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List of Publications as of January 2010


**Description:** The Policy Paper No. 4 of the KAS-RCCP Expert Advisory Group describes the general characteristics defining the changing roles of the actors and the new dynamics in the region.

In English


**Description:** The Policy Paper No. 3 of the KAS-RCCP Expert Advisory Group gives an assessment of regional approaches towards security cooperation on a structural level.

In English, French and Arabic

Konrad-Adenauer-Stiftung/ Al Quds Center for Political Studies: *Democracy in the Practice of the Arab Political Parties*

**Description:** The book outlines eight papers discussing the democracy crisis in the internal scene of the Arab Political Parties apart from their political and intellectual stands and trends. Another paper introduced the German experience of democracy in the internal scenes of the political parties.

In Arabic

Description: The Policy Paper No. 2 of the KAS-RCCP Expert Advisory Group concentrates on the changing nature of Al Qaida and delivers recommendations on how to tackle this strategic challenge. In order to contain terrorism the recommendations highlight education strategies.

In English, French and Arabic

Konrad-Adenauer-Stiftung/ Al Quds Centre for Political Studies (2008): Elections and Democratic Transitions in the Arab World - A Step Forward or Backward?, Amman.

Description: The KAS and the Al-Quds Center for Political Studies present here the result of their conference held in January 26 - 27, 2008 on Elections and Democratic Transitions in the Arab World during the last 3 years. The focus of the publication is to assess the extent to which these democratic elections contributed to advancing democracy in these countries, or led to setbacks in democratization.

In Arabic


Description: The Policy Paper No. 5 of the KAS-RCCP Expert Advisory Group examines the possibilities of a new transatlantic agenda following the inauguration of the Obama administration.

In English


Description: This manual gives a general overview of how the Social Market Economy influences the international work of KAS, of the economic governance in Social Market Economy, in particular focussing on the approaches of the Arab world.

In Arabic, French and English


Description: This magazine examines the future of the youth in the Near East and explores explosive themes from a young journalistic point of view.

In Arabic and German


Description: This book is dealing with Islam as political power and the relations between religion and state.

In Arabic or English


In English, Arabic, French or German


Description: This publication aims at showing the exposure and consideration to the general standards of Human Rights in governmental and non-governmental organizations.

In Arabic


Description: This Training Manual was compiled to accomplish professional capacity building for NGOs.

In Arabic


Description: This book attempts to encourage young graduates to dare steps in the autonomy and to contribute to a strengthening of the medium-sized business branches.

In French


Description: This book discusses the regulatory basics of social market economy while citing social consensus and social partnership.

In French


Description: On the eve of the German EU Council Presidency in 2007, this book delivers insights in the ongoing Barcelona process and the European Neighborhood Policy as well as the expectations from both sides of the Mediterranean Sea.

In English and French

**Description:** The Arabic and French translation will continue the global success story of the *Encyclopedia of the Social Market Economy* in the Arab World.

In Arabic or French


**Description:** This book gives deeper insights in the on-going changes of the Media landscape in the Mediterranean area.

In French or Arabic


**Description:** This book deals with the modern media and its role in the processes of recent and coming reforms in the region.

In Arabic


**Description:** This book covers reform concepts, mechanisms and experiences especially what is known as “Political Islam” in the region.

In Arabic or English


**Description:** In this book you find several perspectives on the Gaza Disengagement plan and its short and long term impact on the regional relations.

In English


**Description:** At the end of a long way of sad days, Lebanon is at a crossroads, deciding about the future of the country. This publication analyzes the need for economic reform and presents alternative ways.

In Arabic or French

Description: This publication concentrates on the perspectives for an “Izdihar-Scenario”, as outlined in the Arab Human Development Report 2004.

In Arabic


Description: The book contributes to the discussion about the role and the understanding of political parties in the Arab world.

In Arabic


Description: This publication deals with the economic relations between Palestine and the EU and the legal transformation.

In English


Description: These conference proceedings concentrate on the challenges for education and progress Islam and Christianity are facing.

In Arabic or French


Description: This study aims at discovering the social problems of the Jordanian society, and it discusses the citizens’ attitudes towards the phenomenon of street children.

In Arabic


Description: This book is a practical guide to increase the awareness about human rights among students.

In Arabic; on CD or as a folder

**Description:** This publication presents recent social statistics about Palestinian refugees in Lebanon.

In **English**


**Description:** The book covers the use of the modern information and communication technologies and the effects on societies.

In **Arabic and French**


**Description:** The authors approach the risk capital in a comparative perspective to reveal the chances for the Tunisian economy.

In **French**


**Description:** This book gives an overview of the different religious and legal sources of the family laws in the Arab world.

In **Arabic or French**


**Description:** Jordanian Youth facing Reform and Development - this topic is relevant for the Kingdom, because 75% of Jordanians are under 30 years.

In **Arabic and English**


**Description:** This is a reference book, with compact presentations of political parties in the region, including Islamic parties.

In **Arabic or English**

Description: The authors present the results of a survey about women and their perspectives in the Jordanian society.

In English


Description: This book box delivers broad insights in the history and culture of the countries around the Mediterranean Sea.

In Arabic


Description: This book presents the social market economy as a framework for social protection.

In French and English


Description: This book delivers deeper insights in current Islamic approaches to international laws.

In Arabic or English


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