Assignment 2: Learning about Palestine

March 15, 2023

Requirements

In this assignment, you will read/watch the materials below about Palestine, and summarize and reflect upon what you learn. We ask you also provide two questions that you have regarding Palestine. We will collect and use these questions to facilitate the synchronous session on Saturday, March 18, 2023 when meeting with your PAU peers.

- *Palestine in 5 Minutes* (video)
  https://youtu.be/Wfrujg7qimk

- *Rick Steves' The Holy Land: Israelis and Palestinians Today* (video)
  https://youtu.be/wg1unr6eNpQ

- *The Israel-Palestine conflict: a brief, simple history* (video)
  https://youtu.be/iRYZjOuUnlU

- *History and Memory in the Israeli Educational System: The Portrayal of the Arab-Israeli Conflict in History Textbooks (1948-2000)*, by Elie Podeh (PDF)
  https://www.dropbox.com/s/k8fziohw7n0nuz4/his.2000.12.1.65.pdf

- *Palestine, Israel and the Arab-Israeli Conflict A Primer*, by Joel Beinin and Lisa Hajjar (PDF)
  https://merip.org/palestine-israel-primer/

In your summary and reflection, you may use the following questions to help you organize your thoughts:

- What's the first thing that would come to mind when you think of Palestine before this assignment?

- How do you feel or what's the main thing in your mind after you read/watch the materials above?

- Are there any materials that changed your view on any aspect of Palestine? What are they about?

- Is there anything that you didn't know before but learned from the materials about Palestine?

However don't write your summary and reflection in a Q/A format. Instead write it more like an essay. It should be **at least 3/4-page long using Calibri or Times New Roman, Font Size 11, and 1.0 line spacing**.

At the end of your summary and reflection, remember to add **at least two questions** that you have about Palestine or you want to ask your PAU peers.

Submission

    <u>When</u>   by **11:59pm on Friday, March 17, 2023**.

How/Where   Put your work in a Word document, name the file properly, such as **Jane.Doe-INFT221-A2.docx**, and submit it in Microsoft Teams.