



## “PALESTINE IS BUT A SMALL PART OF THE GREAT ARAB FATHERLAND”: BRITISH INTELLIGENCE, IBN SA’UD, AND THE 1939 WHITE PAPER ON PALESTINE

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SB-407 – Samuel Bronfman Building  
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Free Lunch  
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The White Paper had an impact on Saudi Arabia, other Arab countries, Palestinians, and new Jewish immigrants who wished to settle in Palestine. Dr. Wagner will discuss the newly discovered declassified intelligence which give a new perspective to the above mentioned places and people, including the founding king of Saudi Arabia, ‘Abd al-‘Aziz Ibn Sa’ud.

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