

# Energy, Security and the Middle East

*A Conference in Memory of Charles Issawi*  
April 21, 2006

## ***Meeting Room 202 Jones Hall***

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| 8:30am – 8:45am   | Preliminaries   |
| 8:45am – 9:45am   | State of the global energy supply<br><b>Mark Schwartz</b>   |
| 9:45am – 11:00am  | The Middle East and US National Interest<br><b>John Mearsheimer, Martin Kramer</b> –<br>primary discussants |
| 11:00am – 12:00am | The costs of US engagement in the Middle East<br><b>Steven Kosiak</b>                                       |
| 12:00 am -2:00pm  | <b>LUNCH</b><br>Prospect House Room E   |
| 2:00pm – 3:00pm   | Economics of energy supply and energy policy<br><b>James Hamilton</b>                                       |
| 3:00pm – 4:00pm   | Science and technology of alternative energy sources<br><b>Robert Socolow</b>                               |
| 4:00pm – 5:00pm   | Strategic and political landscape of the Middle East<br><b>Gregory Gause III</b>                            |
| 5:00pm – 5:45pm   | Domestic sources of US Middle East policy<br><b>John Mearsheimer, Martin Kramer,<br/>Michael E. Canes</b>   |
| 6:15 pm           | <b>DINNER</b> , Remarks by <b>Bernard Lewis</b><br>Prospect House<br>(Presidential Dining Room)             |