MIDDLE EAST STUDIES

capstone & thesis presentations
class of 2019

monday, may 6, 2019
10:00 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.

kim koo library, watson institute
111 thayer street
Program

10:15-10:20 a.m.  WELCOME

10:20-10:40 a.m.  MARGARET FOLLETT
Thesis: "Such a Method of Doing Business": Local Shipping Agents, the Hajj, and the Divide between Corporate and Colonial Priorities in late 1870s Jeddah

10:40-11:00 a.m.  ANNA MURPHY
Thesis: The Tyranny of the Tabloids: Identifying Methods of Exclusion in Press Coverage of British Muslims

11:00-11:20 a.m.  Q&A

11:20-11:30 a.m.  BREAK

11:30-11:40 a.m.  ALEXANDER SAMAH
Capstone: Sex, Power, and the State: Assessing the Policing of Queerness in the Contemporary Middle East

11:40-11:50 a.m.  RAKAN ABONEAAJ
Capstone: Social Statelessness in the Palestinian Diaspora: Application and Implications of a New Conceptualization of Statelessness

11:50-12:00 p.m.  JESSICA MURPHY
Capstone: Displacement and Emplacement: Demonstrations of Solidarity in Response to the “Travel Ban”

12:00-12:20 p.m.  Q&A

12:20-12:40 p.m.  FINAL WORDS