

Israel in the News



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Editorials, Op. Eds. and Analysis

Publication	Headline	Journalist	Topic
<i>Huffington Post</i>	<u>Israel Is Being Singled Out – For Favouritism</u> The country has been given preferential treatment for years by Western governments, immune to criticism.	MIRANDA GALLO	Attitudes toward Israel in the West
<i>Huffington Post</i>	<u>Netanyahu Is Meeting Trump To Push For War With Iran</u> Let's be clear.	TRITA PARSI	US-Israel relations, Iran
<i>Newsweek</i>	<u>How Israel Must Battle Hezbollah's Perception Campaign</u> The mind has become the battlefield of the 21st century.	GABI SIBONI AND HANNES PICHLER	Hezbollah
<i>The Hill</i>	<u>U.S.-Israel alliance key to prevent spreading Iranian influence</u>	REP. MICHAEL MCCAUL (R-TEXAS)	US-Israel relations, Iran

The Americas

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<i>The New York Times</i>	<u>Trump at U.N. Talks Up, but Does Not Press, Mideast Peace</u>	MARK LANDLER	US-Israel relations, peace process
<i>New York Daily News</i>	<u>Suspicious package found at Israeli Consulate in Manhattan for the second time this week</u>	LAURA DIMON	Attitudes toward Israel in the US, crime

<i>New York Post</i>	<u>Trump thinks there's a 'chance' for peace in the Middle East</u>	MARK MOORE	US-Israel relations, peace process
<i>The Washington Post</i>	<p><u>Trump to lay out vision of U.S. role in the world, focusing on 'outcomes, not ideology'</u></p> <p>"... Trump's first meeting with a world leader here was with Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu, a choice meant to underscore the U.S. commitment to Israel and displeasure at what U.S. officials see as systemic anti-Israel bias at the United Nations.</p> <p>It was also a nod to the open question of U.S. participation in the U.N.-backed nuclear deal with Iran — one of the most pressing issues hanging over the session this year. Netanyahu, who will also address the gathering Tuesday, opposes the international deal and lobbied hard against it during the Obama administration.</p> <p>'When we look at the agreement, we have reservations,' Israel's U.N. ambassador, Danny Danon, said in an interview. 'We should not be the one who will tell our allies what to do and how to do, but we have some hand-on experience' ..."</p>	DAVID NAKAMURA AND ANNE GEARAN	US-Israel relations, Iran
<i>Los Angeles Times</i>	<u>More kind words for Netanyahu</u>	LAURA KING	US-Israel relations
<i>Los Angeles Times</i>	<u>Netanyahu would like to pull back the Iran nuclear agreement. But will he get what he wants?</u>	NOGA TARNOPOLSKY	US-Israel relations, peace process, Iranian nuclear deal
<i>Politico</i>	<u>Trump sees 'good chance' of striking Mideast peace deal</u>	LOUIS NELSON	US-Israel relations, peace process
<i>The Hill</i>	<u>US opens first permanent military base in Israel</u>	ELLEN MITCHELL	US-Israel relations
<i>The Hill</i>	<u>Trump, Netanyahu talk Middle East peace at UN meeting</u>	JONATHAN EASLEY	US-Israel relations, peace process
<i>CBN</i>	<u>US Pilot Who Helped Create Israel's Air Force Dies at 94</u>	TZIPPE BARROW	Mitchell Flint
<i>CBS News</i>	<u>During meeting with Netanyahu, Trump says there's a "good chance" for Middle East peace</u>	REBECCA SHABAD	US-Israel relations, peace process
<i>Defense News</i>	<u>US breaks ground for new permanent base in Israel</u>	ARBARA OPALL-ROME	US-Israel relations
<i>The Atlantic</i>	<p><u>The Hubris of Hezbollah</u></p> <p>How the militant group will fumble into the next Middle Eastern war.</p>	ANDREW EXUM	Hezbollah

<i>Newsweek</i>	Iran Threatens to Destroy Tel Aviv; Arab Rivals Differ Major General Abdolrahim Mousavi, head of Iran's army, said there would be no Israel in 25 years. His Arab rivals in the Persian Gulf appear to differ.	TOM O'CONNOR	Iran, Arab-Israel relations
<i>Toronto Sun</i>	Teacher who spewed anti-Israel rhetoric back in classroom	SUE-ANN LEVY	Attitudes toward Israel in Canada

Europe and Australia

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<i>International Business Times</i> (UK edition)	Iran's military chief threatens to turn Israel to 'dust' Remarks come as Israeli PM and world leaders gather to discuss the Iran nuclear deal at the UN assembly.	LUDOVICA IACCINO	Iran
<i>Pink News</i>	Israeli government will update same-sex adoption laws	STEPH KYRIACOU	LGBTQ
<i>Daily Mail</i>	Trump says he's giving Middle East peace talks 'an absolute go' during meeting with Israel's Netanyahu 'I think there's a good chance that it could happen' Trump sat down for a bilateral meeting with Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu in New York on Monday afternoon on the sidelines of the UN. At the top of their talk Trump brought up peace talks between Israel and Palestine and said he's 'giving it an absolute go'. Netanyahu affirmed that they would discuss 'the way we can seize the opportunity for peace'. Trump will meet with Palestine's leader Mahmoud Abbas later in the week	FRANCESCA CHAMBERS	US-Israel relations, peace process
<i>Daily Express</i>	Iran nuclear deal teeters on brink: Europe, USA and Israel clash over 'worst deal ever' THE 2015 nuclear deal between Iran and world powers faces a stern test at the United Nations this week as Europeans try to persuade a skeptical Trump administration to keep it, while Israel lobbies to turn up the pressure on its regional rival.	N/A	US-Israel relations, Iran
<i>London Evening Standard</i>	Oslo, theatre review: Scrupulously researched political thriller has tense urgency This absorbing reconstruction of the process leading up to the 1993 Oslo Accords is an important reminder of our shared humanity	HENRY HITCHINGS	The arts
<i>The Daily Telegraph</i>	A case of watch, learn, marvel - Oslo, National Theatre, review 	DOMINIC CAVENDISH	The arts

<i>Deutsche Welle</i>	'Palestinians want reconciliation' between Fatah and Hamas Hamas has made an offer to its Palestinian rival, Fatah, agreeing to hold elections in the Gaza Strip. The head of the Heinrich Böll Foundation in Ramallah, Bettina Marx, sees this as a striking and positive development.	N/A	Palestinian politics
<i>TASS</i>	Moscow hails Egypt's efforts to promote reestablishment of Palestinian unity A Russian diplomat and Egypt's Ambassador to Russia held talks on September 18	N/A	Egypt, Russia, Palestinian politics
<i>TASS</i>	Russian, Israeli diplomats discuss situation in Ukraine The two diplomats have also discussed the Russian-Israeli relations	N/A	Russia-Israel relations, Ukraine
<i>Cyprus Mail</i>	Paphos families host Israeli students in exchange visit	BEJAY BROWNE	Cyprus-Israel relations
<i>Hurriyet</i>	Turkish cycling prospect Ahmet Örken joins Israeli team with eyes on Giro	N/A	Sports
<i>Anadolu Agency</i>	Israel detains 2 Palestinian fishermen off Gaza coast Some 230 Gazan fishermen have been detained by Israel since 2014, according to local fishermen's union	MOHAMED MAJED	Gaza

Wire Services

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<i>AFP</i>	Hamis militant dies in Gaza tunnel incident	N/A	Gaza, Hamas
<i>AFP</i>	Trump touts peace hopes at Netanyahu meeting	N/A	US-Israel relations, peace process
<i>AFP</i>	Poland's leader condemns anti-Semitism, praises Israel	N/A	Poland-Israel relations
<i>AFP</i>	Israel gets first joint US military base	N/A	US-Israel relations
<i>AFP</i>	Giro d'Italia unveils challenging Israel start for 2018	MIKE SMITH	Sports

<i>AP</i>	Polish party leader denounces anti-Semitism, praises Israel	MONIKA SCISLOWSKA	Poland-Israel relations
<i>AP</i>	Israel and US open first American military base in Israel	YANIV ZOHAR	US-Israel relations
<i>AP</i>	Giro start in Israel to go from Jerusalem to Red Sea	ARON HELLER	Sports
<i>Reuters</i>	<p>France defends Iran nuclear deal, which Trump calls deeply flawed</p> <p>"...Asked if he planned to stick with the pact, Trump earlier told reporters as he began a meeting with Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu on Monday: 'You'll be seeing very soon.' Israeli officials have said changes Israel wants in the JCPOA include lengthening the 10-year freeze on Iran's nuclear development program or even making that suspension permanent and destroying centrifuges rather than just halting their operation..."</p>	JEFF MASON AND JOHN IRISH	Iranian nuclear deal
<i>Reuters</i>	Trump says giving Mideast peace 'an absolute go'	STEVE HOLLAND	US-Israel relations, peace process
<i>Xinhua</i>	Member of Hamas Al-Qassam Brigades killed in Gaza tunnel	N/A	Gaza, Hamas
<i>Xinhua</i>	U.S. launches its first military base in Israel to curb Iran	N/A	US-Israel relations, Iran
<i>Xinhua</i>	U.S., Israeli leaders meet on Syria, Iran, Palestine	N/A	US-Israel relations, peace process, Syria
<i>Xinhua</i>	Iran says Israel behind Iraqi Kurds independence vote	N/A	Kurdish-Israel relations
<i>Xinhua</i>	AL chief welcomes Hamas-Fatah reconciliation	N/A	Palestinian politics
<i>Xinhua</i>	Netanyahu to persuade Trump to cancel nuclear deal in UN meeting	N/A	US-Israel relations, Iran
<i>Xinhua</i>	Arab Parliament hails Hamas bid to heal rift for reconciliation	N/A	Palestinian politics

Asia and Africa

General Articles

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<i>The Japan Times</i>	<u>Abe, Netanyahu meet at sidelines of U.N., agree to coordinate on North Korea sanctions</u>	KYODO NEWS SERVICE	Japan-Israel relations

Middle East

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<i>Al Jazeera</i>	<u>Drowning in the waste of Israeli settlers</u> Some 19 million cubic metres of wastewater from Israeli settlements flows through the occupied West Bank each year.	JACLYNN ASHLY	West Bank, environment
<i>Asharq Alawsat</i>	<u>Hamas Urges Palestinian Authority to Assume Gaza Duties without Delay</u>	KIFAH ZIBOUN	Palestinian politics
<i>Daily News</i> (Egypt)	<u>International, regional relief after Hamas dissolves its 'shadow government' in Gaza</u> After Egyptian efforts, the movement will allow the reconciliation government to carry out its duties in Gaza	MOHAMMED EL-SAID	Palestinian politics
<i>Gulf News</i>	<u>Fatwa against Muslims studying Israeli curriculum</u> Shaikh Sabri: Israel works to erase Palestinian and Muslim identity from the holy city	NASOUH NAZZAL	Jerusalem, education

The World Jewish Press

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<i>Tablet</i>	<p><u>The Settler Nakba and the Rise of Post-Modern Post-Zionist Religious Ideology on the West Bank</u></p> <p>To better understand the settler movement today, look to new thinkers like Rav Shagar, not the foundational minds of Ravs Kook, Amital, and Lichtenstein</p>	SHAUL MAGID	Settlements, Zionism
<i>Forward</i> (NYC)	<p><u>A Major Jewish Philanthropist Just Published A Plan To Ethnically Cleanse Palestinians</u></p>	J.J. GOLDBERG	National Union-Tekuma

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<i>JTA</i>	<p><u>Netanyahu praises Trump's defense of Israel as UN General Assembly convenes</u></p>	RON KAMPEAS	US-Israel relations, peace process
<i>JTA</i>	<p><u>Israel gears up to host prestigious Italian cycling race</u></p>	ANDREW TOBIN	Sports
<i>JTA</i>	<p><u>Worried about Jewish pluralism in Israel? So are Israelis.</u></p>	ANDREW TOBIN	Religion-and-state
<i>JNS</i>	<p><u>IDF: Israel prepared to 'neutralize' Hezbollah with 'overwhelming' force in next war</u></p>	ADAM ABRAMS	IDF, Hezbollah
<i>Forward</i> (NYC)	<p><u>Netanyahu: McMaster 'Not Hostile' To Israel</u></p>	NATHAN GUTTMAN	US-Israel relations
<i>Forward</i> (NYC)	<p><u>Trump And Netanyahu Strain To Avoid Even Mentioning 'Two-State Solution'</u></p>	NATHAN GUTTMAN	US-Israel relations, peace process
<i>Forward</i> (NYC)	<p><u>Netanyahu Says He Chose 'Practical Path' On Western Wall Prayer</u></p>	NATHAN GUTTMAN	Diaspora-Israel relations
<i>Forward</i> (NYC)	<p><u>Netanyahu Meets With Jewish Leaders — Snubs Critics</u></p>	NATHAN GUTTMAN	Diaspora-Israel relations

<i>Jewish News</i> (UK)	<p><u>Jeremy Corbyn set to back new measures tackling anti-Semitism in Labour</u></p> <p>Party leader and left-wing group momentum will reportedly support a motion put forward by the Jewish Labour Movement</p>	N/A	Israel in UK politics
<i>The Jewish Chronicle</i> (UK)	<p><u>Corbyn in 'positive discussions' over new tough line on antisemitism</u></p> <p>Jewish Labour Movement motion calls on Labour to get tough on members who express antisemitic, homophobic or Islamophobic views</p>	LEE HARPIN	Israel in UK politics

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