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PUBLICATIONS

I. BOOKS:

Moderate and Radical Islamic Fundamentalism: the Quest for Modernity, Legitimacy and the Islamic State (Gainesville/FL, Florida University Press, 3rd edition, 2013), 13 editions published between 1999 and 2013 in English and 3 editions in Arabic

The Infallible Imam and the Text by Shaykh Hussein Kourani (Paris: Delta Center for in-depth Research, 2010)

Wahhabism, Salafism, and Islamism: Who is the Enemy? (A Monograph published by Conflicts Forum: London and Washington, DC, 2009)

U.S. Foreign Policy and Islamist Politics (Gainesville: University Press of Florida, 2008), 7 editions published between 2007 and 2008 in English and 3 in Arabic

Dialectics of Shura and Democracy: Democracy and Human Rights in Islamic Thought (Arabic), (Beirut: Center for the Study of Arab Unity, 2007)

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Encyclopedia of Islamic Movements in the Arab World, Iran and Turkey (Arabic), (Beirut: Center for the Study of Arab Unity, 2004)

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The West, the United States, and Political Islam (Arabic), (Beirut: Alf Layla Foundation, 2003) 2 editions published in 2006 in Arabic

The Islamic Quest for Democracy, Pluralism, and Human Rights: From Classical and Medieval Roots to Modern Discourses (Gainesville/FL, Florida University Press, 2001, paperback edition, 2003), 15 editions published between 2001 and 2007 in English and 5 in Arabic

Images of Islam in the Western World and Images of the West in the Islamic World (Riyadh/Saudi Arabia: Arab-PR, 2002-03), 3 editions

Roots of the Intellectual's Crisis in the Arab Homeland (Arabic), (Beirut: Dar al-Fikr al-Mu'asir, 2002). Co-authored with Lu'ayy Safi, 3 editions

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Understanding Islam: Basic Principles (Reading, UK: Garnet Publishing Limited, 2000)

Historical Dictionary of Islamic Fundamentalist Movements in the Arab World, Iran, and Turkey (Metuchen/NY and London: Scarecrow Press, 1999),

16 editions published between 1999 and 2005 in English and Arabic

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William Quandt's **Egypt and the United States** (Translation) (Washington, D.C., 1990) (Beirut: Center for Strategic Studies, Research and Documents, 1992)

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"Religion, Politics and Terrorism," Religions and Terrorism Conference, Center for Middle Eastern Studies, Sofia, Bulgaria, May 18, 2017

"Regional Struggle in the Arab World," Conference on Transformation in the Arab World, Strategic Studies, Lebanese Army, Beirut, May 17, 2017

"The Ideological Foundations of Islamic Radicalism and Violence and their Contextualization," Conference on violence and monotheism, Ecole Spéciale des Affaires, Beirut, 15 May 2017

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"Terrorism: a Long Lasting threat: A new future for European States," Fondazione De Gasperi and Martens Centre, Bruxelles, April 26th, 2017

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"Facing a Turbulent Region: A Lebanese Perspective," Brookings Doha Center, Doha, Qatar, October 16, 2016

"Islamic Epistemology and Renewal," Islamic Renewal from within, American University of Beirut, Beirut, 13 October, 2016

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“Human Rights and Democracy in Islam,” Harvard Arab Alumni Association, Oman, April 10, 2016

‘Persian Gulf: The Path for Future,’ 22nd Regional Persian Gulf Conference, Teheran, Iran, March 23-25, 2016

“Hubs and networks in the Mediterranean basin: A Path to Sustainable Growth,” Aspen Mediterranean Initiative, Italy, Palermo, March 18-19, 2016

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“Future Forum: Inspiring the Leaders of Tomorrow,” InterAction Council’s plenary meeting in Wales, 2-5 June, 2015

“Analysing Security Complexes in a Changing Middle East: The Role of Non-Arab State Actors and Non-State Actors,” Centre for Contemporary Middle East Studies, University of Southern Denmark , Denmark, 19-20 April 2015

“Sustainable Social Welfare and Human Rights,” Global Society for Human Rights Organization, San Francisco Conference Center, California, USA September 7th to 12th, 2015

"Order and Contestation in Islamic International Law and International Relations," workshop on the transformation and resilience of political and legal order in the Middle East, the University of Helsinki, Helsinki, November 15, 2015

"The Unfinished Project of the Arab Spring: Why the 'Middle East Exceptionalism' is Still Wrong," University of Alberta , Alberta Canada, September 25-27, 2015

"Present State of the World," InterAction Council, Wales, UK, 2-5 June, 2015

"Arab Spring," DJUCO (Danish – Jordanian University Cooperation) Center for Contemporary Middle East Studies, Amman on April 19th-20th, 2015

"Radical Islamic Groups as a Threat to the Rule of Law in the Middle East," Konrad-Adenauer-Stiftung European and International Cooperation , Cadenabbia, Italy 9-12 March 2015

"A reading in intellectual Confrontation," The Making of Radicalism, Alexandria Library, Alexandria, 3-5 January 2015

"Overcoming Sectarian Fault Lines After the Arab Revolutions", organized by Georgetown University School of Foreign Service in Qatar in collaboration with Qatar National Research Fund, Qatar, November 6-7, 2014

"Citizenship and Minorities", Christian and Evangelical Presence in the ME," Middle East Council of Churches, Cairo, Egypt, 11- 12 September 2014

"World Against Violence and Extremism (WAVE)," IPIS, Tehran, Iran, 9-10 December, 2014

"Sunni Responses to Salafism," workshop Office of Outreach (INR/OTR), U.S. Department of State, Washington, DC, August 18th, 2014

"Crisis in the Middle East: the View from Lebanon," AUB/IFI-NUS/MEI Collaboration, Singapore, 14-15 April, 2014

“Challenging Assumptions, Creating Possibilities!” 3rd International Conference: Leadership and Learning in the Asian Century, Malaysia, 10 January, 2014

“Religious Pluralism,” Religious Pluralism and Dialogue of Civilization, Kufa University, Najaf, 11-12 February, 2014

“Religious Political Movements: Islamism in the West,” International Peace Institute (IPI), Manama, Bahrain, November 9-10, 2014

“The Arab Spring in Trouble,” Interdependence Day, Dublin, September 20-22, 2013

“Political Activism and Religion,” Sunni and Shia Readings of a Religious Dichotomy, Cordoba, Case Arabe, Spain, October 22-23, 2013

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“Public Muslim Intellectual,” Public Intellectualism in Comparative Context, Notre Dame International Security Program, Notre Dame University, Indiana, May 20-21, 2013

“ Hamas and Non-State Actors in the Middle East,” Royal Danish Defense College, Copenhagen, Denmark, April 11, 2013

“Islamist Perspectives on Democracy,” Islamists and Democracy in the Transitional Period, Doha, Qatar, October, 2012

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"Religion and Conflict," Royal College of Defence Studies, London, December 2, 2011

“The Role of Islamic Movements in Arab Protest Movements,” Lebanese Association of Psychology, Beirut 21, October 2011

“The Conspiracy: The Assassination of Hariri,” Arab Book Exhibition, Beirut, 14 December 2011

“The Objective of Islamic Law and the Rise of New Islamic Consciousness,” Arab Book Exhibition, Beirut, 24 December 2011

“Two Discourses on Modern Islamic Political Thought,” Conflict, Identity, and Reform in the Muslim World: Challenges for U.S. Engagement (United States Institute of Peace: Washington, DC, 2010)

“President Obama is too Weak to Make Peace in the Middle East,” The BBC Doha Debates, Qatar, April 26, 2010

“The Islamic Quest for Democracy,” Qatar University, Doha, Qatar, April 25, 2010

“Social Justice and Development – The Role of Human Rights: Strategies - Opportunities – Sustainability,” The Regional Workshop Program by CEOSS," Beirut, 24th – 26th , January, 2010

“One Year on: Evaluating Obama’s Foreign Policy in the Middle East and the Broader Middle Muslim World,” Brookings Doha Center, Doha, Qatar, January 20, 2010-04-19

“Religion, Human Rights and Multicultural Jurisdictions” by The Reset-Dialogues on Civilizations Foundation (ResetDoC), Istanbul Seminars the Istanbul Bilgi University, 30 May-June, 2009

“Lebanese Elections: Why do they matter?” Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars, Washington, DC, June 5, 2009

“Analysis of President Obama’s Speech,” Center for the Study of Islam

and Democracy, Washington, DC, June 4, 2009

“Muslim-Christian Dialogue: Common Roots”, Interaction Council, 27th Annual Plenary Meeting, King Abdullah Economic City, Saudi Arabia, May 10-13, 2009

“Wahhabism, Salafism, and Islamism: Who Is the Enemy?” National Defense Research Institute, Rand, Arlington, VA, April 17, 2009

“The Empowerment of Islamist Democracy vs. the Intransigence of Arab Authoritarian Rule,” Center for the Study of Islam and Democracy, April 16, 2009

“Understanding the Causes of Radicalization,” Preventing and Dealing with Radicalization, Notre Dame Du Mont, Paxi-Christi International, March 5-8, 2009

“The Rise of the Islamist Project and its Impact on the Arab Unity Project,” Conference on Arab Unity: A Vision of the Future, Center for Arab Studies Unity, Beirut, February 23-25, 2009

“The Impact of Islamic Movements on Muslim Society,” The Future of Islamic Movements within Globalized Security, Consulting Center on Strategic Studies, Beirut, January 23-25, 2009

“Hizbullah/Iran Relations,” workshop on Iran in the Near East: The Limits of its Influence over Lebanon and Syria,” British Foreign Office, London, November 13, 2008

“Radical Islam: The Struggle between Globalization and Islamization,” Power, Governmentality, Resistance and State Exception in the Arab world, AUB, August 29-30, 2008

“Sunni Islam and Democracy,” World Religions towards Democracy, International Centre for Human Rights, Byblos, October 4-6, 2008

“The Future of Civil Society in the Arab World,” Conference on Civil Society on the Arab World,” CEOSS, and Lebanese Foundation for Permanent Civil Peace, Beirut, July 4-5, 2008

“The Qur’an as a Political Model,” Conference on Qur’anic Frameworks for Society, Al-Makhtoum Institute for Arabic and Islamic Studies, London, June 16-17, 2008

“Moderate and Radical Islamist Models of Rights, Pluralism and Human Rights,” Istanbul Seminars, Istanbul Bilgi University, June 2-6, 2008

"Hizbullah's Scope of Activism: The Making of Mainstream Lebanese Politics, Social Networking, and Military Power," 2008 Annual Conference: The Middle East at the Crossroads of Changing World Order, Seoul, Korea, May 17-20, 2008

"The Inevitability of the Failure of President Bush's Peace Initiative," Conference on Peace Perspectives in the Middle East, University of Nicosia, Cyprus, January 23, 2008

'Studying Commonalities of Religious, Traditional, Civic, and Human Rights Values,' Conference on Ethno-Sectarian Tensions in the Arab World, ESCWA, AMMAN, 15-16 January, 2008

"Islam and the West," The Middle East Reporter, Beirut, November 15, 2007

"Islam and the West," Conference on Countering Radicalization: Perspectives and Strategies from around the Globe, The National Coordinator for Counter-Terrorism, October, Holland 22-24, 2007

“Islam: The Clash of Civilization,” Conference on the Middle East by The Middle East Reporter, Beirut, March 16, 2007

"The Euro-Med Partnership from An Arab Perspective," Euro-Mediterranean Cooperation and the Dialogue between Cultures, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Finland, Beirut, May 6-7, 2006

"Regional Politics in the Arab World," 24th Plenary Session of the InterAction Council, Amman, May 1-3, 2006

"Islamic Movements' Views on Democracy," United Arab Emirates, Abu Dhabi Authority for Culture and Heritage, Abu Dhabi, April 4, 2006

"Challenges to Civil Society," Conference on Civil Society and Civil-Military Relations in the Middle East, Royal Danish College and Center for Political Research and Studies, Cairo University, Cairo, January 15, 2006

"Religion as a Social Movement: the Case of Islam," Conference on Faith-based Radicalism: Christianity, Islam, and Judaism, the Centre for the

Philosophy of Religion, University of Antwerp, Belgium, Antwerp, September 24, 2005

"Islamic Democracy and Pluralism, Conference on Islam and Democracy, Conference organized by the Council of Venice, Italy, August, September 29-30, 2005

"Jihad and Terrorism," Conference on Islam and Terrorism, Sharm al-Shaykh, Egypt, August 20, 2005

Lecture on "Islam in the Contemporary World" Conference On the Middle East: Problems and Prospects, Intercollege, Nicosia, Cyprus, June 18, 2004

"The Role of Religion in Civil Wars," Middle East Symposium on Negotiation and Conflict Resolution, Cyprus College, Nicosia, Cyprus, June 17, 2004

around 40 lectures were given in Indiana with major lectures at Ball State University during the months of August and September 2004 for the Understanding Contemporary Islam Program at AUB

"Dialogue among Civilizations," Conference on Dialogue, Beirut, Lebanon, December 17, 2005

"Militant Islam," Conference on the Emergence of Militant Islam and its Relevance to Afghanistan, Stockholm, Sweden, March 12, 2005

"Islam: Human Rights, Pluralism, and Democracy," Conference on the Emergence of Militant Islam and its Relevance to Afghanistan, Stockholm, Sweden, March 13, 2005

"Religion and Extremism," NATO Defense College, Rome, Italy, March 15, 2005

"Changing Security Environment: Religion and Extremism, NATO Defense College, Rome, March 11, 2004

"The Dialectics of Dialogue, "Arab Forum on Education, Arab Thought Foundation and ISESCO, Beirut, February 20, 2004

various lectures on U.S./Arab relations, Lebanon, Islamic movements, and the Arab-Israeli conflict at Syracuse University, Colgate University, St.

Lawrence University, March 29-April 16, 2004

“Militant Islamist after the Invasion of Iraq,” The Middle East after the Invasion of Iraq, Danish Foreign Ministry, Damascus, October 24-25, 2003

“Research Proposal on Modern Islamic Thought,” Conference on Annotated Bibliography Project, The Aga Khan University, London, June 6, 2003

“Reading the Religious Text,” Roundtable Discussion on Reading the Religious Text,” Balamand University, 30 May, 2003

“Religious Commitment and the Anthropological Reading of the Formation of Creed,” Conference on Culture, Creed, and Authority, Notre Dame University, 11 April, 2003

“Religious Commitment and the Anthropological Reading of the Formation of Creed,” Conference on Culture, Creed, and Authority, Notre Dame University, 11 April, 2003

“The West and the Islamic World: Intellectual Problems,” Conference on Islamic Reformist Thinking,” Konrad-Adenauer-Stiftung, Beirut, 19-20 June, 2002

“The Causes of the Religious Reformist Discourse,” Conference on Reformist Trends in the Arab World, French Center for Arab Studies, Aleppo, May 31, 2002

“Europe and the Arab World,” Seminar on the Future Evolution of the European Union, Paris, April 11-11, 2002

“Democratization in the Arab World,” Democratization in West Asia, Limassol, March 29-31, 2002

Sunni Fundamentalism in Lebanon,” Seminar on Sunni Islamism, London, Foreign and Commonwealth Office, March 1-2, 2002

“Cooperation on Islamic Grounds from an Arab Perspective,” Conference on Developing Arab-Iranian Relations, International and Political Studies Institute, Tehran, January, 24-27, 2002

“Renewal in Muslim Societies,” Ford Foundation, Petra, Jordan, June 18-19, 2001

“Modern Islamist Discourses and their Impact on Political Stability in the Arab World,” the Emirate Center for Strategic Studies and Research, Abu Dhabi, UAE, May 19-21, 2001

“The development of Fundamentalism,” Balamand University, Lebanon, May 4, 2001

“The Future of Islamic Movements,” Conference on Islamic Movements, Higher Institute for Islamic Studies, Maqasid, Beirut, April 12, 2001

“Globalization and Governance”, J. F. School of Government, Harvard and Interaction Council, Boston, April, 4, 2001

“The Politics of Lebanon and Syria after the Israeli Withdrawal from Southern Lebanon,” Emile Bustani Middle East Seminar, MIT, Cambridge, May 3, 2001

“Authority in Islamic Political Thought,” Conference for the Students of Shari’a and Islamic Studies Colleges, Beirut, February 27, 2001

“The Islamic World: Shura and Democracy,” Conference on Jerusalem and its Cultural and Civilizational Dimensions, Foreign Ministry, Qatar, 27-30 October 2000

“The Future of Syria’s Relations with Iraq,” Conference on the Future, Centre for World Dialogue and Columbia University, Cyprus, July 5-17, 2000

“Egyptian Islamist Movements: A General Perspective,” Conference on Contemporary Islamic Movements,” Science Po, Paris, June 21-24, 2000

“Democracy and Islam,” Oxford Centre for Islamic Studies, Oxford, June 13, 2000

“Radical and Moderate Islamist Views on Democracy and Pluralism,” Center for Middle Eastern Studies, Harvard, Cambridge, M. A., March 21, 2000

“Lebanon and the Middle East Peace Process,” University Seminar on Change in the Middle East, Columbia University, New York, February 11, 2000

“Islamist Perspectives on Human Rights, Pluralism and Democracy,”

Widrow Wilson Center, Washington, DC, January 18, 2000

Participant, Conference on Islam on T.V., University of Copenhagen, Copenhagen, Denmark, Dec. 11-13, 1999

“Islamic Movements and the Middle East Peace Process,” Emile Bustani Middle East Seminar, MIT, Massachusetts, MA, November 16, 1999

Participant, Middle East Studies Association’s Annual Meeting, Washington, D.C., Nov. 19-22, 1999

“Arab-Israeli Peace Process,” Middle East Institute, Washington, D.C., Nov. 10, 1999

“The Experiences and Failures of Arab Enlightenment: The Intellectual, Heritage and State,” Conference on Culture and the Issues Concerning Current Arab Life, Kuwait, Oct. 30-Nov. 1, 1999

“Iran and the Middle East Peace Process: Development and Prospects,” Iran in the 21st Century: Continuity and Change organized by the Centre for World Dialogue, Nicosia, Cyprus, June 18-20, 1999

“The Study of Muslim Societies in Lebanon,” International Institute for the Study of Islam and the Muslim World, meeting held in Beirut, May 27, 1999

Participant, “Ali Ibn Abi Talib, a book by Ibrahim Beydoun, a roundtable discussion, May 27, 1999

Participant, “Current Situation of the World,” InterAction Council, Cairo, May 23-25, 1999

Lebanon’s representative to the conference “Dialogue among Civilizations,” Organization of the Islamic Conference, Tehran, Iran, May 4-6, 1999

“Islam and Politics,” Conference on Religion and Politics, Center for World Dialogue, Limassol, Cyprus, May 3-5, 1999

“The Religious Implications of the Arab-Israeli Peace Process,” Conference on Middle East Peace Process,” InterAction Council, Limassol, Cyprus, April-30-May 2, 1999

“Modern Islamic Fundamentalism: Extremism or Democracy,” Higher Institute for Islamic Studies, Beirut, March 1999

“The Qur’an as a Political Model,” Conference on the Qur’an and the Bible as Political Models, University of Copenhagen, Nov. 25-December 2, 1998

“Islamic Law in the Modern State,” Department of Law, University of Copenhagen, Denmark, 24 November, 1998

“Political Islam,” Department of Political Science, University of Copenhagen, Denmark, 23 November, 1998

“The Impact of US Bombing of Sudan and Afghanistan on US-Arab Relations,” Panel on US-Arab Relations, Georgetown University, Center for Contemporary Arab Studies, Washington, D.C., 30 August, 1998

“The Shi‘a of Lebanon and the Confessional System before and after the Civil War,” Conference on Minorities in the Arab World, Ibn Khaldun Center, Cairo, 29-30 May 1998

“The Foundations of Islamic Revival,” Islamic Heritage Center, Beirut, May 12 1998

“Images of Muslims in the West,” Conference on Islam and the West, Jordanian University, Amman, 3-5 April 1998

“Arab-Israeli Conflict from an Islamist Perspective,” Department of Political Science, University of Uppsala, Sweden, 18 March 1998

“Human Rights, Pluralism and Democracy in Islam,” Department of Theology, University of Uppsala, Sweden, 19 March 1998

“Liberalization and Democracy in Kuwait,” AUB Alumni Club, 12 March 1998

“Civil Society and Islamism” Conference on Worlds and Visions: Perspectives on the Middle East Today, University of Aarhus, Denmark, 5-7 December 1997

“Islamist Discourse on Democracy,” Conference on Religion and Politics in Africa and the Islamic World, University of Copenhagen, North/South Area, Tune Landboskole, 13 October 1997

“Islamism and Tolerance,” Conference on the Prospects of Tolerance and Despotism in the Arab World, International Forum for Islamic Dialogue, London, 13-14 September 1997

“Monasticism in Early Islamic Thought,” Conference on “Syriac Monasticism in Early Christianity, Couvent St. Elie, Antelias, Lebanon, 5 April 1997

“Freedom of Research Centers in the Arab World,” Conference on Freedom in the Arab World, Ibn Khaldun Center, Cairo, 31 March -3 April 1997

“The End of History,” National Guards’ Annual Conference, Riyadh, 5-12 March 1997

“Islamic Fundamentalism and Religious Liberalism,” Conference on Globalization and US-Arab Relations, Institute for Democracy in the Arab World, Casablanca, 13-16 February 1997

“US-Iranian Relations,” Conference on Iran and the Gulf, Foreign Ministry, Tehran, 20-24 December 1996

“The Shi‘a of Lebanon,” Conference on the Shi‘a in the Arab East, University of Copenhagen, Copenhagen, 1-4 December 1996

“Islamic Fundamentalism and Philosophy,” Middle East Studies Association Annual Conference, Providence/RI, 20-24 November 1996

“Islamism: Modernization of Islam or Islamization of Modernity” in The Future of Cosmopolitanism in the Middle East, European Cultural Foundation, Amsterdam, the Netherlands, 5-8 September 1996

“Islamic Parties in Palestine and Israel,” American Political Science Association, San Francisco, 29 August-1 September 1996

“Islamic Fundamentalist Discourses on Human Rights and Pluralistic Democracy,” in Islam in a Changing World, Danish Institute of International Affairs and the Danish Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Copenhagen, 16-18 June 1996

“Islamic Fundamentalism and Pluralism,” The Second Euro-Islam Conference, Swedish Foreign Ministry and the Al al-Bayt University, Amman, 10-13 June 1996

“The Shi‘a of Lebanon: From Exclusion to Participation,” Sixth Congress, International Association of Middle Eastern Studies, Amman/Jordan, 10-14 April 1996

“Modern Islamic Thought and the issue of Minorities,” Higher Institute for Islamic Thought,” Beirut, March 1996

“The Project of Arab Renaissance,” Lebanese University, Faculty of Arts and Human Sciences, Beirut, April 1996

Lecturer and Chair, “Islamist Perceptions of Regime Political Response,” American Political Science Association’s Annual Meeting, Chicago, September 1995

Discussant, “Arab and Islamic Debate,” Islam and the West: Perceptions and Realities of Plural Society, Centre for the Study of Islam and the Christian-Muslim Relations, Selly Oak Colleges, Birmingham, UK, September 1995

“Islamic Movements and Normalization of Relations with Israel,” Peace Club, Baalbak, 15 July 1995

Consultant, “Consultation on Christian-Muslim Studies,” University of Balamand, Lebanon, 24-28 May 1995

“Political Liberalization in Lebanon,” Council on Foreign Relations, New York, 27 April 1995

“Islamic Fundamentalist Discourses on Democracy, Pluralism and Civil Society,” Department of Political Science, New York University, New York, 25 April 1995

“Islamic Fundamentalist Discourses on Democracy, Pluralism and Human Rights,” Department of Middle East and Asian Languages and Cultures, Columbia University, New York, 24 April 1995

“Mutual Perceptions of Monotheistic Religions since the Mid-20th Century,” Swiss Society for the Study of Religion, University of Lausanne, Switzerland, 17-21 April 1995

“Print Islam and Civic Pluralism: ‘New’ Religious Writings and Their Public,” Dartmouth College, Bellagio Study and Conference Center, Bellagio,

Italy, 20-24 March 1995

Chair and Lecture, "Different Aspects of Islamic Fundamentalism," Middle East Studies Association's Annual Meeting, Phoenix, Arizona, November 1994

"The Islamist Ideological and Political Doctrines of Inclusion and Exclusion," Center for Arab Studies and Center for Muslim-Christian Understanding, Georgetown University, Washington, D.C., September 1994

Panelist, "Islamism: Inclusion or Exclusion," American Political Science Association's Annual Meeting, Hilton, New York, September 1994

"The Iranian-Lebanese Relations from the Victory of the Iranian Revolution until 1994," Session at the National Cultural Conference, Southern Cultural Council, Lebanese University, Beirut, March 1994

"Religious Renewal in Islam," the Institute of Muslim and Christian Studies, Jesuit University, Beirut, May 1994

Panelist, "The Problem of Unity and Diversity in the Islamic Movements in the Arab World," Session at the Conference of Islam and the Muslims in a Changing World, For a Just World Order, Organized by Center of Studies and Research at the Higher Muslim Shiite Council, Beirut, 24-28 May 1994

Lecture-Tour, "The Changing Role of the U.S. in World Affairs" 25 January-19 February 1993, The United States Information Agency (New York, Washington, D.C., Pittsburgh, Atlanta, San Diego)

"Arabic Israeli Conflict from an Islamic Fundamentalist Perspective, Cultural Council of Southern Lebanon, May 1993

"Recent Trends in Islam," World Council of Churches, Conference on the Middle East, Aya'a Napa, Cyprus, May 1993

"Theoretical Roots of Conflict Resolution in Islam: Arbitration," Conflict Resolution in the Arab World: Theory and Practice, AUB, Larnaca, Cyprus, 23-26 July 1993

"Theoretical Roots of Islamic Radicalism," American Political Science Association 89th Annual Meeting, Washington, D.C., 2-5 September 1993

"Civil Society and Islam," Civil Society in the Middle East, Dept. Political

Science, New York University, Bellagio, Italy, December 1993

“The Fundamentalist Theory of Knowledge and Politics,” The Higher Institute of Islamic Studies, Beirut, Lebanon, 1991

"Some Features of the Emerging Regional Order," Session of The Muslim World and the Future Conference, Cairo, University Center for Political Research and Studies, Cairo, October 1991

Panelist, "Religion as a Factor in World Politics," Session at International Conference of Islamic Political Science, Geopolitics in the Arab World, Libya, October 1990

"The Fundamentalist Theories of Knowledge," Symposium of Theories of Knowledge in Islam, Beirut University College, Beirut, Lebanon, 1990

"Islamic and Secular Society," Session of International Conference of Islamic Political Science, Towards a New Islamic World Project, Malta, November 1989

III. Book Reviews:

Anthony Shadid, Legacy of the Prophet: Despots, Democrats, and the New Politics of Islamism (Boulder, CO: Westview Press, 2001), Journal of Islamic Studies 14: 1(2003)

Khadid Hroub, Hamas: Thought and Practice (Washington: Center for Palestinian Studies, 2002), Journal of Palestinian Studies, Winter 2002

Bruce Lawrence, Shattering the Myth: Islam and Violence, Princeton: Princeton University Press, 1997), in The Middle East Journal, Vol. 53, no. 4 (Autumn) 1999

Johannes Jansen, The Dual Nature of Islamic Fundamentalism (Ithaca, NY: Cornell University Press, 1997, in Journal of Islamic Studies, Vol. 10, No. 3, 1999

Emad Eldin Shahin, Political Ascent: Contemporary Islamic Movements in North Africa by (Boulder, Colorado: Westview Press, 1997) in Journal of Islamic Studies, Vol. 10, No. 3, 1999

Kate Zebiri, Mahmud Shaltut and Islamic Modernism (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 1993) in Journal of Islamic Studies, Vol. 6, No. 1, 1995

Graham Fuller and Ian Tesser, A Sense of Siege: The Geopolitics of Islam and the West (Boulder/Colorado: Westview Press, 1995) in MESA Bulletin, Fall 1995

Akbar S. Ahmed & David Hart, Islamic Tribal Society (London: Routledge and Kegan Paul, 1984) in Al-Ijtihad, No. 12, Fall 1992

Muhammad Mahdi Shams al-Din, Al-Ijtima Al -Siyasi Al-Islami (Islamic

Political Society) (Beirut: Al-Mu'assasah al-Dawliyyah 1992) in Al-Ghadir, Vol. 3, Nos. 21-22, Winter 1992

Aziz 'Azmah, Al-'Ilmaniyyah min Munzur Mukhtalif (Secularism from a Different Perspective) (Beirut: Arab Unity Studies Center, 1992) in Al-Naqid, October 1992

Khalid Ziyadah, Katib al-Sultan (The Writer for the Ruler) (Beirut: Dar al-Rayyis, 1991) in Al-Ijtihad, Vol. 13, Fall 1991

Hisham Sharabi, Al-Mujtama' al-Batraki (Patriarchal Society) (Beirut: Dar al-Tali'ah, 1987) in Al-Ijtihad, Vol. 15-16, Spring 1991

Muhammad al-Sammak, Al-Aqaliyyat bayna al-'Uruba wa al-Islam, (Minorities: Arabism or Islam) in Al-Abhath, Vol. XXXVIII, 1990

MEMBERSHIPS IN PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS:

- Middle East Institute
- American Political Science Association
- Middle East Studies Association
- Society for the History of Islamic Sciences and Philosophy
- Associate, The Lebanese Review, (now stopped) Beirut Lebanon
- International Political Science Association
- Contributing Editor, Middle East Studies Association (MESA) Bulletin.
- Senior Consultant/contributor, Oxford History of Islam and Encyclopedia
- Trustee, Al-Azhar College, 1989-1992, 1994-present
- Trustee, College of Shari'a, 2001-present
- Board member, Journal of World Dialogue, 1999-
- Board Member, Arab Journal for the Humanities, 2007-.
- reviewer for IJMES, Oxford University Press, University Press of Florida, the Journal of Theory and Society, I.B.Tauris, MESA Bulletin, Journal of Islamic Studies (Oxford), Journal of Law and Religion (Cambridge Journal), Romanian Journal of Political Science, Journal of Security Studies and Global Politics, and others, especially promotion files for different universities.

SERVICES TO THE UNIVERSITY

Served AUB on different committees and the Senate, including A&S Disciplinary Committee; Secretary, Faculty Association, CSP Curriculum Committee, A&S Curriculum Committee, Advisor for PSPA and AUB Societies. Also, advising tens of graduate students on their M.A. theses.

annual seminar on "Managing Ethnic Conflict and Religious Violence" to be held for Lebanese Armed Forces students at the Fouad Chehab Academy for Command and General Staff of the Lebanese Armed Forces, in mid-April. We would be honored if you would return and deliver a version of your talk on the ideologies of contemporary

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Islamist movements. Your talk at our similar seminar in 2016 added significantly to the curriculum.