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# Five Colleges of Ohio

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## Shared Collection Development and Resource Plan

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### Middle East Studies

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## **Purpose**

This Shared Collection Development and Resource Plan for the discipline of Middle East Studies serves as an assessment and planning document for cooperation in resource development among the libraries of the Five Colleges of Ohio consortium (the College of Wooster, Denison University, Kenyon College, Oberlin College, and Ohio Wesleyan University).

Specifically, this document will:

Enhance and cultivate cross-campus knowledge and understanding of consortial collections and collecting priorities among our library staff and faculty;

Inform, but not dictate, our local purchasing decisions and collection development strategies;

Set shared priorities and goals with regard to resources or initiatives in this discipline that may be beyond the resources of any single member institution; and

Supplement local collection development policies and efforts and provide forward-looking assessments of the future of library and information services in this academic discipline.

## **Library Collections and Resources**

### **General Philosophy**

In general, the collection development policies of the members of the Five Colleges of Ohio are designed to support the curriculum and the research needs of their faculty. Additionally, they support the various honors or thesis-type research of their students.

### **Subject Boundaries**

Middle East Studies at each of the Five Colleges of Ohio is scattered across the curriculum in a variety of academic departments. Only Ohio Wesleyan offers any kind of major, a concentration on the Middle East within the International Studies major.

Some Library of Congress subject headings pertaining to the collections include: Middle East (as a main heading and as a subdivision), Arab Countries (as a main heading and as a subdivision), Arab and Islamic combined with other terms, e.g., Civilization, Arab, or Art, Islamic, Arab influences as a subdivision, Islamic influences as a subdivision

### **Library of Congress Classifications**

BM Judaism  
BP Islam  
DS41-329 History of Middle East  
PJ Oriental Philology and Literature (including Hebrew, Arabic, etc.)  
PK6001-6999 Iranian Philology and Literature

## **Types of Materials**

The Middle East Studies collections in the Five Colleges of Ohio consist primarily of print monographs but also include electronic monographs, print and electronic periodicals, print and electronic indexes, electronic databases, CD-ROMs, microform collections, research reports, and selected intergovernmental publications (i.e. United Nations). As Federal depository libraries, we collect U.S. government documents from agencies such as the State Department and Congressional Foreign Relations hearings.

## **Languages**

English is the primary language of materials in the collections, with the exception of the language and literature materials. Significant publications are acquired in other languages as appropriate.

## **Geographical**

Works published in the United States are emphasized. Some works published in the United Kingdom and other European countries may be acquired. The geographical subject focus is the Middle East, as interpreted broadly.

## **Chronological**

There are no chronological limitations among the collections.

## **Date of Publication**

Current publications are emphasized, but retrospective publications may be sought in areas where the collection is weak and when new courses are developed.

## **Collection Levels**

The Middle East Studies collections of the libraries are collected at the basic information level to the study or instructional support level as defined by the American Library Association.

### **College of Wooster –**

#### **ARCHAEOLOGY**

- Have in collection material related to excavations at Pella, Jordan as Wooster faculty and students were involved in dig. May continue to collect materials related to this.
- Need materials basic instructional level to support Judeo-Christian religious and historical studies and Classical studies.
- Need to add some basic level information and travel guides to support study abroad program in Egypt for Archaeology.

#### **ART AND ART HISTORY**

- Need comprehensive collection of materials at instructional level to support Art history, Judeo-Christian and Islamic religious and historical studies, Classical studies.

#### **ECONOMICS**

- Need comprehensive collection of materials at instructional level to support economic development, international finance and trade

#### GEOGRAPHY

- Need material at basic level to support Religious Studies, Economics, Political Science, History, etc.

#### HISTORY

- Need comprehensive collection of materials at instructional level to support courses in Western Civilization and Modern Middle East

#### LANGUAGES AND LITERATURES

##### Arabic Language and Literature

- Need only a few materials at basic level (e.g. Arabic-English dictionary, Overview of Arabic literature)

##### Hebrew Language and Literature

- Need a few materials at basic and instructional level to support Religious and Biblical studies

##### Francophone North African Language and Literature

- Collect contemporary (mid 20<sup>th</sup>-century to the present) fiction (major writers), primary criticism, film history and criticism both in French and in English translation.

##### Other

- Materials to support Archaeology

#### POLITICAL SCIENCE

- Need comprehensive collection of materials at instruction level to support International relations, comparative politics, foreign policy, peace studies

#### RELIGION

##### Islam

- Need comprehensive collection of materials at instruction level, with some at Research level to support Religious Studies and Africana studies

##### Judaism

- Need materials at instruction level and low Research level to support Religious studies

##### Other: (Zoroastrianism, ???)

- Need for support of comparative religion

#### SOCIOLOGY

- May purchase some at instructional level to support courses

#### WOMEN'S STUDIES

- May purchase some at instructional level to support courses

Denison –

## **Archaeology**

Archaeology pertaining to the Middle East has no specific home at Denison. Basic collection level should be adequate in terms of course support. Demand for more in-depth material would most likely come about for independent Senior Research work in the Sociology/Anthropology Dept. This would be difficult to predict or to prepare for in any systematic way making CONSORT and OhioLink support important.

## **Art and Art History**

The Middle East is only touched upon in introductory courses. Therefore, the basic level should be enough in terms of art topics related to ancient Middle East and Islamic art/Middle Ages.

## **Economics**

Faculty interest and perceived faculty need might well place Denison as high as the instructional level here for political economy and development topics.

## **Geography**

Little known need in the Geosciences Dept., which is home to Geography courses. Would tend to ditto Wooster's statement: "need material at basic level to support Religious studies, economics, political science, history, etc."

## **History**

Instructional level for courses in pre-modern Islamic history and modern Middle East. Stated need on the part of faculty for more primary resources for undergraduate research.

## **Languages and Literature**

Basic level for Arabic language instruction.

Possibly basic to lower instructional level for Arab American literature as ethnic literature. Emphasis on primary texts; could be a growth area.

Middle Eastern literature in translation in postcolonial studies context. Would go no higher than basic to lower instructional level now, but this could become a growth area.

Francophone literature from region might only require basic level to low instructional level now, except for a few specific writers who might be more heavily targeted. This is definitely expected to become a growth area at Denison for French and English publications in the years ahead.

Some additional collecting takes place at present for M.E. literature due to the interests of particular faculty not in language and literature departments in ways that do not necessarily map closely to any particular coursework or research patterns.

## **Political Science**

Instructional level for foreign policy, human rights, and overall political understanding of the region, including ethnicity as it impacts politics.

## **Religion**

If early Christianity/Church history up to Constantine could be viewed as a Middle East proposition, then we might certainly need that as high as the lower end of instructional level.

Judaism may or may not reach the instructional level as it has been mostly taught by part-time faculty and not as regularly as some other subjects in religion. The level of commitment may be less clear, but the subject should not be ignored.

Islam has definitely become a more defined area at Denison over the past two or three years and is a growth area. Instructional level is suggested.

Denison does not teach Hebrew.

## **Sociology (including Anthropology)**

Instructional level or a bit higher. Given required Senior Research in department, research material is needed locally or in consortia. Department likes the idea of the CONSORT libraries in aggregate reaching higher into the research sphere.

Ditto to the OWU statement on the thematic range of M.E. collecting here. Add to that: material dealing with theoretical analysis (poststructuralism, postcolonialism, etc.) with as many competing interpretations and interpretative frameworks as possible.

## **Women's Studies**

Interdisciplinary approach to women's and gender issues throughout the M.E. and North Africa.

Mostly 20th. century emphasis, but currently Algiers treatment begins with colonial era and Egypt begins with the 19th. century.

About instructional level. Definitely an emerging area at Denison.

## **Kenyon –**

ARCHAEOLOGY – Current collection, not extensive; ongoing collection goal, Basic and limited

ART AND ART HISTORY - Current collection, not extensive; ongoing collection goal, Basic and limited

ECONOMICS – Minimal current collection; ongoing collection goal, very limited

GEOGRAPHY - Minimal current collection; ongoing collection goal, very limited

HISTORY – Moderate current collection; ongoing collection goal, Study level, with current focus on Ottomans, Crusades

LANGUAGES AND LITERATURES

Arabic Language and Literature – Limited current collection; ongoing collection goal, Basic, to support beginning language study supplemented by some film acquisitions.

Hebrew Language and Literature – Moderate current collection; ongoing collection goal, Basic to Study

Francophone North African Language and Literature - Moderate current collection; ongoing collection goal, Basic to Study

POLITICAL SCIENCE - Moderate current collection; ongoing collection goal, Basic to Study

#### RELIGION

Islam – Substantial current collection; ongoing collection goal, Study to Advanced Study

Judaism – Substantial current collection; ongoing collection goal, Study to Advanced Study

SOCIOLOGY- Current collection, not extensive; ongoing collection goal, Basic and limited

WOMEN'S STUDIES - Current collection, not extensive; ongoing collection goal, Basic and limited

#### **Oberlin –**

Oberlin's program in Jewish Studies offers a concentration in either History or Religion. The curriculum also includes courses focusing on the Middle East in the Art History, French (Francophone Africa), History, Politics, Religion, and Women's Studies programs. During the past five years students have been pressing for more faculty and courses on the Middle East that focus on the Islamic world.

#### ARCHAEOLOGY

Have collection of lantern slides of archaeological sites in Ancient Palestine (Megiddo et. al). made by Prof. Herbert May during expeditions in the 1930's and 40's. This collection will be digitized. Collect materials up to advanced study level to support Judeo-Christian religious and historical studies and Classical studies.

#### ART AND ART HISTORY

Collect materials up to the advanced study level support courses in Art history, Judeo-Christian and Islamic religious and historical studies, Classical studies.

#### ECONOMICS

No courses focus specifically on Economics of the Middle East, but collect general, current interest titles on Economics of Middle East to support a high level of extra-curricular interest.

#### GEOGRAPHY

Though Oberlin offers no courses in Geography, collect selected materials at basic level to support Art History, Religious Studies, Political Science, History, and Women's Studies.

#### HISTORY

Courses on Jewish history are offered, but there are currently no History courses focusing on the Islamic Middle East. Collect historical materials on the Jewish Studies up to the advanced instructional level. Collect historical materials on the Islamic Middle East at the basic instructional level.

#### LANGUAGES AND LITERATURES

Arabic Language and Literature - Introductory Arabic is currently taught only on a private reading basis by one professor. Collect materials at basic level (e.g. dictionaries, grammars, in Arabic-English and translations of Arabic literature into English).

Hebrew Language and Literature - Courses in Introductory Hebrew are offered in the Jewish Studies Program. Collect materials at basic and instructional level to support these courses and others in Biblical studies, Judaism, and early Christianity.

Francophone North African Language and Literature - Courses in Francophone literature include an emphasis on writers of North Africa. Collect literature in French by North African authors and works on the culture of that region up to the advanced study level.

#### **POLITICAL SCIENCE**

Courses offered in Middle East Politics (comparative politics, foreign policy, and international relations). Collect materials up to the advanced study level to support these courses and heightened extracurricular interest in contemporary affairs related to the Middle East since 2001.

#### **RELIGION**

Islam - The Religion major offers a concentration on Islam. Courses offered range from introductory to advanced levels. Collect up to the advanced study level to support these courses and related courses in Politics, Jewish Studies, and Women's Studies.

Judaism - The Religion major offers a concentration on Judaism. Courses Offered range from introductory to advanced levels. Collect up to the advanced study level to support these and related courses in Politics, Jewish Studies, and Women's Studies.

#### **SOCIOLOGY**

The Sociology Department offers no courses specifically on the middle east. Collect at basic level to support courses in other subject areas.

#### **WOMEN'S STUDIES (GENDER AND WOMEN'S STUDIES)**

The Gender and Women's Studies Program offers courses on gender issues, sexuality and women in the middle east and north Africa that are cross listed with the Politics and Sociology Departments. Collect up to the advanced study level to support these courses.

### **Ohio Wesleyan –**

#### **ARCHAEOLOGY**

Basic materials: sociology/anthropology courses in prehistory; Humanities-Classics course on the archaeology of ancient Greece and Rome; and religion course on ancient Mediterranean religions as well as the history of the Israelites and early Christians.

#### **ART AND ART HISTORY**

Study or Instructional Support: early Islamic art and architecture.

#### **ECONOMICS**

Study or Instructional Support: support the International Business major with general materials on the economic conditions, development and policies of the Middle East, as well as books on individual countries in the region.

#### **GEOGRAPHY**

Study or Instructional Support: support a course on cultural geography of the Middle East and the world's cities.

#### **HISTORY**

Study or Instructional Support: on the development of Persia, the dissolution of the Ottoman Empire, and the rise of nationalism on the Arab states.

#### **LANGUAGES AND LITERATURES**

Basic materials: books on the language, culture and literature of Francophone countries, including Francophone Africa.

Basic materials: Arabic language dictionaries, grammar books as well as books on the history and criticism of the Arabic literature, and social life and customs of Arab countries.

Basic materials: Hebrew language dictionaries, grammar books and books on the history of Hebrew language.

#### POLITICAL SCIENCE

Study or Instructional Support: security and international relations, comparative political systems, including inter-state and intra-state cooperation and conflicts

#### RELIGION

Study or Instructional Support: Islam's origin and development, contemporary Muslims, comparisons with Zoroastrian and Bahai'i traditions. Judaism from the beginning of the Christian era to current with special attention to the interrelations with Christianity.

#### SOCIOLOGY

Study or Instructional Support: sociological and anthropological collecting of the diverse cultures and social structures of the Middle East, especially changes in social, political, and economic institutions.

#### WOMEN'S STUDIES

Basic materials: the social and economic conditions of women in the Middle East and Arab countries, including books on feminism in that area.

### **Circulation**

Holdings and circulation indicate small holdings, but very high circulation rates, especially for books on Islam.

Judaism (BM) – 3791 items held, 55% have circulated with average of 2.7 circulations per item

Islam (BP) – 3448 items held, 75% have circulated with average of 4.2 circulations per item

History of Middle East (DS42-329) – 12398 items held, 48% have circulated with average of 2.6 circulations per item

Oriental Philology and Literature (PJ) – including Hebrew, Arabic, etc. – 1744 items held, 45% have circulated with average of 2.7 circulations per item

Iranian Philology and Literature (PK6001-6999) – 257 items held, 60% have circulated with average of 3.4 circulations per item

### **Characteristics of the Consortium**

None of the Five Colleges offers a Major in Middle East Studies, but all offer courses on Islam in Religious Studies Programs. Oberlin has a separate program in Jewish Studies and teaches courses on Islam in the Religion and Politics departments. Ohio Wesleyan includes a concentration on the Middle East in the International Studies Major. Denison offers the broadest array of courses on the Middle East, including Arabic (Introductory and Intermediate), which is offered jointly with Kenyon.

## **CURRICULAR AND DISCIPLINARY STRENGTHS**

### **MIDDLE EAST STUDIES**

**College of Wooster** – courses in History, Literature (Francophone N. Africa) and Religion (Judaism and Islam)

**Denison** – courses in Economics, History, Jewish Studies (in Religion Dept.), Language and Literature (Arabic Language), Political Science, Religion, and Sociology

**Kenyon** – courses in Classics (Hebrew Language), History, Language and Literature (Arabic Language, Francophone N. Africa), and Religion (Islam and Judaism)

**Oberlin** – Jewish Studies Programs offers a concentration in History or Religion and offers two courses on the Hebrew Language. Islam related courses are offered on Languages and Literature (Francophone N. Africa), Arabic as a Private Reading course), Politics, Religion, Women's Studies

**Ohio Wesleyan** – courses in Art, Geography, History, International Studies (Major includes a concentration on the Middle East), Religion (Judaism and Islam), Sociology

### **ART AND ART HISTORY**

**Ohio Wesleyan** - Islamic Art

### **ECONOMICS**

**Denison** – Political Economy of the Middle East

### **GEOGRAPHY**

**Ohio Wesleyan** – Cultural Geography of the Middle East

### **HISTORY**

**Denison** – Islamic History before 1800, The Modern Middle East, Studies in Middle Eastern History, Advanced Studies in Middle Eastern History

**Kenyon** – Middle East, Ottoman Empire, Crusades

**Ohio Wesleyan** – Middle East

**Wooster** – The Modern Middle East

## **JEWISH STUDIES**

**Denison** – Jewish Studies (in Religion Dept)

**Kenyon** – in Religion Dept – Judaic Tradition, Jews in Literature, Modern Judaism, Holocaust

**Oberlin** – Jewish History and Judaism

**Wooster** – The Modern Middle East

## **LANGUAGES AND LITERATURE**

**Denison** – Beginning Arabic, Introductory Topics in Arabic, Intermediate Arabic, Intermediate Topics in Arabic, Directed Study in Arabic

**Kenyon** – Beginning Arabic, Intermediate Arabic, Reading the African Colonial Experience, Francophone Literature, Hebrew (independent study in Classics Dept)

**Oberlin** – Introductory Arabic taught as Private Reading, Introduction to Francophone Literature, N. African Women and Islam, Introductory course in Hebrew Language in the Jewish Studies Program

**Wooster** – Francophone Literature of Africa and the Caribbean, Topics in Francophone Literature and Society

**Ohio Wesleyan** – Topics in Francophone Culture I and II, Civilization of the Francophone World, Biblical Hebrew (Religion Dept)

## **POLITICAL SCIENCE**

**Denison** – The Middle East in World Affairs

**Kenyon** – Terrorism

**Oberlin** – Ethnic and Religious Conflicts in the Middle East and N. Africa, Islam and Politics, Urban Politics in the Middle East and N. Africa

## **RELIGIOUS STUDIES**

**Denison** – Islam, Jewish Studies

**Kenyon** – Classical Islam, Women and Islam, Sufism, Islam in Central Asia and the Turkic World

**Oberlin** – Judaism, Hebrew Bible and Talmud, Medieval and Modern Jewish Thought, Islam, Islamic Authorities: Law and Society, Sufism, Seminar: Islam and Modern Social Change

**Ohio Wesleyan** – Islam and the Way of the Prophet, Jewish Religious Life and Literature, Anti-Semitism, Zionism, and the Holocaust, Religions of the East (Islam), Religions of the West (Judaism)

**Wooster** – Islam

## **SOCIOLOGY**

**Denison** – People and Cultures of the Middle East

**Ohio Wesleyan** – Gender in Cross Cultural Perspective, Peoples and Cultures of the Middle East, Iranian Society through Iranian Films

## **WOMEN'S STUDIES**

**Kenyon** – Women and Islam (Religion Dept)

**Oberlin** – Global Feminisms, Gender and Sexuality in the Middle East and N. Africa

## **Patterns of Information Service**

### **Characteristics of the Literature**

Middle East studies includes disciplines from both the social sciences (anthropology, cultural area studies, economics, history, political science, public policy, sociology, urban studies, women' studies), and the humanities (art, literature, religion). The relative importance of journal vs. monographic literature varies by discipline, as with other interdisciplinary areas.

### **Resource Availability and Sharing**

Faculty from CONSORT schools enjoy the ability to place materials from other CONSORT schools on local reserve. This is a new service that is functioning well and allows us to think of our collection more as a whole rather than independent parts. While recent studies have shown that faculty and students are satisfied with the current delivery times of CONSORT and OhioLINK materials, we as a consortium must continue to monitor this service to ensure it meets the needs of our patrons and collections.

### **Acquisition Strategies and Priorities for the Five Colleges of Ohio**

- Journals are essential to research in all disciplines
- Historical works – there are a number of classic texts that should be represented in all libraries.
- Because the topic is interdisciplinary, and because there is popular interest in the topic, it is important to have accessible yet well-written popular works on the topic.
- Works representing all points of view should be collected, even those outside of the mainstream.

## Access Development

- Middle East studies is likely to be an area of increasing importance and interest, with strong continuing interdisciplinary interest and strong continuing popular interest.

## Storage Patterns or Considerations

JSTOR currently includes 16 titles in the 'middle east' collection.

Since materials in these subject areas circulate heavily, they seem poor candidates for off-site storage.

## Future Directions and Priorities

Research in Middle East Studies will continue to rely on monographs and journals, both print and electronic, with the electronic component increasing.

The expanding availability of electronic resources, the costs of these resources, and the continued desire to maintain and enhance print collections present economic challenges in all subject areas. Examination of usage patterns in the circulation of print materials, database and ejournal usage, as well as interlibrary loan requests will likely play an increasing role in decisions about resource allocation. Education of users about the limitations of local resources for the acquisition of new materials, the limitations and tradeoffs sometimes inherent with electronic resources, and solicitation of their feedback concerning priorities will only grow in importance.

## Government Publications

Government publications are a useful resource for Middle East Studies. Each member college of the Five Colleges of Ohio is a selective depository for United States government publications. Each college, which receives between 27 and 41% of the print documents distributed by the Federal Depository Library Program, has developed a selection profile based on the needs of the university community and local patrons. In addition to print documents, many current government publications are available on the World Wide Web.

State Department publications and hearings conducted by the Congressional Foreign Relations committees are the primary U.S. government documents that relate to Middle East Studies.

## Middle East Studies Databases

Database	Listed in Subject Guide	Note	Subscribing Schools
Academic Search Premier			All
Agricola			Consort, OBE
Alternative Press Index			WOO,OWU,OBE
America: History and Life			Consort, OBE

<b>American National Biography Online</b>			Consort, OBE
<b>Anthropology Plus</b>			Consort, OBE
<b>AP Multimedia Archive</b>			Consort, OBE
Article1st [electronic resource] / OCLC			Consort, OBE
<b>ATLA Religion Index</b>			Consort, OBE
<b>Biological Abstracts</b>			Consort, OBE
<b>Business &amp; Industry</b>			Consort, OBE
<b>Business Source Complete</b>			Consort, OBE
<b>Compendex</b>			Consort, OBE
<b>Contemporary Women's Issues</b>			Consort, OBE
<b>Dissertation abstracts (Proquest Dissertations and Theses)</b>			Consort, OBE
<b>EconLit</b>		Ebschost	Consort, OBE
<b>Education Research Complete</b>		Ebscohost	Consort, OBE
<b>Electronic Journal Center</b>			Consort, OBE
<b>Encyclopedia Britannica Online</b>			Consort, OBE
<b>Environment Complete</b>		Ebscohost	Consort, OBE
<b>Ethnic NewsWatch</b>		ProQuest	Consort, OBE
<b>FRANCIS (Humanities &amp; Social Sciences)</b>		RLG's Eureka	Consort, OBE
<b>Gender Studies Database</b>		Ebscohost	Consort, OBE
<b>Gender Watch</b>		ProQuest	DEN, OWU
<b>GeoRef 1785-present</b>			Consort, OBE
<b>Historical Abstracts</b>			Consort, OBE
<b>Humanities International Complete</b>		Ebscohost	Consort, OBE
<b>Index Islamicus</b>			KEN, WOO, OBE
<i>IngentaConnect [electronic resource]</i>			Consort
<b>INSPEC</b>			Consort, OBE
<b>Inside Information Plus</b>		RLG's Eureka	Consort, OBE
<b>International Medieval Bibliography</b>			DEN, OWU, OBE
<b>International Political Science Abstracts</b>		Ebscohost	Consort, OBE
<b>JSTOR</b>			Consort, OBE

<b>Legal Collection</b>		Ebscohost	Consort, OBE
<b>LexisNexis Academic Universe</b>			Consort, OBE
<b>Literary Reference Center</b>			Consort, OBE
<b>MathSciNet</b>			Consort, OBE
<b>NetLibrary</b>			Consort, OBE
<b>Newspaper Source</b>			Consort, OBE
<b>PAIS International</b>			Consort
<b>PapersFirst</b>			Consort, OBE
<b>Reader's Guide Abstracts</b>		HW Wilson	DEN, KEN, OWU, OBE
<b>Reader's Guide Retro</b>		HW Wilson	Consort, OBE
<b>Social Sciences Abstracts</b>		HW Wilson	DEN, KEN, OWU, OBE
<b>Regional Business News</b>		Ebscohost	Consort
<b>Religion and Philosophy Collection</b>		Ebscohost	Consort, OBE
<b>Religion Database, ATLA</b>			OWU, WOO, OBE
<b>Russian Academy of Sciences Bibliographies</b>		RLG's Eureka	Consort, OBE
<b>Sociological Collection</b>		Ebscohost	Consort, OBE
<b>SocIndex</b>		Ebscohost	Consort, OBE
<b>Vocational and Career Collection</b>			Consort, OBE
<b>Women's Studies International</b>			Consort, OBE
<b>Worldwide Political Science Abstracts</b>			Consort, OBE

## Middle East Studies Journals

Journal Title	ISSN	DEN	KEN	OBE	OWU	WOO	Print/Micr	Ejournal	Current	Total
Accessions list, Middle East / Library of Congress	0041-7769	0	0	0	0	1	Y		N	
Agricultural situation. Africa and the Middle East	0278-8063 (1061-5202)		0	0	0	1	Y		N	
<b>ADL on the frontline</b>		1	0	0	1	1		ENW	C	3
<b>AGBU : [news]</b>		1	0	0	1	1		ENW	c	3
	(1050-3471)									
<b>AIM (Glendale, Calif.)</b>		1	0	0	1	1		ENW	c	3
<b>Jazirah al-Arabiyah = al-Jazeera al-Arabia</b>		1	1	0	1	1		LexisNexis	c	4
AME info [electronic resource] Middle East business information		1	1	0	1	1			C	4
	(0731-6763)									
<b>American-Arab affairs</b>		1	0	0	1	1		ENW	c	3
	(0271-3519)									
<b>Arab studies quarterly</b>		1	1	1	1	1		EBSCOhost	c	5
<b>Arabian archaeology and epigraphy</b>	(0905-7196)	1	1	1	1	1		EJC & ASP	c	5
Arabic and Middle Eastern literatures [electronic resource]	1366-6169	1	1	1	1	1			C	5
<b>Arabic sciences and philosophy : a historical journal</b>	(0957-4239)	1	1	1	1	1		EJC & ASP	c	5
	(0570-5398)									
<b>Arabica</b>		1	1	1	1	1		EJC & ASP	c	5
	(1288-2828)									
<b>Arabies trends</b>		1	1	1	1	1		LexisNexis	c	5
<b>Asian affairs (London)</b>	(0306-	1	1	1	1	1		EBSCOhost	C	5

	8374)									
<b>Asian affairs, an American review (New York)</b>	(0092-7678)	1	1	1	1	1		EBSCOhost	C	5
<b>Asian studies review</b>	(1035-7823)	1	1	1	1	1		EJC & ASP	C	5
<b>Asian survey</b>	(0004-4687)	2	1	1	2	2	Y	JSTOR	N	8
<b>Asiaweek</b>	(1012-6244)	0	0	0	1	0	Y		N	1
<b>Azure: ideas for the Jewish nation</b>	(0793-6664)	1	1	1	1	1		DOAJ	C	5
<b>B.C. Asian review</b>	(0835-6432)	1	1	1	1	1		DOAJ	C	5
<b>British journal of Middle Eastern studies</b>	(1353-0194)	1	1	1	1	1		JSTOR & ASP	C	5
<b>Bulletin - British Society for Middle Eastern Studies</b>	(0305-6139)	1	1	1	1	1		JSTOR & ASP	C	5
<b>Bulletin of the American School of Oriental Research in Jerusalem</b>	(0276-7732)	1	1	2	1	1	Y	JSTOR	N	6
<b>Bulletin of the American Schools of Oriental Research</b>	(0003-097X)	1	1	2	1	2	Y	JSTOR & ASP	C	7
<b>Bulletin of the School of Oriental and African Studies</b>	(0041-977X)	1	2	2	1	2	y	JSTOR & EJC	C	8
<b>Business Middle East [electronic resource]</b>	1350-7354	1	1	1	1	1			C	5
<b>Central Asian survey</b>	(0263-4937)	1	1	1	1	1		ASP	C	5
<b>Commentary (New York)</b>	(0010-2601)	2	2	2	2	2	y	EBSCOhost	C	10
<b>Comparative Islamic</b>	(1740-	1	1	1	1	1		ASP	C	5

<b>studies</b>	7125)										
Comparative studies of South Asia, Africa and the Middle East [electronic resource]	1548-226X (1467-2715)	1	1	2	1	1	Y	EJC	C	6	
<b>Critical Asian studies Critique (Saint Paul, Minn.)</b>	(1066-9922)	2	1	2	1	1	y	ASP	C	7	
Critique [electronic resource] : journal of critical studies of Iran and the Middle East	1066-9922	1	1	2	1	1		ASP	C	6	
Daily report. Middle East & Africa. Index / Foreign Broadcast Information Service	0736-3427 (1060-4367)	0	0	1	0	1	Y		N	2	
<b>Domes (Milwaukee, Wis.)</b>	(1096-6838)	1	1	1	1	1		ENW & ASP	C	5	
<b>East Asia (Piscataway, N.J.)</b>		1	1	1	1	1		EJC & ASP	C	5	
Economic developments in the Middle East	0501-2759	1	0	0	0	0	Y		N	1	
<b>EJOS (Utrecht)</b>		1	1	0	1	1		DOAJ	C	4	
Global studies. The Middle East	1056-6848	0	0	0	0	1	Y		N	1	
<b>Graduate journal of Asia-Pacific studies</b>		1	1	0	1	1		DOAJ	C	4	
Hawwa [electronic resource] journal of women of the Middle East and the Islamic world	1569-2086 (1474-9475)	1	1	1	1	1		EJC	C	5	
<b>Holy Land studies</b>		1	1	1	1	1		EJC & ASP	C	5	
ICIS chemical business.	1750-1504	1	1	1	1	1				5	

Europe, Middle East, Asia [electronic resource]											
<b>Inside (Philadelphia, Pa.)</b>	(0199- 7602)	1	0	0	1	1		ENW	C	3	
<b>Inter-Asia cultural studies</b>	(1464- 9373)	1	1	1	1	1		ASP	C	5	
<b>International journal of Asian studies</b>	(1479- 5914)	1	1	1	1	1		EJC	C	5	
<b>International journal of Middle East studies</b>	(0020- 7438)	2	1	2	1	2	Y	JSTOR & EJC	C	8	
<b>Iran &amp; the Caucasus</b>	(1609- 8498)	1	1	1	1	1		ASP	C	5	
<b>Iranian studies</b>	(0021- 0862)	1	1	1	1	1		EBSCOhost	C	5	
<b>Iranica antiqua</b>	(0021- 0870)	1	1	1	1	1		EBSCOhost	C	5	
<b>Israel affairs</b>	(1353- 7121)	1	1	1	1	1		ASP	C	5	
<b>Israel exploration journal</b>	(0021- 2059)	0	0	1	0	1	Y		C	2	
<b>Israel studies (Bloomington, Ind.)</b>	(1084- 9513)	1	1	1	1	1		EJC, EBSCOhost, ENW	C	5	
<b>Jerusalem report</b>	(0792- 6049)	1	2	2	1	1		LexisNexis	C	7	
<b>Jewish history</b>	(0334- 701X)	1	1	1	1	1		EJC & ASP	C	5	
<b>Jewish quarterly review</b>	(0021- 6682)	1	2	2	1	1		JSTOR, EBSCOhost, EJC	C	7	
<b>Jewish social studies</b>	(0021- 6704)	1	2	2	1	1		EJC, EBSCOhost, ENW	C	7	
<b>Jewish studies, an Internet journal</b>		1	1	0	1	1		DOAJ	C	4	
<b>Jewsweek.com</b>		0	0	1	0	1		LexisNexis	C	2	

<b>Journal for the Study of Judaism in the Persian, Hellenistic, and Roman period</b>	(0047-2212)	1	1	2	1	1		EJC & ASP	C	6
<b>Journal of contemporary Asia</b>	(0047-2336)	1	1	2	1	1		ASP	C	6
<b>Journal of developing societies</b>	(0169-796X)	1	1	1	1	1		EBSCOhost & EJC	C	5
<b>Journal of Islamic studies (Oxford, England)</b>	(0955-2340)	1	1	1	1	1		EJC, OJO	C	5
Journal of Middle East women's studies [electronic resource]	1558-9579	1	1	1	1	1		EJC	C	5
<b>Journal of Near Eastern studies</b>	(0022-2968)	1	2	2	2	2	y	EBSCOhost & EJC	C	9
<b>Journal of Palestine studies</b>	(0377-919X)	2	1	2	2	2	y	ENW	C	9
<b>Journal of Semitic studies</b>	(0022-4480)	0	1	1	0	2	Y	OJO	C	4
<b>Journal of the economic and social history of the Orient</b>	(0022-4995)	2	1	1	2	1		EBSCOhost & EJC	C	7
<b>Link (New York)</b>	(0024-4007)	0	0	0	0	1	Y		C	1
<b>MERIP Middle East report</b>	(0888-0328)	1	1	2	1	1		JSTOR		6
<b>MERIP reports</b>	(0047-7265)	1	2	2	1	1		JSTOR & EJC	C	7
The Middle East and North Africa	0076-8502	1	0	1	1	1	y		n	4
The Middle East and South Asia	0084-2311	0	1	0	0	1	y		n	2
The Middle East annual	0733-5350	0	0	1	1	1	y		n	3
Middle East business intelligence [electronic resource]	0731-6305	1	1	1	1	1		EBSCOhost	c	5

Middle East contemporary survey / The Shiloah Center for Middle Eastern and African Studies, Tel Aviv University	0163-5476	1	0	1	1	1	y		n	4
Middle East economic digest [electronic resource]	0047-7230	1	1	2	1	1		EBSCOhost	c	6
Middle East Fertility Society journal [electronic resource]	1110-5690 (0026-3141)	1	1	0	1	1		DOAJ	C	4
<b>Middle East journal</b>		1	1	1	1	1	Y		C	5
The Middle East military balance / Jaffee Center for Strategic Studies	1099-5552	0	1	1	1	1	y		n	4
Middle East monitor. East Med [electronic resource]	1469-526X (1061-1924)	1	1	1	1	1		EBSCOhost EBSCOhost,	c	5
<b>Middle East policy</b>		1	1	1	2	2	Y	EJC, ENW EBSCOhost	C	7
<b>Middle East quarterly</b>	(1073-9467)	1	1	1	1	1		& LexisNexis	C	5
Middle East record	0076-8529	1	1	1	1	0	y			4
<b>Middle East report (New York, N.Y. 1988)</b>	(0899-2851)	1	1	0	1	1		JSTOR		4
Middle East research & information project [electronic resource]	0899-2851	1	1	1	1	1			c	5
Middle East Studies Association bulletin	0026-3184 0892-1679	1	0	2	0	1	y		n	4
The Middle East, abstracts and index	0162-766X	1	1	0	0	1	y		c	3
Middle Eastern affairs	0544-0475	1	0	1	1	1	y		n	4
Middle Eastern	1475-	1	1	1	1	1		EBSCOhost	c	5

literatures [electronic resource]	262X										
<b>Middle Eastern studies</b>	(0026-3206)	2	2	2	1	2	Y	EBSCOhost	C	9	
<b>Mideast mirror</b>	(0544-0556)	1	1	1	1	1		LexisNexis	c	5	
<b>Modern Asian studies</b>	(0026-749X)	2	2	2	1	2	y	JSTOR & EJC	C	9	
<b>Moment (New York, N.Y.)</b>	(0099-0280)	1	0	1	1	1		ENW	C	4	
<b>Moslem world</b>	(0362-4641)	0	0	1	0	1	Y		N	2	
<b>Muslim world (Hartford)</b>	(0027-4909)	2	2	1	2	2	Y	EBSCOhost & EJC	c	9	
<b>New York Jewish week</b>	(0745-5356)	1	0	0	1	1		ENW	C	3	
<b>Newsletter - American Schools of Oriental Research</b>	(0361-6029)	1	1	0	1	2		EBSCOhost	c	5	
<b>Oriens</b>	(0078-6527)	1	1	2	1	1		JSTOR	N	6	
Outlook and situation report. Middle East and North Africa / United States Department of Agriculture, Economic Research Service	0884-9439	0	0	0	0	1	y		N	1	
<b>Palestine exploration quarterly</b>	(0031-0328)	1	1	2	1	1		ASP	C	6	
<b>Palestine-Israel journal of politics, economics, and culture</b>	(0793-1395)	1	0	0	1	1		EBSCOhost & ENW	C	3	
<b>Patterns of prejudice</b>	(0031-322X)	1	1	2	1	1		EBSCOhost	C	6	
<b>Peace watch</b>	(1080-9864)	1	1	1	1	2	Y	US GOV DOCS	C	6	

<b>Reconstructionism today</b>	(1072-3250)	0	0	1	0	0		LexisNexis EBSCO &	C	1
<b>Reconstructionist Riyadh daily</b>	(0034-1495)	0	0	1	0	0		LexisNexis	c	1
<b>Studies on Asia (East Lansing, Mich.)</b>		0	0	1	0	0		LexisNexis	C	1
Studies on selected development problems in various countries in the Middle East		1	1	0	1	1		DOAJ	C	4
	0503-3659	1	0	0	0	0	y		n	1
<b>Tikkun</b>	(0887-9982)	0	0	2	0	2	y	EBSCOhost, ENW	C	4
<b>Transoxiana</b>		1	1	0	1	1		DOAJ	C	4
U.S. imprints on Sub-Saharan Africa / African Section, African and Middle Eastern Division, Research Services										
	0888-2878	1	1	1	0	1	y		N	4
<b>Washington report on Middle East affairs</b>	(8755-4917)	1	1	2	2	1	y	EBSCOhost, LexisNexit, ENW	C	7
	(0043-2539)	1	1	1	1	1		EBSCOhost, EJC, JSTOR	C	5
<b>Welt des Islams</b>		1	1	1	1	1				

**Note: All electronic journals are counted as 1 in a library. If the library also has print journal, counted as 2.**

**Abbreviations:**  
ASP: Academic Search Premier  
DOAJ: Directory of Open Access Journals

ENW: Ethnic  
NewsWatch  
OJO: Oxford  
Journal Online