



**Literature for FKVB21, Peace and Conflict Studies: War and
Peace in the Israeli-Palestinian Conflict applies from the spring
semester 2026**

**Literature established by the board of the Department of Political Science on
2025-11-19 to apply from 2026-01-19**

See appendix.

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Literature list for FKVB21 Peace and Conflict Studies: War and Peace in the Israeli-Palestinian Conflict, 1st Cycle, 7.5 credits (G1F).

The literature list was approved by the Board of the Department of Political Science on 19 November, 2025.

Books

Caplan, Neil (2020). *The Israel-Palestine Conflict. Contested Histories*. Oxford: Wiley Blackwell. (384 pp.)

Demmers, Jolle (2016). *Theories of violent conflict: An introduction*. London and New York: Routledge. (ebook, available on Lunds Universitets Bibliotek). (176 pp.) The students only read the introduction and one chapter based on their choice of theory, c. 40 pp.

Selected electronic articles and book chapters:

Abdo, Nahla (1991). Women of the intifada: gender, class and national liberation. *Race & Class*, 32(4), pp. 19–34. (15 pp.)

Algazi, Gazi (2006). “Offshore Zionism.” *New Left Review* 40, pp. 27–37. (10 pp.)

Aggestam, Karin; Cristiano, Fabio, and Strömbom, Lisa (2015). “Towards agonistic peacebuilding? Exploring the antagonism–agonism nexus in the Middle East Peace process”, *Third World Quarterly*, Vol. 36, Issue 9, pp. 1736–1753. (17 pp.)

Anziska, Seth (2017). “Neither Two States nor One: The Palestine Question in the Age of Trump”, *Journal of Palestine Studies* 46 (3), pp. 57–74. (17 pp.)

Ayyash, Muhannad (2024). “Zionism, Settler Colonialism, and Nationalism: On Motivations and Violence”, *Middle East Critique*, Vol, 33, Issue 2, pp. 195–210. (15 pp.)

Baconi, Tareq (2018). *Hamas Contained: A History of Palestinian Resistance*. Stanford: Stanford University Press. Ch. 4–5, pp. 97–170, ebook, available on Lunds Universitets Bibliotek. (73 pp.)

Ben-Israel Kidron, Hedva (2003). “Zionism and European Nationalisms: Comparative Aspects”, *Israel Studies*, Vol. 8, Issue 1, pp. 91–104. (13 pp.)

Hermann, Tamar (2013). “Zionism and Palestinian Nationalism: Possibilities of Recognition”, *Israel Studies*, Vol. 18, Issue 2, pp. 133–147. (14 pp.)

Khalidi, Rashid (2021). *The Hundred Years’ War on Palestine: A History of Settler Colonialism and Resistance, 1917–2017*. Metropolitan Books. Chapter 2. (40 pp.)

Lagerquist, Peter (2009). “Shooting Gaza: Photographers, Photographs, and the Unbearable Lightness of War”, *Journal of Palestine Studies* 38 (3), 86–92. (6 pp.)

- Masalha, Nur (2008). "Remembering the Palestinian Nakba: commemoration, oral history and narratives of memory." *Holy Land Studies* 7.2: pp. 123–156. (33 pp.)
- Mendelsohn, Barak (2014). "State Authority in the Balance: The Israeli State and the Messianic Settler Movement." *International Studies Review* 16 (4): pp. 499–521. (22 pp.)
- Pearlman, Wendy (2004). "Palestine: Voices under occupation." *Index on Censorship*, 33:3, pp. 201–210. (9 pp.)
- Richter-Devroe, Sophie (2008). "Gender, Culture, and Conflict Resolution in Palestine", *Journal of Middle East Women's Studies*, Vol. 4, No. 2, pp. 30–59. (29 pp.)
- Samara, Adel (2000). "Globalization, the Palestinian Economy, and the 'Peace Process'," *Journal of Palestine Studies*, 29: 2, pp. 20–34. (14 pp.)
- Sharoni, Simona (2012). "Gender and Conflict Transformation in Israel/Palestine", *Journal of International Women's Studies*, Vol. 13, Issue 4, pp. 113–128. (15 pp.)
- Weizman, Eyal (2012). *Hollow Land: Israel's Architecture of Occupation*. London: Verso. Chapters 3&4. (51 pp.)
- Weiss, Erica (2024). "Divergent and Emergent Political Theologies of Peace Amongst Jewish Israelis". *Political Theology*, 25(4), pp. 361–379. (18 pp.)
- Ziadeh, Rafeef et al. (2025). "Disruptive Geographies and the War on Gaza: Infrastructure and Global Solidarity." *Geopolitics*, <https://doi.org/10.1080/14650045.2025.2510319>. (39 pp.)

Eligible choices for the book seminar

- Abdo, Nahla (2014). *Captive Revolution: Palestinian Women's Anti-Colonial Struggle Within the Israeli Prison System*. London: Pluto Press. (250 pp.)
- Barghouti, Omar (2011). *Boycott, Divestment, Sanctions: The Global Struggle for Palestinian Rights*. Haymarket Books. (320 pp.)
- Bar-Siman-Tov, Yaakov (2015). *Justice and Peace in the Israeli-Palestinian Conflict*. London: Routledge. (158 pp.)
- Braverman, Irus (2009). *Planted Flags: Trees, Land and Law in Israel*. New York: Cambridge University Press. (272 pp.)
- Cohen, Hillel (2015). *Year Zero of the Arab-Israeli Conflict 1929*, Waltham, MA: Brandeis University Press. (312 pp.)
- Chaitin, Julia (2011). *Peace-building in Israel and Palestine. Social Psychology and Grassroots Initiatives*. Palgrave Macmillan, US. (198 pp.)
- Dalsheim, Joyce (2011). *Unsettling Gaza: Secular Liberalism, Radical Religion, and the Israeli Settlement Project*. Oxford: Oxford University Press. (240 pp.)

- Daniele, Giulia (2014). *Women, Reconciliation and the Israeli-Palestinian Conflict. The road not yet taken.* London and New York: Routledge. (180 pp.)
- Erekat, Noura (2020). *Justice for Some. Law and the Question of Palestine.* Stanford CA: Stanford University Press (352 pp.)
- Feldman, Ilana (2018). *Life Lived in Relief: Humanitarian Predicaments and Palestinian Refugee Politics.* Oakland: University of California Press (336 pp.)
- Fischer, Shlomo (2025): *Expressivist Religious Zionism Modernity and the Sacred in a Nationalist Movement.* Abingdon, Oxon/New York, NY: Routledge (288 pp.)
- Glick, Caroline (2014). *The Israeli Solution: A One-State Plan for Peace in the Middle East.* New York: Crown Forum. (324 pp.)
- Golan, Galia (2015). *Israeli Peacemaking since 1967: Factors behind the Breakthroughs and Failures.* New York: Routledge. (246 pp.)
- Grassiani, Erella (2013). *Soldiering under Occupation: Processes of Numbing among Israeli Soldiers in the Al-Aqsa Intifada.* New York & Oxford: Berghahn. (148 pp.)
- Grosbard, Ofer (2003). *Israel on the Couch. The Psychology of the Peace Process.* New York: State University of New York Press. (195 pp.)
- Gutman, Yifat (2017). *Memory Activism. Reimagining the Past for the Future in Israel-Palestine.* Nashville: Vanderbilt University Press. (200 pp.)
- Hackl, Andreas (2022). *The Invisible Palestinians: The Hidden Struggle for Inclusion in Jewish Tel-Aviv.* Bloomington: Indiana University Press (230 pp.)
- Hazkani, Shay (2021). *Dear Palestine. A Social History of the 1948 War.* Stanford University Press. (352 pp.)
- Hermann, Tamar (2009). *The Israeli Peace Movement. A Shattered Dream.* New York: Cambridge University Press (320 pp.)
- Hussein, Cherine (2015). *The Re-Emergence of the Single State Solution in Palestine/Israel.* London: Routledge. (200 pp.)
- Jamal, Amal (2005). *Media Politics and Democracy in Palestine: Political Culture, Pluralism, and the Palestinian Authority.* Brighton: Sussex Academic Press. (209 pp.)
- Morris, Benny (2009). *One State, Two States. Resolving the Israel/Palestine Conflict.* New Haven & London: Yale University Press. (240 pp.)
- Pappé, Ilan (2007). *The Ethnic Cleansing of Palestine.* Oxford: Oneworld Publications. (336 pp.)
- Pearlman, Wendy (2000), *Occupied voices: stories of everyday life from the second Intifada.* New York: Nation. (257 pp.)
- Roy, Sara (2011). *Hamas and Civil Society in Gaza: Engaging the Islamist Social Sector.* Princeton University Press. (336 pp.)

- Said, Edward W. (1992). *The Question of Palestine*. New York: Vintage Books (320 pp.)
- Savir, Uri (2008). *Peace First. A New Model to End War*. San Francisco: Berrett-Koehler Publishers. (235 pp.)
- Seikaly, Sherene (2015). *Men of Capital: Scarcity and Economy in Mandate Palestine*. Stanford, CA: Stanford University Press (272 pp.)
- Shalhoub-Kevorkian, Nadera (2009). *Militarization and violence against women on conflict zones in the Middle East: A Palestinian case study*. New York: Cambridge University Press (246 pp.)
- Sharoni, Simona (1994). *Gender and the Israeli-Palestinian Conflict: The Politics of Women's Resistance*. Syracuse: Syracuse University Press. (155 pp.)
- Shlaim, Avi (2023). *Three Worlds. Memoirs of an Arab-Jew*. Oneworld Publications. (336 pp.).
- Sidqi, Najati (2025). *Memoirs of a Palestinian Communist: The Secret Life of Najati Sidqi*. Austin, TX: University of Austin Press. (164 pp.)
- Tamimi, Azzam (2007). *Hamas. A History from Within*. Northampton: Olive Branch Press. (372 pp.)
- Tilley, Virginia (2005). *The One-State Solution: A Breakthrough for Peace in the Israeli-Palestinian Deadlock*. Ann Arbor: University of Michigan Press. (140 pp.)
- Wright, Fiona (2018). *The Israeli Radical Left. An Ethics of Complicity*. Philadelphia: University of Pennsylvania Press. (208 pp.)
- Zeitoun, Mark (2009). *Power and Water in the Middle East. The Hidden politics of the Palestinian-Israeli water conflict*. London: I.B Tauris. (224 pp.)

Total amount of pages: 1210 pp.

Books: 560 pp.

Articles and book chapters: 450 pp.

Optional book: 200 pp.