

Literature for SIMS47, Middle Eastern Studies: Contemporary Issues in the Middle East applies from the autumn semester 2024

Literature established by Graduate School Board on 2024-06-03 to apply from 2024-06-03

Books (total number of pages: 1,704)

- 1. Paola Rivetti. (2020) Political Participation in Iran from Khatami to the Green Movement. Springer, Chapters 3-5, pp. 65-175. 110 pages
- 2. Lacroix S & JP Filiu. (2017) Revisiting the Arab Uprisings. Oxford U Press (Chapters 2, 7 and 8), 29-44; 111-140; 141-164. 15 pages. 29 pages. 23 pages. 67 pages total.
- 3. Gelvin, J (2015) The Arab Uprisings. Oxford U Press. (Chapters 1, 2, 5) 38 pages. 47 pages. 32 pages. 117 pages total.
- 4. Haas, M & D Lesch (2017) The Arab Spring. Westview Press (Chapters 2, 4, 5, 11, 12 and 13). Around 160 pages.
- 5. Butler, Judith (2020). The Force of Nonviolence: An Ethico-Political Bind. London/New York: Verso. (Read pages 1-25). 25 pages.
- 6. Gallo-Cruz, Selina. (2021). Marginalization and mobilizing power in nonviolent social movements. In Power and Protest: How Marginalized Groups Oppose the State and Other Institutions(pp. 91-115). Emerald Publishing Limited. 24 pages.
- 7. Asef Bayat (2013). Life as Politics: How Ordinary People Change the Middle East, Stanford: Stanford University Press, 2013, "4 Feminism of Everyday Life", pp. 86-105. 19 pages.
- 8. Lloyd Ridgeon (2021). Hijab: The Modern Iranian Seminarian Perspectives, London: Gingko, pp. 69-89, 129-145. 16 pages.
- 9. Pappe, I. (2014). The Modern Middle East: A Social and Cultural History. Chapter 6 (Histories of Middle Eastern women), pp. 225-274. Routledge. 49 pages.
- 10. Price, A.M., & Marty, C. (2020). Gender and social movements. In J.M.Ryan and H. Rizzo (Eds.). Gender in the Middle East and North Africa: Contemporary Issues and Challenges (pp. 191-212). Lynne Rienner Publishers. 21 pages
- 11. Ghetanchi, E., & Moghadam, V. M. (2020). The new media activism. In J.M.Ryan and H. Rizzo (Eds.). Gender in the Middle East and North Africa: Contemporary Issues and Challenges (pp. 213-233). Lynne Rienner Publishers. 20 pages
- 12. Pappe, I. (2014). The Modern Middle East: A Social and Cultural History. Chapter 8 (The new media revolution), pp. 301-310. Routledge. 9 pages.

- 13. Barany, Zoltan (2020) How Armies Respond to Revolutions and Why. Princeton University Press (Chapters 1 and 5). 28 pages; 31 pages, 59 total.
- 14. Asef Bayat, "The Politics of Presence", in Frederic Volpi, Political Islam: A Critical Reader (London and New York: Routledge: 2011). pp. 139-149. 10 pages.
- 15. Asef Bayat, "Post-Islamism at Large", in idem (ed.), Post-Islamism: The Changing Faces of Political Islam (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2013), pp. 3-32. 29 pages.
- 16. Khalil al-Anani, Inside the Muslim Brotherhood: Religion, Identity, and Politics (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2016), pp. 99-117. 18 pages.
- 17. Amaney Jamal (2012) Of Empire and Citizens: Pro-American Democracy or No Democracy at all? Princeton University Press. (Introduction and Chapter 1—pp, 1-40). 40 pages.
- 18. Timothy Mitchell (2011) Carbon Democracy: Political Power in the Age of Oil, Verso (Introduction—pp, 1-11). 11 pages.
- 19. Rebecca Hamlin, Crossing: How We Label and React to People on the Move, Chapters 1-2, 6, 8. 47 pages; 17 pages; 9 pages, 73 pages total.
- 20. Stefano Marcuzzi, The EU, NATO and the Libya Conflict: Anatomy of a Failure, Chapters 1-3, 7. 70 pages; 31 pages.
- 21. John Torpey, The Invention of the Passport: Surveillance, Citizenship, and the State (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2000), Introduction and Chapter 1. 20 pages.
- 22. Ian Martin, All Necessary Measures? The United Nations and International Intervention in Libya, around 100 pages.
- 23. Tim Scott-Smith, Fragments of Home: Refugee Housing and the Politics of Shelter, Chapters 1, 2, and 4. Around 80 pages.
- 24. Dawn C. Murphy, China's Rise in the Global South: The Middle East, Africa, and Beijing's Alternative World Order, Chapters 3-5, 9-10. 118 pages. 43 pages. 161 pages total.
- 25. Hasan Blasim, "The Corpse Exhibition," translated by Jonathan Wright. Around 10 pages.
- 26. The Least of All Possible Evils: Humanitarian Violence from Arendt to Gaza By Eyal Weizman, Ch3. 35 pages.
- 27. Militarizing the Nation: The Army, Business, and Revolution in Egypt Zeinab Abul-Magd (New York: Columbia University Press, 2017). 88 pages.
- 28. Cynthia Enloe, Bananas, Beaches, Bases, "Base Women". 48 pages.
- 29. John Ghazvinian, America and Iran: A History, 1720 to the Present (London: Oneworld, 2020), Chapter 25: "Atoms for Peace". 470-497, 27 pages.
- 30. John Kerry, Every Day Is Extra (New York: Simon Schuster, 2018), Chapter 18: Preventing a war (pp. 485-524). 39 pages.
- 31. Narges Bajoghli et al., How Sanctions Work: Iran and the Impact of Economic Warfare (Stanford: Stanford University Press, 2024), 50 pages.
- 32. Nancy Lee Peluso and Michael Watts, eds. Violent Environments (Ithaca: Cornell University Press, 2001), 1-38. 38 pages.
- 33. Rob Nixon, Slow Violence and the Environmentalism of the Poor, Chapter 7: Ecologies of the Aftermath, 199-232. 34 pages.
- 34. Samia Henni, Deserts are not empty (Cornell UP), around 30 pages.

- 35. Katayoun Shafiee, "Petroleum Knowledge," in Machineries of Oil: An Infrastructural History of BP in Iran (Cambridge: The MIT Press, 2018), 57-85. 28 pages.
- 36. Nadera Shalhoub-Kerkovian, Security Theology, Surveillance, and the Politics of Fear (Cambridge: Cambridge: University Press, 2015), Chapter 3: "Israel in the Bedroom". 25 pages.
- 37. Surveillance and Control in Israel/Palestine Population, Territory and Power Edited By Elia Zureik, David Lyon, Yasmeen Abu-Laban. David Lyon, and Yasmeen Abu-Laban (London: Routledge, 2010). Ch 8. 19 pages.
- 38. Taghdisi-Rad, S. (2010). The political economy of aid in Palestine: relief from conflict or development delayed? 154 pages

Articles

A selection of articles in addition to the books listed above will be added, approximately 600 pages.

Total pages: Approximately 2,300 pages

Optional reading:

- 1. Roy, Arundhati (2009) Fieldnotes on Democracy. Penguin. (Read the first chapter, Introduction: Democracy's failing light.). 29 pages.
- 2. Hanan Toukan, The Politics of Art: Dissent and Cultural Diplomacy in Lebanon, Palestine, and Jordan (Stanford: Stanford University Press, 2021), around 60 pages.
- 3. Sara Salem, Anticolonial afterlives in Egypt: The politics of hegemony. 50 pages.
- 4. Jean-Pierre Dupuy, The War That Must Not Occur, Chapter 1. 17 pages.
- 5. Sophia Stamatopolou-Robbins, Waste Siege: The Life of Infrastructure in Palestine (Stanford: Stanford University Press, 2019), 1-28. 28 pages.
- 6. Ramy Aly, "Producing men, the Nation and Commodities: the Cultural Political-Economy of Militarism in Egypt," in Contemporary Militarism: Towards a New Research Agenda for International Relations, edited by Jan Selby and Anna Stavrianakis (London: Routledge, 2012). 15 pages.
- 7. Coyne and Hall, Manufacturing Militarism U.S. Government Propaganda in the War on Terror. Ch3: 19 pages. Ch7: 22 pages. 41 pages total.
- 8. Samer Alatout, "Hydro-Imaginaries and the Construction of the Political Geography of the Jordan River," in Diana K. Davis and Edmund Burke III, eds. Environmental Imaginaries of the Middle East and North Africa (Athens: Ohio University Press, 2011). 218-245. 27 pages.