

## ***SEMINAR 2 – ADDITIONAL READINGS AND HANDOUTS***

### **THE ARAB-ISRAELI CONFLICT (AND THE ISRAELI-PALESTINIAN CONFLICT)**

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- **"THE BALFOUR DECLARATION"**  
<http://history1900s.about.com/cs/holocaust/p/balfourdeclaration.htm>
- **"Genocide Under the Nazis (The Holocaust)"**  
<http://www.bbc.co.uk/history/worldwars/genocide/>
- **"Israel "to build security barrier between West Bank and Jordan"**  
<http://www.telegraph.co.uk/news/worldnews/middleeast/israel/10423638/Israel-to-build-security-barrier-between-West-Bank-and-Jordan.html>
- **"What Is al-Naqba, or al-Nakba - The Catastrophe?"**  
<http://middleeast.about.com/od/israelandpalestine/f/me080511.htm>
- **"Israel, Palestine and the Israeli-Palestinian Conflict (Arab-Israeli Conflict) - A brief history"**  
<http://mideastweb.org/briefhistory.htm>

- **UN PARTITION PLAN INFORMATION**  
[http://news.bbc.co.uk/2/hi/in\\_depth/middle\\_east/israel\\_and\\_the\\_palestinians/key\\_documents/1681322.stm](http://news.bbc.co.uk/2/hi/in_depth/middle_east/israel_and_the_palestinians/key_documents/1681322.stm)
- **SHIFTING SANDS AND THE BALFOUR DECLARATION OF 1917**  
[http://news.bbc.co.uk/2/shared/spl/hi/middle\\_east/03/v3\\_ip\\_timeline/html](http://news.bbc.co.uk/2/shared/spl/hi/middle_east/03/v3_ip_timeline/html)
- **ARAB DISCONTENT OVER POPULATION CHANGES - 1929-1936**  
[http://news.bbc.co.uk/2/shared/spl/hi/middle\\_east/03/v3\\_ip\\_timeline/html](http://news.bbc.co.uk/2/shared/spl/hi/middle_east/03/v3_ip_timeline/html)
- **THE FORMATION OF THE PLO IN 1964**  
[http://news.bbc.co.uk/2/shared/spl/hi/middle\\_east/03/v3\\_ip\\_timeline/html...](http://news.bbc.co.uk/2/shared/spl/hi/middle_east/03/v3_ip_timeline/html...)
- **THE 1967 WAR**  
[http://news.bbc.co.uk/2/shared/spl/hi/middle\\_east/03/v3\\_ip\\_timeline/html...](http://news.bbc.co.uk/2/shared/spl/hi/middle_east/03/v3_ip_timeline/html...)
- **THE YOM KIPPUR WAR OF 1973**  
[http://news.bbc.co.uk/2/shared/spl/hi/middle\\_east/03/v3\\_ip\\_timeline/html...](http://news.bbc.co.uk/2/shared/spl/hi/middle_east/03/v3_ip_timeline/html...)
- **ARAFAT'S FIRST UN APPEARANCE**  
[http://news.bbc.co.uk/2/shared/spl/hi/middle\\_east/03/v3\\_ip\\_timeline/html...](http://news.bbc.co.uk/2/shared/spl/hi/middle_east/03/v3_ip_timeline/html...)

- **ISRAEL'S RESURGENT RIGHT WING**  
[http://news.bbc.co.uk/2/shared/spl/hi/middle\\_east/03/v3\\_ip\\_timeline/html...](http://news.bbc.co.uk/2/shared/spl/hi/middle_east/03/v3_ip_timeline/html...)
- **ISRAEL AND EGYPT MAKE PEACE**  
[http://news.bbc.co.uk/2/shared/spl/hi/middle\\_east/03/v3\\_ip\\_timeline/html...](http://news.bbc.co.uk/2/shared/spl/hi/middle_east/03/v3_ip_timeline/html...)
- **ISRAEL INVADES LEBANON**  
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- **PALESTINIAN INTIFADA**  
[http://news.bbc.co.uk/2/shared/spl/hi/middle\\_east/03/v3\\_ip\\_timeline/html...](http://news.bbc.co.uk/2/shared/spl/hi/middle_east/03/v3_ip_timeline/html...)
- **PLO OPENS DOOR TO PEACE**  
[http://news.bbc.co.uk/2/shared/spl/hi/middle\\_east/03/v3\\_ip\\_timeline/html...](http://news.bbc.co.uk/2/shared/spl/hi/middle_east/03/v3_ip_timeline/html...)
- **THE MADRID SUMMIT**  
[http://news.bbc.co.uk/2/shared/spl/hi/middle\\_east/03/v3\\_ip\\_timeline/html...](http://news.bbc.co.uk/2/shared/spl/hi/middle_east/03/v3_ip_timeline/html...)
- **THE OSLO PEACE PROCESS**  
[http://news.bbc.co.uk/2/shared/spl/hi/middle\\_east/03/v3\\_ip\\_timeline/html...](http://news.bbc.co.uk/2/shared/spl/hi/middle_east/03/v3_ip_timeline/html...)
- **BIRTH OF THE PALESTINIAN AUTHORITY**

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- **OSLO II AND THE ASSASSINATION OF RABIN**  
[http://news.bbc.co.uk/2/shared/spl/hi/middle\\_east/03/v3\\_ip\\_timeline/html...](http://news.bbc.co.uk/2/shared/spl/hi/middle_east/03/v3_ip_timeline/html...)
- **DEADLOCK**  
[http://news.bbc.co.uk/2/shared/spl/hi/middle\\_east/03/v3\\_ip\\_timeline/html...](http://news.bbc.co.uk/2/shared/spl/hi/middle_east/03/v3_ip_timeline/html...)
- **THE SECOND INTIFADA**  
[http://news.bbc.co.uk/2/shared/spl/hi/middle\\_east/03/v3\\_ip\\_timeline/html...](http://news.bbc.co.uk/2/shared/spl/hi/middle_east/03/v3_ip_timeline/html...)
- **SHARON'S RETURN**  
[http://news.bbc.co.uk/2/shared/spl/hi/middle\\_east/03/v3\\_ip\\_timeline/html...](http://news.bbc.co.uk/2/shared/spl/hi/middle_east/03/v3_ip_timeline/html...)
- **WEST BANK REOCCUPIED**  
[http://news.bbc.co.uk/2/shared/spl/hi/middle\\_east/03/v3\\_ip\\_timeline/html...](http://news.bbc.co.uk/2/shared/spl/hi/middle_east/03/v3_ip_timeline/html...)
- **ROAD MAP HOPES**  
[http://news.bbc.co.uk/2/shared/spl/hi/middle\\_east/03/v3\\_ip\\_timeline/html...](http://news.bbc.co.uk/2/shared/spl/hi/middle_east/03/v3_ip_timeline/html...)

- **ARAFAT DIES**  
[http://news.bbc.co.uk/2/shared/spl/hi/middle\\_east/03/v3\\_ip\\_timeline/html...](http://news.bbc.co.uk/2/shared/spl/hi/middle_east/03/v3_ip_timeline/html...)
- **GAZA PULLOUT**  
[http://news.bbc.co.uk/2/shared/spl/hi/middle\\_east/03/v3\\_ip\\_timeline/html...](http://news.bbc.co.uk/2/shared/spl/hi/middle_east/03/v3_ip_timeline/html...)
- **"Analysis: Palestinian suicide attacks"**  
[http://news.bbc.co.uk/2/hi/middle\\_east/3256858.stm](http://news.bbc.co.uk/2/hi/middle_east/3256858.stm)
- **"Q&A: What is the West Bank barrier? - The West Bank barrier has been highly controversial ever since the Israeli government decided to build it in 2002 and it remains a bitter bone of contention after Israel's evacuation of settlements in the Gaza Strip."**  
[http://news.bbc.co.uk/2/hi/middle\\_east/3111159.stm](http://news.bbc.co.uk/2/hi/middle_east/3111159.stm)
- **"Israel completes Gaza withdrawal - Israeli troops have pulled out of the Gaza Strip more than 38 years after capturing the narrow coastal area."**  
[http://news.bbc.co.uk/2/hi/middle\\_east/4235768.stm](http://news.bbc.co.uk/2/hi/middle_east/4235768.stm)
- **"Israeli Withdrawal From Gaza Explained"**  
<http://www.washingtonpost.com/wp-dyn/content/article/2005/08/10/AR200508...>
- **"Occupy AIPAC" Conference Seeks to Lambast Pro-Israel Lobby and Cast Antiwar Agenda as the "99%"**  
<http://blog.adl.org/international/occupy-aipac-conference-seeks-to-lambast-pro-israel-lobby-and-cast>

- **"Anti-Semitism in the MUSLIM/ARAB WORLD"**  
<http://www.adl.org/anti-semitism/muslim-arab-world/>
- **'Some were decapitated. My cousin and his son died in front of me'" (First Person Account of the Zeitoun Killings in Gaza City)**  
<http://www.theguardian.com/world/2009/jan/10/gaza-zeitoun-attack-deaths>
- **"Israel kills 30 civilians at shelter, witnesses tell U.N."**  
<http://edition.cnn.com/2009/WORLD/meast/01/09/zeitoun.gaza.israel/>
- **"Israel Strikes Gaza Strip"**  
<http://www.washingtonpost.com/wp-srv/world/interactives/gaza/index.html>
- **"IDF troops used 11-year-old boy as human shield in Gaza'"** <http://www.haaretz.com/news/idf-troops-used-11-year-old-boy-as-human-shi...>
- **"Boy, 11, used as human shield by Israeli soldiers during gunfire in Gaza, claims UN"**  
<http://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-1164222/Boy-11-used-human-shield...>

- **Analysis: Operation Miscalculation?**  
<http://news.bbc.co.uk/2/hi/7940624.stm>
- **"Jerusalem's flickering tinder-box - Palestinians feel they are being squeezed out of East Jerusalem"**  
[http://news.bbc.co.uk/2/hi/middle\\_east/8571399.stm](http://news.bbc.co.uk/2/hi/middle_east/8571399.stm)
- **"Jerusalem's Holy Sites"**  
[http://news.bbc.co.uk/hi/english/static/in\\_depth/middle\\_east/2000/holy\\_places/](http://news.bbc.co.uk/hi/english/static/in_depth/middle_east/2000/holy_places/)
- **"The Ghettoization of East Jerusalem"**  
[http://www.huffingtonpost.com/philip-farah/the-ghettoization-of-east\\_b\\_3387202.html](http://www.huffingtonpost.com/philip-farah/the-ghettoization-of-east_b_3387202.html)
- **"The Palestinian Refugees"**  
<http://www.mideastweb.org/refugees1.htm>
- **"Reuniting for the Right of Return: Longtime Palestine solidarity activists Ghada Karmi and Ellen Siegel take third photo commemorating UN Resolution 194"** <http://www.icmes.net/wp-content/uploads/2012/07/Reuniting-for-the-Right-of-Return.pdf>
- **"Q&A: Israeli deadly raid on aid flotilla"**  
<http://www.bbc.com/news/10203726>

- **"West Bank: Israeli settlements / West Bank: Israeli checkpoints"**  
[http://news.bbc.co.uk/2/shared/spl/hi/middle\\_east/03/v3\\_israel\\_palestinians/maps/html/settlements\\_checkpoints.stm](http://news.bbc.co.uk/2/shared/spl/hi/middle_east/03/v3_israel_palestinians/maps/html/settlements_checkpoints.stm)
- **"Water apartheid in Palestine - a crime against humanity?"**  
[http://www.theecologist.org/News/news\\_analysis/2329259/water\\_apartheid\\_in\\_palestine\\_a\\_crime\\_against\\_humantiy.html](http://www.theecologist.org/News/news_analysis/2329259/water_apartheid_in_palestine_a_crime_against_humantiy.html)