

MIDDLE EAST RESOURCE GUIDES FOR LIBRARIES: GREAT WEBSITES

General (broad coverage and portals)

- [Islam \(a portal\)](#)
- [Islam and Islamic Studies Resources](#)
- [Islamonline.net](#)
- [Middle East Center – University of Pennsylvania \(resources for K-12\)](#)
- [Middle East Resource Guide](#)
- [Resources on Islam](#)

Middle East Languages and Literature

- [Languages of the Middle East](#)
- [Literatures of the Middle East](#)

Minorities in the Middle East

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Religions of the Middle East

- [Christianity](#)
- [Druze Faith](#)
- [Islam](#)
- [Judaism](#)
- [Zoroastrianism](#)
- [Other religions present in the Middle East](#)

Women in the Middle East

- [Women in the Middle East](#)
- [Middle East Women Biography](#)

Academic Associations and Institutes Focusing on the Middle East

- [Links to various associations on the Middle East](#)
- [Middle East Studies Association](#)

Islamic Groups in America

- [American Sufi Muslim Association \(ASMA Society\)](#)
- [Arab American Institute](#)
- [Council on American-Islamic Relations](#)
- [Islamic Circle of North America](#)
- [Islamic Society of North America](#)
- [Muslim American Society](#)
- [Muslim Life in America](#)

Online News and Media

- [Links to a number of news sources](#)

Al-Jazeera Information Center

An English version of the Qatari Television/Online news service. The Arab equivalent of CNN.

Anatolia

English language Turkish newspaper.

Arab Political

Website covering the politics of the Arab world.

Arab World News

A comprehensive source for news about Arab countries, including many links to individual countries.

The Arabic Press

Contains links to online newspapers from the Middle East as well as the United States and the United Kingdom.

BBC News

Online version of BBC News from the United Kingdom. It has links to worldwide daily news including the Middle East. It also has country profiles with information on the political situation, as well as economic and demographic statistics.

Centre for Media Freedom in the Middle East and North Africa

Dedicated to the defense of journalists and the promotion of media freedom in the Arab world.

Ha'aretz

online English version of the Israeli daily newspaper.

Headline Spot

Has extensive links to many news sources.

For exclusive coverage on the Middle East (Including Links to Online Newspapers in the various Countries)

Iran

English language daily newspaper from Tehran.

Iran News

Collection of recent news headlines about or from Iran.

Israeli & Global News

News about the Middle East, focusing on Israel.

Jerusalem Post

Israel's English language newspaper.

Land of Sumer and Akkad

Selected Links Mesopotamian Archaeology.

MEDEA

Press reviews, fact-sheets and trade information from EU-supported European Institute for Research on Mediterranean and Euro-Arab Cooperation.

Mesopotamian Art and Archaeology

A website for links on archaeology and the ancient Near East.

Middle East Directory

A directory on Middle East Online resources, from business and travel information to news sources and non-profit organizations.

Middle East News Online

Regular news and information providing coverage of politics and government, Health and Medicine, Business and Finance, the Environment, Civil Society, Culture, Education and Arts.

Middle East Newslite

News service from independent regional correspondents that focuses on defense issues including weapons proliferation and terrorism.

MSNBC

NBC focusing on news about the Middle East.

Miftah Shamali

An excellent source for travel information and links to search engines & news sources on North Africa.

Tehran Times

Online edition of Tehran's daily paper. Local, national and international news.

Turkish Daily News Online

Online version of Turkey's English-language daily.

U.S. Report on the Middle East

Covers news on the Middle East, focusing on political, economic, and defense news.

What you need to know about archaeology

A guide with links to many websites on archaeology and Mesopotamia.

WWIDEWEB

An excellent website with extensive links to various Middle East online news sources, in print and audio.

Washington Report on Middle East Affairs

Focuses on news and analysis from and about the Middle East, and U.S. policy in that region.

Online Dictionaries

[Middle East Languages Dictionaries and Dictionary of Islam](#)

[Islamic \(and other\) Calendar Conversion Sites](#)

Bibliographies

[Core on Islam the Middle East & North Africa](#)

[Bibliographies compiled at Maxwell Air Force Base, AL](#)

<http://www.muslimandarabworld.blogspot.com>