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The Center for the Study of Christianity at the Hebrew University of Jerusalem, in conjunction with the John XXIII Foundation for Religious Studies in Bologna, Italy, will hold a scholarly conference in Jerusalem, 30 October -1 November 2005, on the theme "*Nostra Aetate*: Origins, Promulgation, Impact on Catholic-Jewish Relations." The conference is designed to mark the 40th anniversary of this historic declaration of the Second Vatican Council.

The first day of the conference will be devoted mainly to *Nostra Aetate* and its origins, and the second day to its various impacts since 1965. Participants will review the state of research on the document, make their own contribution thereto, and attempt a critical assessment of Catholic-Jewish relations over the past 40 years. Participants will include Cardinal Walter Kasper, President of the Pontifical Council for Christian Unity; Rabbi David Rosen, President of the International Jewish Council for Interreligious Consultations; and leading scholars from Israel, Italy, Germany, France, Belgium, Russia and the United States.

The conference will be held in Beit Mayersdorf on the Mount Scopus campus of the Hebrew University of Jerusalem. It is open to all interested persons.

Programme