



# CENTER FOR JUDAIC & MIDDLE EASTERN STUDIES

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Tuesday, October 28, 2014 • 7:00-9:30PM • GenRe Auditorium, UConn-Stamford

### *THE DANGEROUS NEIGHBORHOOD OF THE MIDDLE EAST*

7:00 PM

Introduction:

**DR. NEHAMA ASCHKENASY**



7:10 — 8:00 PM

KEYNOTE ADDRESS:

**DR. BRUCE HOFFMAN**

*A Time of Terror:*

*The Middle East and the Future of Terrorism*

8:00 — 8:50 PM

**DR. MICHAEL RUBIN**

*Dancing with the Devil:*

*Why Diplomacy Will Never Resolve Middle Eastern Threats*



8:50 — 9:30 PM

RESPONDENT and Q&A MODERATOR:

**DR. JEREMY PRESSMAN**

*Director of Middle East Studies & Professor of Political Science, UConn*

*Repercussions for Israel*

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