

2013 Mideast media mangles

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Arab wrongdoing is downplayed or omitted entirely. In some instances, the English account is completely at odds with the original Hebrew. Among dozens of corrections issued by *Ha'aretz* at CAMERA's prompting in recent years, many have involved errors in translations.

5. Two Major International Newspapers Feature Anti-Israel Cartoons Using Blood Libel Imagery

January 27 was International Holocaust Remembrance Day. That same day, *The Sunday Times of London* published an editorial cartoon showing a hook-nosed Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu building a wall on the bodies of Palestinians and using their blood as mortar. On July 2, alongside a favorable review of two books that are highly critical of Israel, the German newspaper *Süddeutsche Zeitung* ran a cartoon depicting Israel as a voracious Moloch, the deity to whom ancient Canaanites sacrificed children. After powerful letter writing campaigns, both newspapers apologized.

6. UK Media Characterize Terrorists and Killers Released by Israel as "Political Prisoners"

The Israeli government is in the process of releasing 104 convicted terrorists as a gesture to the Palestinian Authority to facilitate

negotiations. British media such as *The Guardian* and *The Independent* have misrepresented the killers as "political prisoners." Though both of those outlets eventually corrected the characterization, there has been a widespread neglect by all media of the crimes committed by the released convicts and the details of the lives of their many victims.

7. PBS Doubles Down on Anti-Israel Films

Of the fifteen films broadcast in the 2013 season of the documentary series POV, two of them, more than 13 per cent, were anti-Israel. PBS aired "The Law in these Parts" August 19 and "5 Broken Cameras" on August 26. Among the thousands of documentaries released in recent years on all subjects — medical advances, pollution, political corruption, architecture, famous crimes, literature, internet dating, the life of Elvis — why did PBS select two in one season that are misleading and anti-Israel? And air them in successive weeks?

8. C-SPAN Provides Ongoing Platform for Obsessive Anti-Israel, Often Anti-Semitic Callers

Since November 2008, CAMERA's C-SPAN Watch has documented hundreds of on-air anti-Jewish, anti-Israel calls to *Washington Journal*, C-SPAN's daily 7-10 a.m. (Eastern) public affairs call-in show. Potentially reaching millions of viewers, these hateful

rants typically have been facilitated by hosts who fail to repudiate the numerous slanderous falsifications and distortions.

9. BBC's Inaccurate Report Used to Promote Hate

During Operation Pillar of Defense, the BBC, flouting its own editorial guidelines on accuracy and impartiality, falsely reported that the young son of one of their staffers was killed by an Israeli airstrike. Though it was later determined that the death was likely the result of a misfired Palestinian rocket, subsequent corrections received far less attention.

Promoted as part of a preconceived narrative depicting Israelis as "baby killers," an image of Jihad Masharawi holding his son's body became entrenched in the minds of many as a depiction of Israeli wrong-doing. The image has since been used in several anti-Israel protests and continues to foment hatred against Israel. Months later, the flawed

account of Omar Masharawi's death was still featured prominently in the Magazine section of the BBC website.

10. Prominent Newspapers From Coast to Coast Publish U Penn Professor Ian Lustick's Calls for the Demise of Israel

In *The Los Angeles Times* in March and again in *The New York Times* in September, Ian Lustick depicts Israel as a pariah state, glosses over the sins of its adversaries, and goes so far as to call for the dissolution of the Jewish state. While he apparently suffers from the delusion that Jewish self-criticism and Israeli concessions can bring a unilateral end to the Arab-Israeli conflict, the outrage here is the fact that influential newspapers believe it is reasonable to debate the idea of eliminating Israel, a democratic country and the world's only Jewish state.

Can we expect 2014 to be a better year for Israel and media coverage? While CAMERA is gratified at the many instances of responsible action by members of the media, it's also obvious there will be numerous challenges!

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Israel to spend more than \$1 billion on Diaspora Jews

(JTA) — The Israeli government plans to invest more than \$1 billion over the next 20 years to strengthen the Jewish identity of Diaspora Jews.

The Jerusalem Post reported that the initiative, to be developed and implemented jointly with overseas Jewish communities, was first announced in November, but government officials did not share dollar amounts or other details at the time.

The initiative is aimed at Jews between the ages of 12 and 35, and will include programming in seven content areas: immersive experiences; follow-up; Israel and peoplehood education in formal institutions and informal settings; serving "the global good"; Jewish life and Israel engagement on campuses; and the immigration of young professionals.

Final recommendations by the committees, composed of Israeli and Diaspora members, are to be ready by late February, and the budget framework is expected to be brought to the government for approval in a few months, *The Jerusalem Post* reported.

Among the ideas being considered are a world Jewish peace corps; Hebrew-language courses in public schools in cities with large Jewish populations; the expansion of Birthright-like programs to younger age groups; and increasing financial support for Jewish summer camps.

Women's organizational activity

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community service and philanthropic activity within a decade of its organization. In 1938, the Jewish Liberal Arts Club began a Scholarship Fund to help students complete their college education at the University of Buffalo and elsewhere. The club's central purpose, however, was to organize lectures and discussions on cultural and civic subjects, enable dramatic presentations and reviews of current books. It also began an annual fundraising concert that became a cultural highlight in the community. This organization, like many of the others featured in this article demonstrated the variety and breadth of women's organizations and contributions to Jewish Buffalo and Niagara Falls.

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