

Ladies and gentlemen, it is now my privilege to introduce you to a man who uniquely fosters Mideast cooperation through environmental activism and scholarship...

He is an esteemed academic, who teaches environmental and resource economics, water management, and economic and political geography at the University of Haifa, and is an adjunct lecturer at Tel Aviv University...

He is a passionate environmental activist, who has worked for years with leading regional NGOs, including EcoPeace Middle East, to work towards Israeli-Palestinian-Jordanian cooperation in addressing trans-boundary resource scarcity...

And he is a seasoned leader of delegations to Israel, who has served as a guide and educator on multiple JNF missions.

Ladies and gentleman, please welcome a well-respected geopolitical expert, David Katz.