additional topics may also be proposed):**

<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• The Iron Swords War – criminological aspects</li><li>• Trauma &amp; Resilience</li><li>• Gender &amp; Crime</li><li>• Criminal Punishment</li><li>• Research Methods</li><li>• Terror</li><li>• Social Deviance</li><li>• Offenders Rehabilitation</li><li>• Moral Dilemmas</li><li>• Forensic Science</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Crime in the Digital Age</li><li>• Juvenile Delinquency</li><li>• Critical Criminology</li><li>• Positive Criminology</li><li>• Neuropsychological Aspects</li><li>• Criminal Law Application</li><li>• Legitimacy of Law Enforcement</li><li>• Police &amp; Policing</li><li>• Sex Offenses</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Addictions</li><li>• Victimology &amp; Crime Victims</li><li>• Rehabilitative Approaches</li><li>• Evidence-Based Policy</li><li>• Violent Crimes and Homicide</li><li>• Prisoners &amp; Incarceration</li><li>• Psychopathology &amp; Crime</li><li>• History of Criminology</li><li>• Domestic Violence</li><li>• Restorative Justice and Transitional Justice</li></ul>
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**Details on registration, payment, scheduling, and accommodation will be announced later.**

**Academic Committee:** Dr. Ronit Peled-Laskov (Chair), Ashkelon Academic College | Prof. Moshe Ben-Simon, Bar-Ilan University | Dr. Ronit Haimov Ayali, Beit Berl Academic College | Dr. Keren Cohen-Louck, Ariel University | Dr. Beatrice Coscas-Williams, Western Galilee Academic College | Shadi Akariya, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem.

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