1. August 19 Introduction

2. August 26 Britain and the Ottoman Empire in 1914
   Read: Fromkin: Part I

3. September 2 Prewar Arab Nationalism
   Read: Antonius: Chapters 5-6
         Khalidi et al.: Part I

4. September 9 Entente War Aims in the Middle East
   Read: Fromkin: Parts II and III
         Kedouri: Chapter 2

5. September 16 The Arab Awakening
   Read: Fromkin: Part IV
         Antonius: Chapters 7-9

6. September 23 Prewar Zionism
   Read: Stein: Chapter 3
         Cohen: Chapter 5

7. September 30 Zionists v. Assimilationists
   Read: Fromkin: Part V
         Stein: Chapter 10
         Cohen: Chapters 6-7
         Levene: Part II

8. October 7 The Arab Revolt, 1916-17
   Read: Antonius: Chapters 10-11

9. October 14 No Class
10. October 21  The Balfour Declaration
Read:
  Stein: Chapter 30-31, 34-37
  Fromkin: Part VI

11. October 28  A Separate Peace with the Ottomans?
Read:
  Schneer: Chapters 17-21, 25

12. November 4  Arab Victory?
Read:
  Fromkin: Part VII
  Antonius: Chapter 12-13

13. November 11  Postwar Arrangements
Read:
  Fromkin: Parts VIII and IX
  Antonius: Chapter 14

14. November 18  Aftermath
Read:
  Fromkin: Parts X, XI and XII
  Antonius: Chapters 15-16

15. November 25  Thanksgiving Holiday

16. December 2  Papers Due

Students must purchase one text:

Students must read the photo-copied pages I have made available. They are taken from:


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