

# LECTURES

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 29

## “ADVENTURES IN FIELD-BUILDING: ON THE HISTORY OF AREA STUDIES / MIDDLE EAST STUDIES IN THE UNITED STATES”

Peter Green Lecture on the Modern Middle East and book talk with **Zachary Lockman**, Professor of Middle Eastern and Islamic Studies and History, New York University  
12:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m. Brown Faculty Club

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 5

## “TRANSLATING A CLASSICAL ARABIC ENCYCLOPEDIA”

lecture and book launch with **Elias Muhanna**, Manning Assistant Professor of Comparative Literature, Brown University  
12:00 p.m. - 1:00 p.m. Watson Joukowsky Forum

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 19

## “THE BATTLE FOR ALGERIA: SOVEREIGNTY, HEALTH CARE, AND HUMANITARIANISM”

lecture and book talk with **Jennifer Johnson**, Assistant Professor of History, Brown University  
12:00 p.m. - 1:30 p.m. Watson Joukowsky Forum

# FILMS

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 20

## TURKISH FILM SERIES “GÖLGELER VE SURETLER” (SHADOWS AND FACES)

2010, 116 minutes  
Turkish and Greek with English subtitles  
7:00 p.m. - 9:30 p.m.  
Watson Joukowsky Forum

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 4

## TURKISH FILM SERIES “RUZGARIN HATIRALARI” (MEMORIES OF THE WIND)

2015, 122 minutes  
Turkish with English subtitles  
7:00 p.m. - 9:30 p.m.  
Watson Joukowsky Forum

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 1

## TURKISH FILM SERIES “KASABA” (THE SMALL TOWN)

1998, 88 minutes  
Turkish with English subtitles  
7:00 p.m. - 9:30 p.m.  
Watson Joukowsky Forum

# MAJOR EVENTS

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 13

## MES FALL 2016 RECEPTION

6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. Maddock Alumni Center

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 15

## TEACH-IN: “THE COUP, THE PURGE, AND THE FUTURE OF DEMOCRACY IN TURKEY”

5:30 p.m. - 7:45 p.m. List Art 120

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 6

## FALL 2016 CRITICAL CONVERSATIONS: “CLINTON, TRUMP, AND THE MIDDLE EAST: WHAT IS AT STAKE IN THE US ELECTIONS?”

5:30 p.m. - 7:45 p.m. Watson Joukowsky Forum

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 21

## 4TH ANNUAL DIGITAL ISLAMIC HUMANITIES WORKSHOP: “DIGITIZING EARLY ARABIC PRINTED BOOKS”

Watson Joukowsky Forum



## BROWN UNIVERSITY MIDDLE EAST STUDIES

FALL 2016 EVENTS

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## MELLON SAWYER SEMINAR ON DISPLACEMENT AND THE MAKING OF THE MODERN WORLD: HISTORIES, ECOLOGIES, AND SUBJECTIVITIES

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 30

## CONCEPTS OF DISPLACEMENT

2:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. Pembroke PH305

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 18

## DAMS AND DISPLACEMENT

3:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. Watson Joukowsky Forum

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 29

## MIGRATION AND DISPLACEMENT

3:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. Watson Joukowsky Forum

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 6

## DEVELOPMENT-INDUCED DISPLACEMENT

3:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. Watson Joukowsky Forum

# LUNCHEON SEMINARS

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 14

## “NO DOUBT THE ACTUAL ORANGES HAVE ALREADY BEEN CONSUMED BY THE BRITISH PUBLIC: PALESTINIAN CITRUS GROWERS SUE BARCLAYS BANK, 1956”

with **Sreemati Mitter**,  
Assistant Professor of History and  
International and Public Affairs, Brown University

12:00 p.m. - 1:00 p.m.  
Watson McKinney Conference Room

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 26

## “THE ZIONIST LEFT: SETTLER COLONIAL PRACTICES AND THE REPRESENTATION OF THE PALESTINIAN NAKBA IN NORTHERN PALESTINE”

with **Areej Sabbagh-Khoury**,  
Palestinian Studies Postdoctoral Research Associate,  
Middle East Studies, Brown University

12:00 p.m. - 1:00 p.m.  
Watson McKinney Conference Room

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 30

## “AFTER DISPLACEMENT: VERNACULAR MODERNITY IN THE QUEST FOR A VIABLE RESETTLEMENT”

with **Vikram Thakur**,  
Mellon Sawyer Postdoctoral Research Associate,  
Middle East Studies, Brown University

12:00 p.m. - 1:00 p.m.  
Watson McKinney Conference Room

# UNDERGRAD EVENTS

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 5

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 2

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 30

## UNDERGRADUATE PAPER SERIES PRESENTATIONS

6:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.  
Watson McKinney Conference Room

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 12

## EVENT: “STUDYING ABROAD IN THE MIDDLE EAST: WHAT TO EXPECT?”

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 7

## EVENT: MES FORUM AND HOT CHOCOLATE