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US DoS, 12.04.2024

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" ... Al-Quds Brigades, Nukhba Force, Qassam Brigades ..."

EU, 12.04.2024, ca. 2 S.

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https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/?uri=OJ:L_202401073

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BT, 04.03.2024

Vorgang und Download (inkl. Antwort der BR):

<https://dip.bundestag.de/vorgang/deutsche-kriegswaffenexporte-nach-israel/309526>

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Germany Deporting British-Palestinian Surgeon to Prevent Him from Reporting on Israeli Atrocities in Gaza

DAWN, 12.04.2024, ca. 2 S.

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Tahani Mustafa, Omar Shakir, Omar H. Rahman

MECGA, 17.04.2024, 4:00 pm GMT

Übersicht und Registrierung:

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Lessons From Gaza's Most Vulnerable: Understanding Civilian Protection in Wartime

Austin Knuppe

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Arwa Damon

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Yara M. Asi, Imad K. Harb, Khalil E. Jahshan, Tamara Kharroub, Yousef Munayyer

ACW, 12.04.2024, ca. 3 S.

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هشام ملحم

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Alexander Clarkson

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Julien Barnes-Dacey

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William Noah Glucroft

Qantara.de, 08.04.2024, ca. 2 S.

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For All Its Flaws and Limitations, International Law Still Matters
Paul Poast

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Once Again, Germany Is on the Wrong Side of History

Salim Cevik

"... no one would have expected a left-leaning government that claims to follow a values-based diplomacy to continue its unconditional support in the wake of Israeli atrocities ..."

ACW, 09.04.2024, ca. 3 S.

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Ugo Tramballi

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Orit Perlov

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DANIEL AMIR

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Daniel Byman, Riley McCabe & Alexander Palmer

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Muhannad Ayyash

"... to present a decolonial alternative to the exclusive focus on Zionism as a nationalist project, critical analysis must insist that state nationalism is but one of the elements that scholars can analyze within, not alongside, the larger framework of settler colonial sovereignty. ..."

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Hanan Ashrawi, Mustafa Barghouti, Leila Farsakh, Khalil Shikaki, Khalil E. Jahshan

ACW, 18.04.2024, 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM ET

Übersicht, Registrierung und Livestream:

<https://arabcenterdc.org/event/where-does-the-palestinian-national-movement-go-from-here/>

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Book Review: Being a nation state in the twenty-first century: between state and synagogue in modern Israel / Shuki Friedman

Boston (Academic Studies Press), 2023, 117 S.

David Rodman

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Hezbollah-Israel War Is Becoming Inevitable, and the United States May Not Prevent It

Patricia Karam

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Secretary-General Strongly Condemns Large-scale Attack Launched on Israel by Iran

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The White House, 13.04.2024

<https://www.whitehouse.gov/briefing-room/statements-releases/2024/04/13/statement-from-president-joe-biden-on-irans-attacks-against-the-state-of-israel/>

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Dana Stroul, Zohar Palti, Farzin Nadimi

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Übersicht und Webcast:

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"Die Forscherin Azadeh Zamirirad hält nach dem Angriff auf Israel weitere Strafmaßnahmen gegen Iran in der aktuellen Situation für wirkungslos. Hier sagt sie, wie eine nachhaltige Strategie Deutschlands gegenüber dem Regime aussehen sollte. ..."

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Peter Lintl

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Mehran Kamrava, Azadeh Zamirirad, Hamidreza Azizi

MECGA, 22.04.2024, 11:00 am GMT - 12:15 pm GMT

Übersicht und Registrierung:

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Adi Kantor, Danny Citrinowicz, Chuck Freilich

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Ziad Majed

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Ralf Melzer

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Julien Barnes-Dacey

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America Fueled the Fire in the Middle East

Stephen M. Walt

"Israel is in growing danger—but the responsibility lies more in Washington than in Tehran ..."

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Can Kasapoğlu

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Iran's Attempt to Hit Israel with a Russian-Style Strike Package Failed...for Now

Brian Carter, Frederick W. Kagan
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Madiha Afzal, Marsin Alshamary, Aslı Aydıntaşbaş, Pavel K. Baev, Sarah A. Binder, E.J. Dionne, Jr., Vanda Felbab-Brown, William A. Galston, Sharan Grewal, Ryan Hass, Tanvi Madan, Suzanne Maloney, Gian Maria Milesi-Ferretti, Itamar Rabinovich, Natan Sachs, Jaganath Sankaran, David Wessel, Andrew Yeo

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<https://www.brookings.edu/articles/the-impact-of-irans-attack-on-israel/>

Iran's attack on Israel was not the failure many claim but it has ended Israel's isolation

Sanam Vakil, Bilal Y. Saab

"The strikes demonstrated a more assertive approach from Tehran, but the region's security now depends on Israel's ability to play a longer game. ..."

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Michael K. Nagata, Kevin Donegan, Mick Mulroy, Jeff Jager

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Tamir Hayman

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The Israeli response to the Iranian attack will determine whether we are heading toward escalation

Danny Citrinowicz
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Eldad Shavit, Chuck Freilich

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Jonathan Spyer

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Haid Haid

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Fabrice Balanche.

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