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## Upcoming Events at Carnegie Council

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### Upcoming Events at Carnegie Council for Ethics in International Affairs

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Dear Peter,

We hope you'll join us for these events, whether in person or online. RSVP is requested. To register to attend, please click on the event that interests you, or call [212-838-4120](tel:212-838-4120). Most events are streamed as live webcasts [here](#). You can also access free [podcasts](#) and [multimedia resources](#) (audios, transcripts, video clips), which are available soon after events take place. Watch full event videos [here](#).

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Students with ID free of charge, Eventbrite **promo code student15**.



#### Beyond Silicon Valley: A Conversation with Elmira Bayrasli on Innovation in Unlikely Places

**Thursday, November 5, 2015, 6:00 PM to 7:30 PM**

Elmira Bayrasli will discuss her new book, *From the Other Side of the World: Extraordinary Entrepreneurs, Unlikely Places*, in conversation with social entrepreneur Hazami Barmada. The book looks at the growth of innovation beyond Silicon Valley, focusing on talented individuals around the world who have overcome insurmountable obstacles to lead high-growth businesses. (Ethics Matter Series)

Elmira Bayrasli is a visiting fellow at the New America Foundation and a lecturer at New York University.

*This event is co-sponsored by the [Bard Globalization and International Affairs Program](#).*



#### The Global Refugee Crisis

**Monday, November 9, 2015, 8:00 AM to 9:15 AM**

Hundreds of thousands of people are fleeing civil war and unrest to find new homes in Europe—sometimes with tragic consequences. Join Professors Tomáš Halík and Ian Buruma as they discuss the repercussions and longlasting effects of this extensive displacement of more people than at any time since World War II. (Public Affairs Program)

Tomáš Halík is a Czech scholar and philosopher who risked imprisonment for illegally advancing religious and cultural freedoms after the Soviet invasion of his country, and has since become a leading international advocate for dialogue among different faiths and non-believers. He is the author of 17 best-selling books and the winner of the 2014 Templeton Prize for his work affirming the spiritual dimension of life.

Ian Buruma is an award-winning journalist and writer. He is currently Henry R. Luce Professor of Democracy, Human Rights, and Journalism at Bard College.



### Addressing Root Causes of Unrest in Arab Countries

**Tuesday, November 10, 2015, 6:00 PM to 7:30 PM**

Following the 9/11 attacks, Ronald Bruder, real estate developer and entrepreneur, established the Education for Employment Foundation, designed to provide training in vocational schools with various foci in Arab countries in the greater Middle East. Set up with in-country leadership, these schools are dedicated to providing employment opportunities for young people. (U.S. Global

Engagement Program)



### Pacific

**Monday, November 16, 2015, 8:00 AM to 9:15 AM**

As the Mediterranean shaped the classical world, and the Atlantic connected Europe to the New World, the Pacific Ocean defines our tomorrow. From the Bering Strait to Cape Horn, the Yangtze River to the Panama Canal, what is our relationship with this imposing force of nature? What is its role in this century's geopolitical discussions? (Public Affairs Program)

Simon Winchester is a best-selling author, journalist, and broadcaster. In 2006, he was awarded an OBE (Officer of the British Empire) by Queen Elizabeth.



### A View from the Middle East: How Can We End this Cycle of Violence?

**Wednesday, November 18, 2015, 6:00 PM to 7:30 PM**

With ongoing conflicts in Syria, Iraq, and Yemen, and dwindling hope for the peace process in Israel and Palestine, it is hard to remain hopeful about a peaceful future for the Middle East. Are there new ideas to end the cycle of violence? What can the West do? (Public Affairs Program)

Rami Khouri is a journalist and director of the Issam Fares Institute for Public Policy and International Affairs at the American University of Beirut. He is also a nonresident senior research fellow at the Harvard Kennedy School.

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