

Israel in the News



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Editorials, Op. Eds. and Analysis

Publication	Headline	Journalist	Topic
<i>New York Post</i>	<u>Meet the terrorist behind the next women's march</u>	KYLE SMITH	Rasmea Yousef Odeh
<i>Huffington Post</i>	<u>The Ultimate Deal: U.S. Presidents And The Allure Of Peace In The Middle East</u> While fresh eyes may see new potential paths, the Israeli-Palestinian conflict is not a business deal.	LEE SCHRADER	US-Israel relations, peace process
<i>Huffington Post</i>	<u>Trump And Netanyahu: Embracing Illusions, Ignoring Reality</u> Netanyahu has found in Trump a co-conspirator.	ALON BEN-MEIR	US-Israel relations, peace process
<i>Huffington Post</i>	<u>The Shrinking 'Gray Zone': Israel Cynically Benefits From Anti-semitic Attacks Abroad</u>	MILTON MANKOFF	Anti-Semitism
<i>The University Times</i> (Ireland)	<u>Protest Against Israeli Ambassador has Focused Attention on Free Speech, Rather than Human Rights</u> Taking such pronounced measures has meant Students for Justice in Palestine lost control of the discussion, making it harder to promote their aims.	EDITORIAL	Attitudes toward Israel in Ireland
<i>The Sydney Morning Herald</i>	<u>An Israeli-Palestinian peace requires the right sort of pressure</u>	COLIN RUBENSTEIN AND JAMIE HYAMS	Peace process
<i>The Sydney Morning Herald</i>	<u>Labor's position on Israel is more fraught than it thinks</u>	AMANDA VANSTONE	Israel in Australian politics
<i>The Courier Mail</i> (Brisbane, Australia)	<u>Palestine's hatred of Israel makes the two-state solution for the West Bank a myth</u>	ROWAN DEAN	Peace process

The Americas

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<i>The Washington Post</i>	<p><u>Palestinian Christian from Bethlehem wins wildly popular 'Arab Idol' song contest</u></p> <p>Thousands gathered in Bethlehem's Manger Square late Saturday to watch one of their own win the "Arab Idol" song contest.</p>	WILLIAM BOOTH	Palestinian society
<i>Politico</i>	<p><u>Jewish Republicans torn over Trump</u></p> <p>As Sheldon Adelson hosts big Jewish donors, the White House works hard behind the scenes to win over the small but influential group.</p>	ALEX ISENSTADT	Israel in US politics
<i>Vox</i>	<p><u>An Arab member of Israel's parliament argues Trump is wrong about the two-state solution</u></p> <p>Ayman Odeh believes a shared future is not only still possible, it is the only option</p>	SARAH WILDMAN	Israeli Arabs, peace process
<i>Defense News</i>	<p><u>Interview: IDF Maj. Gen. Yoel Strik, on transition to the northern theater</u></p>	BARBARA OPALL-ROME	IDF

Europe and Australia

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<i>Daily Mail</i>	<p><u>Mike Pence tweets Nicaraguan flag while expressing support for Israel during Republican Jewish Coalition conference</u></p> <p>Mike Pence tweeted the Nicaraguan flag while expressing support for Israel. The tweets were posted by a staffer to @VP, the Vice President twitter account. They were sent live as Pence spoke at the Republican Jewish Coalition meeting</p>	ANNA HOPKINS	<p>D'OH!</p> 
<i>Daily Mail</i>	<p><u>'Illegal immigrant,' 69, who killed two young men by blowing up a supermarket and bombed a British consulate wants to organize the 'next women's march' in a day of 'anti-capitalist feminism' across the US</u></p> <p>Rasmea Yousef Odeh is one of 8 calling for a US-wide female strike on March 8. Odeh was convicted in 1970 of planting four bombs in Israel; two detonated. One killed two men, 21 and 22, in a shop; another damaged the British Consulate. The Palestinian woman served 10 years before being released in a prisoner swap. In 1995 she arrived in the US, and did not admit to having been convicted before. Nine years on she applied for US citizenship; again she didn't mention conviction. In 2013 she was put on trial for immigration fraud in Detroit, Michigan. She claimed she didn't know she had to admit to international convictions too. She was found guilty in 2015 but after an appeal she is being tried again</p>	DAILYMAIL.COM REPORTER	Rasmea Yousef Odeh

<i>Daily Mail</i>	Israel urges Amazon to stop selling books that deny the Holocaust or promote anti-Semitism Yad Vashem, Israel's official Holocaust memorial, has reached out to Amazon. They ask that the global giant stop selling literature that denies the Holocaust. The center's director of libraries penned a letter to Amazon's CEO. He has previously contacted Amazon about the issue to no avail	ANNA HOPKINS	Holocaust
<i>Daily Express</i>	Leader of anti-Trump women's march is Palestinian TERRORIST who BOMBED British consulate ONE of the organisers behind the next women's march against President Donald Trump has been revealed as a Palestinian terrorist who took part in two deadly bombings in Israel.	VICKIE OLIPHANT	Rasmea Yousef Odeh
<i>Sputnik</i>	Reaffirms Offer to Host Future Israeli-Palestinian Talks - House Speaker Russia is still ready to host talks on Israeli-Palestinian settlement, Russian Upper House Speaker Valentina Matvienko said Monday.	N/A	Russia, peace process
<i>Sky News Australia</i>	Netanyahu wraps up Australia visit	AAP	Australia-Israel relations

Wire Services

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<i>AP</i>	Israeli hospitals demand funds to continue treating Syrians	N/A	Health, Syrians
<i>AP</i>	UN suspends Gaza staffer amid allegations of Hamas ties	N/A	Gaza, UN, Hamas
<i>AP</i>	Palestinians celebrate Bethlehem singer crowned Arab Idol	N/A	Palestinian society
<i>AP</i>	Poll: Israelis believe Gaza policies hurting security	N/A	Gaza
<i>Reuters</i>	'Arab Idol' talent show win sends Palestinians into raptures	NIDAL MUGHRABI	Palestinian society
<i>Xinhua</i>	Israelis believe Gaza policies worsen security	N/A	Gaza
<i>Xinhua</i>	Israel says Hamas has 15 cross-border "terror" tunnels	N/A	Hamas, Gaza

<i>Xinhua</i>	PNA may hold municipal elections only in West Bank: PM	N/A	Palestinian politics
<i>Xinhua</i>	 Hamas rejects Netanvahu's proposal to send international forces to Gaza	N/A	Hamas, Gaza, processs

Middle East

General Articles

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<i>Al Jazeera</i>	Israel's hateful posts target Palestinian politicians Tens of thousands of cases of online incitement via Israeli social media were documented last year.	NIGEL WILSON	Israeli Arab MKs
<i>Gulf News</i>	We will never recognise Israel as Jewish state, says Fatah deputy Fatah remains committed to a two-state solution despite Israeli colonial activity which makes it impossible	MOHAMMED NAJIB	Peace process

The World Jewish Press

General Articles

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<i>JTA</i>	J Street, JCPA launch conferences grappling with Jewish advocacy under Trump	RON KAMPEAS	Israel in US politics
<i>JTA</i>	At Las Vegas confab, Republican Jews gingerly find reasons to celebrate Trump's presidency	RON KAMPEAS	Israel in US politics
<i>JNS</i>	Female Israeli lone soldiers may finally get their home away from home	LORI LOWENTHAL MARCUS	IDF, aliyah
<i>Forward</i> (NYC)	J Street President On Trump Administration: 'We're Here If They're Partners To Work With'	SUSIE DAVIDSON	Israel in US politics

<i>The Australian Jewish News</i>	Palestinian flag causes stir	PETER KOHN	Attitudes toward Israel in Australia

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