

Please review this entire document prior to booking any of your travel arrangements.

Arrival and Departure Travel Planning

Location: Beit-Daniel, Habroshim 1, Zichron Yaakov, Israel http://www.openu.ac.il/beitdaniel/
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Arrival and Departure Timing – You should plan to arrive at the retreat center (Beit Daniel) on Sunday between 9:00 and 9:30 hours to get settled in. All retreats begin promptly at 10:00 AM on the first day and complete at 3:30 PM on Friday. All participants are expected to stay the entire time. Please make your travel plans accordingly.

If You are Driving – Please download the driving directions in the Travel and Logistics section of the Leadership Launch Pad. Please carpool if at all possible. You will receive contact lists of your fellow participants approximately three weeks prior to the first retreat so you can arrange carpools at that time.

If You are Flying - Travel time from Tel Aviv airport (TLV) is approximately 90 minutes (see below train+taxi). Most people will want to fly in on Saturday to be rested before the retreat. The Beit-Maimon hotel below is walking distance to Beit-Daniel,

Nights Before and After

If you arrive a day or more earlier, you could opt to stay in a Tel Aviv hotel and travel by train to Beit Daniel on the first morning (approximately 90 minutes from Tel Aviv). You could choose any hotel in Tel Aviv given that you are responsible to get to a train on time. To choose hotels in Tel Aviv please see 2 options:

- http://www.booking.com/city/il/tel-aviv.html
- https://www.airbnb.com/s?location=Tel+Aviv-Yafo

If you wish to stay close to the retreat center in the small town of Zichron Yaakov, special reduced rates are available at the Beit Maimon hotel. Ask for The Beit-Daniel retreat center rate when you call. You will need a credit card to guarantee your booking. To get to Beit-Daniel, you can either walk 20min or ask for shuttle to Beit-Daniel by request from the hotel.

Hotel Beit Maimon (pronounced like "Bait My-Maun"): Tel: +972-4-6290390

Address: Tsahal 4 St. Zichron Yaacov. Israel, Weblink http://www.maimon.com/en/

Ground Transportation and Lodging

You are responsible for arranging your own ground transportation to and from the retreat center for the retreat. The following information is provided to help support your planning. You must make reservations in your own name and put any charges on your own credit card. If carpooling, it is recommended that you share costs and plan your transportation to accommodate all passengers luggage.

Local Transportation Providers:

- 1. Take the train from TLV airport to Binyamina (closest train station to the retreat). The train is at the immediate exit of TLV airport, underground level. Take train direction to Haifa or Naharia, and verify that it stops in Binyamina (almost all trains stop there). Cost should be less than 70 Israeli shekels. To plan your train ride, see weblink http://www.rail.co.il/EN/Pages/Homepage.aspx
- 2. At the exit of Binyamina train station take a taxi to Beit Maimon (if you intend to lodge the night before) or to Beit-Daniel (on the morning of retreat start), in Zichron Yaakov. This is approximately a 20min drive and should cost less than 60 shekels
- 3. If you stay at Beit Maimon, they will give you directions to Beit Daniel.

Other Resources: The Zichron Yaakov website http://www.zy1882.co.il/eng/index.asp can offer additional recreation, transportation, restaurants, shopping, and accommodation options in the area.