TRANSLATING REVOLUTION
AUC STUDENT SYMPOSIUM
SATURDAY MAY 21, 2011
The Armenian Room, AUC Tahrir Square
9:30 am-5:30 pm

PROGRAM

9:30 COFFEE

10:00 Introduction: Translating Revolution
Samia Mehrez
Director, Center for Translation Studies

10:30 Moulid El Tahrir: Semiotics of a Revolution
Sahar Keraitim
Center for Middle East Studies

11:30 Of Drama and Performance: Transformative Discourses of the Revolution
Amira Taha
Department of Political Science
Christopher Combs
Center for Middle East Studies

12:30 Signs and Signifiers: Visual Translations of Revolt
Laura Gribbon
International Relations, University of East London
Sarah Hawas
Department of English and Comparative Literature

1:30- 2:30 LUNCH BREAK

2:30 Al Thawra al Daahika: The Challenges of Translating Revolutionary Humor
Heba Salem
Arabic Language Institute
Kantaro Taira
Department of Arab and Islamic Civilizations

3:30 The Soul of Tahrir: Poetics of the Revolution
Lewis Sanders
Center for Middle East Studies
Mark Visona
Journalism and Mass Communication

4:30- 5:30 ROUNDTABLE DISCUSSION