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### EMPLOYMENT

- Assistant Professor,** September 2010 — current  
Department of Political Studies and Public Administration  
American University of Beirut, Lebanon.
- Assistant Professor,** Department of Political Science, July 2002 — June 2010  
The Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, Maryland. (On Leave 2007)
- Visiting Assistant Professor,** January 2007 – January 2008  
Department of Political Studies and Public Administration  
American University of Beirut, Lebanon.
- Adjunct Assistant Professor,** Department of International Studies, Spring 2002  
Bentley College, Waltham, Massachusetts.
- Visiting Lecturer,** Experimental College, Spring 1999  
Tufts University, Medford, Massachusetts.

### EDUCATION

- Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Ph.D.** February 2002  
Department of Political Science
- Princeton University, A.B.** June 1990  
Major: Politics, Program in Political Economy  
Certificate of Proficiency in Near Eastern Studies

### BOOKS

- Beaches, Ruins, Resorts: The Politics of Tourism in the Arab World* (Minneapolis: University of Minnesota Press, 2008).
- A Critical Geopolitics of the Middle East: Modernity, Culture, Agency* (in progress)

## **JOURNAL ARTICLES (peer reviewed)**

“US Policy and the Geopolitics of Insecurity in the Arab World,” *Geopolitics* Vol. 15, No. 2, (April 2010): 239-262.

“Re-Mapping Transnational Connections in the Middle East,” co-authored with Arang Keshavarzian, *Geopolitics* Vol. 15, No. 2 (April 2010): 203-209.

“Revising Itineraries of Tourism and Tourism Studies in the Middle East and North Africa,” *Journal of Tourism and Cultural Change* (September 2010).

“Itineraries of Peace through Tourism: Excavating Territorial Attachments across the Arab/Israeli Frontier,” *Peace & Change* (Forthcoming)

“Images of openness, Spaces of control: The politics of tourism development in Tunisia,” *Arab Studies Journal* Vol. 15 No. 2/ Vol. 16 No. 1 (Fall 2007/Spring 2008): 10-35.

“Explaining the Arab Middle East Tourism Paradox,” *The Arab World Geographer/Le Géographe du monde arabe*, Vol. 9, No. 3 (2006): 201–214.

“Globalization, Reterritorialization and the Political Economy of Tourism Development in the Middle East,” *Geopolitics*, Vol. 9, No. 2 (Summer 2004): 310-341.

“Rethinking Anti-Colonial Movements and the Political Economy of Decolonization: The Case of Tunisia,” *Arab Studies Quarterly*, Vol. 16, No. 1 (Winter 1994): 77-106.

## **BOOK CHAPTERS**

“The Middle East through the lens of Critical Geopolitics: Globalization, Terrorism, and the Iraq War,” in *Is There a Middle East?* edited by Michael E. Bonine, Michael Gasper, and Abbas Amanat (Stanford: Stanford University Press, Forthcoming)

“Inventing the frontier of ‘wilderness’ in the Sinai,” in Ahmad Hosni (ed.) *Go Down Moses* (Cairo, Egypt: forthcoming), pp. 66-71.

“American Interests and the Disappearing Frontier of Modernity in the Arab World: The View from the American University of Beirut,” in *Liberty and Justice: America and the Middle East*, edited by Patrick McGreevy (Beirut: Center for American Studies and Research, American University of Beirut, 2009), pp. 212-225.

“The East as an Exhibit: Thomas Cook & Son and the Origins of the International Tourism Economy in Egypt,” in Philip Scranton and Jan Davidson, eds. *The Business of Tourism: Place, Faith, and History*, (University of Pennsylvania Press, 2007), pp. 3-33.

“Mapping the Landscape of the ‘New Middle East’: The Politics of Tourism Development and the Peace Process in Jordan” in George Joffé, ed. *Jordan in Transition, 1990-2000* (New York: Palgrave, 2002), pp. 330-345.

“Enclave Orientalism: The State, Tourism, and the Politics of Post-National Development in the Arab World,” in Mike Robinson *et al.*, eds. *Management, Marketing and the Political Economy of Travel and Tourism* (Sunderland, UK: Business Education Publishers, 2000), pp. 191-205.

## **EDITED PUBLICATIONS and EDITORIAL COMMITTEES**

Editorial committee, Middle East Research and Information Project (MERIP), publisher of *Middle East Report*, 2010-

Guest editor (with Arang Keshavarzian), “Transnational connections in the Middle East: Political Economy, Security, and Geopolitical Imaginaries,” special section of *Geopolitics* Vol. 15, No. 2 (2010): 203-311.

Guest editor, special issue of *Journal of Tourism and Cultural Change* on the politics and political economy of tourism in the Middle East and North Africa (forthcoming 2010)

## **REVIEW ESSAYS**

“Beyond the Bush Doctrine,” *Middle East Report*, No. 249 (Winter 2008): 38-44.

“Reading Culture, Identity and Space in US Foreign Policy,” *Middle East Report*, No. 236 (Fall 2005): 44-6.

## **BOOK REVIEWS**

Rebecca L. Stein, *Itineraries in Conflict: Israelis, Palestinians, and the Political Lives of Tourism* (Duke 2008) in *Shofar: An Interdisciplinary Journal of Jewish Studies* Vol. 28, No. 2 (Winter 2010): 160-2.

Bruce K. Rutherford, *Egypt after Mubarak: Liberalism, Islam and Democracy in the Arab World* (Princeton University Press, 2008) in *Perspectives on Politics* Vol. 7, No. 3 (September 2009): 702-703.

Nigel Ashton, *King Hussein of Jordan: A Political Life* (Yale, 2008) in *Middle East Journal* Vol. 63, No. 2 (Spring 2009): 334-5.

Iain Chambers, *Mediterranean Crossings: The Politics of an Interrupted Modernity* (Duke, 2008) in *Journal of North African Studies* Vol. 13, No. 4 (December 2008): 565-7

Roxanne L. Euben, *Journeys to the Other Shore: Muslim and Western Travelers in Search of Knowledge* (Princeton, 2006) in *Political Theory* Vol. 36, No. 1 (February 2008): 172-4.

“Hashemite Politics,” A review of Betty S. Anderson, *Nationalist Voices in Jordan* (Texas, 2005) and Russell E. Lucas, *Institutions and the Politics of Survival in Jordan* (SUNY, 2005) in *Journal of Palestine Studies*, Vol. 35, No. 3 (2006): 126-128.

*Globalization and Terrorism: The Migration of Dreams and Nightmares*, by Jamal R. Nassar (Rowman & Littlefield, 2005) in *Comparative Studies of South Asia, Africa and the Middle East*, Vol. 25, No. 3 (2005): 696-7.

“Deconstructing the Algerian ‘Nation,’” a review of Benjamin Stora, *Algeria 1830-2000: A Short History* (Cornell, 2001) in H-Africa, H-Net Reviews (April 2004).

*Structural Flaws in the Middle East Peace Process: Historical Contexts*, edited by J. W. Wright Jr. (Palgrave, 2002) in *Journal of Palestine Studies*, Vol. 32, No. 3 (Spring 2003), pp. 107-8.

Mark Gottdiener’s *The Theming of America* (Westview, 2nd edition, 2001), a contribution to a review symposium in *Urban Affairs Review*, Vol. 38, No. 2 (November 2002): 282-4.

## **WORKSHOP ORGANIZED**

Co-director, workshop on *Mapping Transnational Networks in the Middle East: Local Logics & Global Processes* held at the 9th Mediterranean Research Meeting, Robert Schuman Centre for Advanced Studies, European University Institute, Florence, Italy, March 12-15, 2008.

## **INVITED KEYNOTE ADDRESSES**

“Modernity on the Beach: Views from Southern Shores.” Keynote address at *Resorting to the Coast: Tourism, Heritage and Cultures of the Seaside* conference, sponsored by the Centre for Tourism and Cultural Change in partnership with the Institute of Northern Studies, Leeds Metropolitan University, United Kingdom. June 25-29, 2009, Blackpool, United Kingdom.

“Itineraries of Globalization: The Middle East and North Africa in the International Tourism Economy.” Keynote address at the *Traditions and Transformations: Tourism, Heritage and Cultural Change in the Middle East and North Africa Region* conference sponsored by the Centre for Tourism and Cultural Change, Leeds Metropolitan University, United Kingdom, and the Council for British Research in the Levant, Amman, Jordan. April 4-7, 2009, Amman, Jordan.

## **INVITED PRESENTATIONS**

### **2010**

“Remapping Globalization: A critical geopolitics of the Middle East”, a talk sponsored by the Department of Political Studies & Public Administration (PSPA) at the American University of Beirut, April 23, 2010.

## 2009

“Dubai and its future(s)”, presentation at panel discussion in preparation for the publication of *Al Manakh 2*, a survey of new urban developments unfolding in the Gulf region (<http://www.almanakh.org>). Sponsored by Netherlands Architecture Institute (NAi) and Office for Metropolitan Architecture (OMA) with Rem Koolhaas, Archis Foundation and Pinktank. Held at Studio X (Graduate School of Architecture, Planning and Preservation, Columbia University), December 12, 2009, New York, NY.

“Images of Openness, Spaces of Control: The Politics of Tourism Development in Tunisia,” presentation to the Department of Modern Languages (French Section), University of Maryland, Baltimore County, October 29, 2009.

“Exploring the Politics of Globalization in the Arab World through the Lens of Tourism,” presentation at Workshop on *Approaches to Teaching the Middle East* at Center for Contemporary Arab Studies, Edmund A. Walsh School of Foreign Service, Georgetown University, 1pm-4pm, June 23, 2009.

“Iconic place-making in Dubai and the political economy of spatial competition” presentation at *Dubai. La construcció de la ciutat temàtica* DHUB Sessions, Disseny Hub Barcelona, May 29, 2009. Video available online at:  
[http://www.dhub-bcn.info/video/dhub\\_sessions/Numero3/03\\_waleed.m4v](http://www.dhub-bcn.info/video/dhub_sessions/Numero3/03_waleed.m4v)

“Beaches, Ruins, and Resorts: The Politics of Tourism in the Arab World,” Noon seminar, Department of Political Science, Johns Hopkins University, April 20, 2009.

“Beaches, Ruins, and Resorts: The Politics of Tourism in the Arab World,” Middle East Studies Lecture Series, Middle East Studies Center, School of International and Public Affairs, Florida International University (FIU), March 24, 2009, 5:00-7:00 pm, Miami, FL. Audio available online at: <http://mesc.fiu.edu/materials/27-Dr.%20Hazbun.mp3>

“Beaches, Ruins, and Resorts: The Politics of Tourism in the Arab World,” New Book Series, Hagop Kevorkian Center for Near Eastern Studies, New York University, February 19, 2009 12:30pm-1:45pm, New York.

## 2008

“The politics of modernization, American grand strategy, and Middle East Studies: A critique of the past and implications for the next administration,” Brown Bag Series, Council on Middle East Studies, MacMillan Center for International and Area Studies, Yale University, November 5, 2008, New Haven, CT.

## **2007 and before**

“The Middle East Tourism Paradox: The rapid growth of tourism within the Middle East since 9/11,” Center for Arab and Middle East Studies (CAMES) at the American University of Beirut (AUB), May 22, 2007.

“Enhancing the Competitiveness of the Tourism Sector,” at the *Arab World Competitiveness Roundtable*, Sponsored by the World Economic Forum, Doha, Qatar, April 9-10, 2007.

“Globalization and Reform in the Middle East: From the ‘New Middle East’ to the Dubai Controversy,” Middle East Center at the University of Maryland, College Park, April 13, 2006.

“Tourism, Terrorism, and Security: The fragility of global travel spaces in the Middle East,” Middle East Center, University of Pennsylvania, October 13, 2004.

“Landscape of Façades: The Tourist Commodification of Petra, Jordan,” American Center for Oriental Research (ACOR), Amman, Jordan, April 18, 1998.

“The Commodity of Tourism in Tunisia: Reflections on a Crisis of Mass Production,” Centre d’Etudes Maghrébines à Tunis (CEMAT), Tunis, Tunisia, June 13, 1997.

## **PAPERS PRESENTED AT WORKSHOPS, CONFERENCES, AND SEMINARS**

### **2010**

“Tourism and the political economy of place-making in the Arab World,” paper to be presented at the Association of American Geographers (AAG) Annual Meeting, Washington, DC. April 14-18, 2010.

“Fragments of a retrospective history: America in the Middle East,” paper to be presented at *Connections and Ruptures: America and the Middle East* conference sponsored by the Center for American Studies and Research (CASAR) at the American University of Beirut to be held in Beirut, Lebanon, January 6-9, 2010.

### **2009**

“Travel, Geopolitics, and Borders: Excavating Territorial Attachments across the Arab/Israeli Frontier,” presented at American Political Science Association (APSA) Annual Meeting, September 3-6, 2009, Toronto, Ontario, Canada.

“The politics of globalization in the Arab world: The case of Dubai,” guest lecture in *Political Economy of IR* graduate seminar, Department of International Relations, Florida International University (FIU), 5-7:40 pm, March 23, 2009.

“Travel, Geopolitics, and Borders: Excavating Territorial Attachments across the Arab/Israeli Frontier,” paper presented at the International Studies Association (ISA) Annual Meeting, New York City, February 15-18, 2009.

## **2008**

“Beyond the Bush Doctrine,” paper presented at the Northeastern Political Science Association (NPSA) Annual Meeting, Boston, MA , November 13-5, 2008.

“US Policy and the Disappearing Frontier of Modernity in the Middle East,” paper presented at the International Studies Association (ISA)-Northeast Annual Meeting, Baltimore, MD, October 3-4, 2008.

“Abandoning Modernization: US grand strategy and the politics of modernization in the Middle East,” paper proposed for the International Studies Association (ISA) Annual Convention, San Francisco, CA, March 22-24, 2008.

“Mapping Transnational Networks of Travel and Tourism in the Middle East: Towards a Pluralist Understanding of Globalization,” presented at workshop on *Mapping Transnational Networks in the Middle East: Local Logics & Global Processes* held at the 9th Mediterranean Research Meeting, Robert Schuman Centre for Advanced Studies, European University Institute, Florence, Italy, March 12-15, 2008.

“The Middle East, American Interests, and the Disappearing Frontier of Modernity,” paper presented at the *Liberty and Justice: America and the Middle East* conference, sponsored by the Center for American Studies and Research (CASAR) at the American University of Beirut, January 7-10, 2008.

## **2007**

“American Interests, US Foreign Policy and Middle East Studies: The challenges of policy relevant scholarship,” paper presented to MEST 301, the *Core Seminar* for the Masters’ Program in Arab and Middle East Studies at the American University of Beirut (AUB), November 19, 2007.

“Remapping the geopolitics of globalization in the Middle East,” paper presented at the Pan-European International Relations Conference of the Standing Group on International Relations (SGIR), Turin, Italy, September 12-15, 2007.

“US power and the geopolitics of globalization in the Middle East,” paper presented at the European Consortium for Political Research (ECPR) Conference, Pisa, Italy, September 6-8, 2007.

“The Middle East Tourism Paradox,” paper presented in Rami Daher’s Seminar on *Architecture, Heritage, and Tourism in the Middle East*, Department of Architecture, AUB, May 29, 2007.

## 2006

“Remapping the geopolitics of globalization in the Middle East” paper presented at the Middle East Studies Association (MESA) meeting, Boston, MA, November 2006.

“Remapping the geopolitics of the globalization in the Middle East” paper presented at *Is There a Middle East?* conference sponsored by the Council on Middle East Studies, Yale Center for International and Area Studies, Yale University, New Haven, CT, May 5-7, 2006.

“Tourism, the Middle East, and the Geopolitics of Globalization,” paper presented at International Studies Association (ISA) Annual Convention, San Diego, CA, March 22-24, 2006.

“Middle East Studies and US Policy in the Middle East,” presentation as part of participation in *Working Group on the Future of Middle East Studies*, Crown Center for Middle East Studies at Brandeis University, Waltham, MA, February 10-12, 2006.

## 2005

“Orientalism and Beyond: Thomas Cook & Son and the origins of the International Tourism Economy in Egypt,” paper presented at the Middle East Studies Association (MESA) annual meeting, Washington DC, November 19-22, 2005.

“Globalization, the Middle East, and the Geopolitics of Tourism,” paper presented at Northeastern Political Science Association/International Studies Association-Northeast Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, November 17-19, 2005

“Iraq and the ‘War on Terrorism’: The challenges of nation-state building,” invited lecture for *Flashpoints in the War on Terrorism*, Odyssey program course coordinated by Mark Croatti, JHU School of Professional Studies in Business and Education, Baltimore, MD, March 15, 2005.

## 2004

“Tourism, Terrorism, and Security: The fragility of global travel spaces in the Middle East,” paper presented at the Middle East Studies Association (MESA) annual meeting, San Francisco, CA, November 20-23, 2004.

Discussant for “Perspectives on the Policies and Politics of Middle Eastern Refugees” panel at the Middle East Studies Association (MESA) annual meeting, San Francisco, CA, November 20-23, 2004.

“The construction of global tourism spaces: Re-reading postwar Americanization, the view from the Istanbul Hilton,” paper presented at *Globalization, Americanization and Contemporary Popular Culture* conference at the Goethe Institute sponsored by the University of

Bahçesehir, Istanbul, Turkey, May 20-22, 2004. Slide show available at:  
<http://hazbun.mwoodward.com/globalspaces.ppt>

“A New Agenda for Tourism Development in the Arab World,” discussion paper prepared for *The New Agenda: The Arab World in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century* conference organized by Ghayth Armanazi, held by the League of Arab States, Cairo, Egypt, March 2004. Paper available at: <http://hazbun.mwoodward.com/NewAgenda.pdf>

“Jordan and US Middle East Policy,” guest lecture for *U.S. Foreign Policy in the Middle East: A Regional Perspective*, Odyssey program course coordinated by Mark Croatti, JHU School of Professional Studies in Business and Education, Baltimore, MD, March 15, 2004.

## **2003**

Discussant presentation on Georgi Derlugian, “Does Globalization Breed Ethnic Violence?” at Institute for Global Studies, Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, MD, October 30, 2003.

“The Other Side of Fordism: Tourism, development, and the making of the global economy,” paper prepared for American Political Science Association (APSA) meeting, Philadelphia, PA, August 2003.

“Fordism on the beach: Tourism, development, and the making of the global economy,” paper prepared for the International Studies Association (ISA) meeting, Portland, February 2003.

## **2002**

“Between Global Flows and Territorial Control: Tourism, State Building, and the Politics of Reterritorialization in Tunisia and Jordan,” paper presented at the Middle East Studies Association (MESA) annual meeting, Washington D.C., November 2002.

## **2001**

“Globalization, Tourism, and the Political Economy of Reterritorialization in the Middle East,” paper for *Symbolic and Practical Dimensions of the Territorial Discourse in the Middle East* conference sponsored by the journal *Geopolitics* and The Herzog Center for Middle Eastern History and Diplomacy, Ben Gurion University, Israel. Held at the European University Institute, Florence, Italy, December 16-19, 2001.

“The causes and consequences of the civil war in Lebanon,” guest lecture for Professor Nazli Choucri’s *Seminar on Politics & Conflict in the Middle East*, Department of Political Science, MIT, Spring 2001.

## **2000**

“Mapping the Landscape of the ‘New Middle East’: The Politics of Tourism, the Peace Process, and National Development in Jordan,” paper presented at *Transitions in Contemporary*

*Jordan (1989-2000)* workshop, sponsored by the Centre d'Etudes et de Recherches sur le Moyen-Orient Contemporain (CERMOC) in Amman, Jordan, July 2-3, 2000.

“Enclave Orientalism: The State, Tourism, and the Politics of Post-National Development in the Arab World,” paper presented at the International Congress of Asian and North African Studies (ICANAS) meeting, Montréal, Canada, August 2000.

“Before and After Mass Tourism: Representing the Tourism Economy in Tunisia,” paper presented at American Institute for Maghribi Studies (AIMS) dissertation workshop held at the Center for Middle East Studies, Harvard University, April 1, 2000.

### **Before 2000**

“The State, Tourist Commodity Production, and the Politics of Development in Jordan,” paper presented at Middle East Studies Association (MESA) annual meeting, Washington, D.C., November 1999.

Instructor, Three lectures on “Guide Books, Disneyland, and Shopping Malls: The New Culture of Tourism,” for Special Topics in Political Science, Independent Activities Period, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge, Massachusetts, January 1999.

“Staged Liberalization: The Politics of Tourism, the Nation-State, and the Global Economy in Tunisia,” paper for Middle East Studies Association (MESA) annual meeting, San Francisco, CA, November 1997.

“The Development of Tourism Industries in The Arab World: Trapped Between the Forces of Economic Globalization and Cultural Commodification,” paper for Association of Arab-American University Graduates (AAUG) convention, Washington, D.C., November 1997.

“The Politics of Erasure and Re-Presentation,” discussant paper for *The Politics of Heritage Preservation in Turkey and Morocco* panel at the Middle East Studies Association (MESA) meeting, Providence, RI, November 1996.

“Rethinking Modernist Strategies of Anti-Colonialist Resistance in the Middle East: The Role of Artisans, Trade Unions, and Cooperatives,” paper for JUSUR Graduate Student Conference, UCLA, May 1994.

### **PUBLIC TALKS, PRESENTATIONS, AND PANELS**

Panelist, “America & The Middle East: Moving Forward. Discussion on the future of America's role in the Middle East.” Charles Commons Ballroom, Johns Hopkins University, February 25th at 8:00 -10:00 pm 2009. Sponsored by College Democrats, along with CHAI (Coalition of Hopkins Activists for Israel), College Republicans, JHU Votes, and the BSU.

Introduction for Moustafa Bayoumi, author of *How Does It Feel to Be a Problem? Being Young and Arab in America* (Penguin, 2008) at the 13th annual Baltimore Book Festival, September 28, 2008.

Moderator, Panel on “Folly of Attacking Iran,” with Stephen Kinzer, Trita Parsi, Stephen Clemons. Sponsored by The Iranian Cultural Society and the Inter-Asian Council at Hopkins, Shriver Hall, March 5, 2008.

“The logics of withdrawal and their limits,” presentation at *Teach-In on the War in Iraq: “Should We Stay or Should We Go?”* October 18, 2006, Towson University, Towson, MD, sponsored by Master of Science Program in Social Science Program's Global Analysis Track.

“Winning or Losing the Global War on Terror?” an international relations symposium with Richard Falk, Eric Davis, and Jamal Nassar presented by the Rutgers United Nations Association Student Alliance (RUNASA) and sponsored by Rutgers University College-New Brunswick, November 3, 2005. Transcript published in *Rutgers University World Affairs Review* (Fall 2007): 64-84.

“US policy and US-Middle East relations” presentation to *Hope Not Hate: The Future of U.S.-Islamic World Relations, at Home and Abroad*, forum sponsored by JHU-ACLU, Americans for Informed Democracy and JHU Muslim Students Association. Moderated by Waleed Hazbun, Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, MD, September 28, 2005.

“Affect, the anti-war movement, and democracy in the Middle East,” talk presented to the Hopkins Anti-War Coalition, Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, MD, March 24, 2005.

“Teaching Middle Eastern History in the Time of Terror,” roundtable participant at the 48<sup>th</sup> Annual Missouri Valley History Conference, Omaha, NE, March 3-5, 2005

“Is the two-state solution still viable?” invited lecture to the *Hopkins Symposium on the Arab-Israeli Conflict*, sponsored by the Coalition of Hopkins Activists for Israel (CHAI), Baltimore, MD, November 15, 2004.

“Tourism, Terrorism, and Security: Remapping the American geopolitical imagination,” *Roundtable on Culture, Violence, and Media* held in conjunction with the Middle East Studies Association (MESA) annual meeting, Stacey’s Bookstore, San Francisco, November 20, 2004.

“Palestinian politics, state building, and identity narratives,” invited lecture to the *Hopkins Symposium on the Arab-Israeli Conflict*, sponsored by the Coalition of Hopkins Activists for Israel (CHAI), Baltimore, MD, November 17, 2003.

Invited speaker to introduce and discuss “Divine Intervention,” a film directed by Elia Suleiman at *Cinema Sundays* program at the Charles Theater, Baltimore, MD, February 23, 2003.

## ADDITIONAL PUBLICATIONS

“The Development of Tourism Industries in the Arab World: Trapped between the forces of economic globalization and cultural commodification,” in *English for Tourism* edited by Ratna Mullick, (Muscat, Oman: Language Centre, Sultan Qaboos University, 2006)

“Industrialization” pp. 1091-6 (extensive update) and “Mustafa Akkad” (new entry) in *Encyclopedia of the Modern Middle East and North Africa* Second Edition, edited by Philip Mattar *et al.* (New York: Macmillan, 2004).

“International Tourism and the Politics of Reterritorialization in the Middle East,” in *Précis: The Newsletter of the MIT Center of International Studies*, Volume XI, Number 2 (Spring 2001).

“Lebanon Before and After Civil Conflict,” “Reconstruction in Lebanon: Conditions and Challenges,” and co-author “Conclusion” in Nazli Choucri *et. al.*, *Human Resources for Industrial and Technological Development in Lebanon* (Cambridge, MA: MIT Technology and Development Program, 1994).

“Anatomy of an Uprising: The Social Mechanics of the Palestinian Uprising,” *Princeton International Forum*, Vol. IV, No. 1 (Spring 1989).

### Newspaper opinion essays

“War Stories: Letter From Lebanon; A Hopkins professor teaching in Beirut sees the city keeping its cosmopolitan, diverse character even as it divides itself between hostile political forces.” *Baltimore Sun*, February 18, 2007; longer version posted at 3quarksdaily.com.

“For Arab world peace, more voices need attention,” co-authored with Michelle Woodward, MinutemanMedia.org, April 13, 2005; *Topeka Capital Journal* (Topeka, KS) April 15, 2005; *Brinkley Argus*, (Brinkley, AK), April 13, 2005; *Daily Corinthian* (Corinth, MS) April 21, 2005, *The Journal of Turkish Weekly*, May 5th, 2005; *Arts and Letters Magazine* (Summer 2005).

“Political pluralism: a means to defuse the growth of militant challengers,” *Jordan Times* (Amman, Jordan), April 23-24, 2004; an excerpt was published in the “Other Views” column of the *International Herald Tribune*, April 26, 2004.

“American security and Arab self-determination,” *Jordan Times* (Amman, Jordan) October 27, 2003.

“Tourism--Learning the mechanisms of competitive growth,” *Jordan Times* (Amman, Jordan) August 20-21, 1998.

## **Blog posts**

“The Future of Dubai?” (posted December 10, 2009)

<http://www.uminnpressblog.com/2009/12/future-of-dubai.html>

“Letter from Doha,” (posted April 15, 2007)

[http://photobeirut.typepad.com/photo\\_beirut/2007/04/waleed\\_hazbuns\\_.html](http://photobeirut.typepad.com/photo_beirut/2007/04/waleed_hazbuns_.html)

“Letter from Beirut,” (posted March 26, 2007)

[http://photobeirut.typepad.com/photo\\_beirut/2007/03/letter\\_from\\_wal.html](http://photobeirut.typepad.com/photo_beirut/2007/03/letter_from_wal.html)

“Letter From Beirut,” (posted February 12, 2007)

[http://3quarksdaily.blogs.com/3quarksdaily/2007/02/letter\\_from\\_bei.html](http://3quarksdaily.blogs.com/3quarksdaily/2007/02/letter_from_bei.html)

## **Research fellowships and awards**

A. LeRoy Bennett Prize, Best Faculty Paper presented at the 2005 International Studies Association-Northeast (ISA-NE). Annual Meeting, 2006.

Research Fellowship, American Center for Oriental Research (ACOR) in Amman, Jordan. USIA Fellowship for Fieldwork in Jordan and Israel/West Bank. December 1997 - August 1998

Research Fellowship, American Institute for Maghribi Studies (AIMS)  
Research Grant for Fieldwork in Tunisia and Morocco. January 1997 - June 1997

Language Study Grant, Center for International Studies, MIT  
Title IV FLAS for summer Arabic language study at Middlebury College. Summer 1994

Writing Award, Ziad Asali International Student-Scholar Award, Arab-American University Graduates. October 1993

Writing Award, F.O. Kelsey Prize for Best Junior Paper, Program in Near Eastern Studies, Princeton University. Spring 1989

Language Study Grant, Program in Near Eastern Studies, Princeton University.  
Grant for summer Arabic study at UC Berkeley, CA. Summer 1988

## **Other professional activities**

Manuscript reviewer; Journal articles: *Journal of Tourism and Cultural Change*, *Journal of Tourism History*, *Tourism Geographies*, *Peace & Change*, *Arab World Geographer*, *Enterprise and Society*, *Review of International Political Economy*, *Geopolitics*, *MIT Electronic Journal of Middle East Studies*; Books and Book chapters: Rowman & Littlefield,

Oxford University Press, Congressional Quarterly Press, Routledge, Lynne Rienner, *Tourism in the Muslim World*.

External reviewer for: Fonds National de la Recherche (Luxembourg).

Memberships: International Studies Association (ISA), Middle East Studies Association (MESA), Association of American Geographers (AAG), Cultural Studies Association, American Political Science Association (APSA).

Media appearances and interviews: National Public Radio-Weekend Edition, Marc Steiner Show WEEA (Baltimore, MD), multiple appearances on Marc Steiner Show WYPR (Baltimore, MD), The Todd Feinburg Show KXAM (Phoenix, AZ), McGill University Radio CKUT (Montreal, Canada), Jordan Television (Amman, Jordan). Also interviewed by reporters for *Baltimore Sun*, *City Paper* (Baltimore, MD), Associated Press (Amman), The Media Line (Jerusalem, Israel), and Radio France International, *Gulf News* (Dubai), *Al Damir Magazine* (Santiago, Chile). Letters published in: *New York Times Sunday Magazine*, *Washington Post*, *International Herald Tribune*, *Baltimore Sun*, *City Paper* (Baltimore), *El Pais* (Madrid English Edition), *Veja* (São Paulo, Brasil)

Advisory Committee for documentary film project by Alicia Dwyer & Tom Xia, “Xmas Without China,” Dwyers & Xia Productions.

### **Courses taught:**

#### *Undergraduate*

Introduction to Globalization  
Globalization and Culture  
Globalization Theory and Practice in the 21st Century

International Tourism and Politics  
The Politics of Travel in the Middle East

Middle East Politics  
The United States in the Middle East  
Advanced Readings in Middle East History and Politics

#### *Graduate (PhD/MA):*

Theories of International Relations  
Theories of Political Economy  
IPE and Globalization  
IR Theory and the Middle East  
Territory and Identity in IR Theory  
Identity, Interests, and Foreign Policy

## REFERENCES

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