Spring 2022

Council on Middle East Studies Colloquium

January 27 12:00 pm
The Vanishing: Faith, Loss and the Twilight of Christianity in the Middle East
JANINE DI GIOVANNI – YALE UNIVERSITY

February 3 12:00 pm
Security in MENA: Critical Considerations from the Global South Perspective
NIZAR MESSARI – YALE UNIVERSITY/AKHAWAYN UNIVERSITY

February 10 12:00 pm
Why Those Who Shovel Are Silent: A History of Local Archaeological Labor and Knowledge
ALLISON MICKEL – LEHIGH UNIVERSITY

February 17 12:00 pm
The Birth of “The Prophet”: The Creation of Gibran’s Masterpiece in His Own Words
DALTON EINHORN – YALE SCHOOL OF MANAGEMENT ’97

February 24 12:00 pm
Viral Subjects: Stigma, Civil Society Activism, and the Making of HIV/AIDS in Lebanon
LIZZY BERK – YALE UNIVERSITY

March 31 12:00 pm
From “Shining Star” to Interventionist Actor: Turkish Foreign Policy, the Arab Spring, and State Reformation
IAIN MACGILLIVRAY – YALE UNIVERSITY/UNIVERSITY OF MELBOURNE

April 7 12:00 pm
Bordering Blackness: Race, Migration, and the Political Economy of Difference in the Mediterranean
LESLIE GROSS WYRTZEN – YALE UNIVERSITY

April 14 12:00 pm
The Best of Hard Times: Palestinian Refugee Masculinities in Lebanon
GUSTAVO BARBOSA – UNIVERSIDADE FEDERAL FLUMINENSE

April 28 12:00 pm
In the Shade of the Sunna: Salafi Piety in the 20th Century Middle East
AARON ROCK SINGER – UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN

*Unless otherwise noted, all lectures will be online via zoom