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Bibliography on Islamist Narratives and Western Counter-Narratives (Part 1)

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Abstract

This bibliography contains journal articles, book chapters, books, edited volumes, theses, grey literature, bibliographies and other resources on narratives employed by terrorists and their opponents. It mainly focuses on Islamist terrorism. While more recent publications have been prioritised during the selection process, the bibliography is not restricted to a particular time period and covers publications up to mid-July, 2014. The literature has been retrieved by manually browsing more than 200 core and periphery sources in the field of Terrorism Studies. Additionally, full-text and reference retrieval systems have been employed to expand the search.

Keywords: bibliography, resources, literature, narratives, counter-narratives, alternative narratives, Islamists, Jihadists

NB: All websites were last visited on 21 July, 2014. –See also Note for the Reader at the end of this literature list.

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