



Speaker Series

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Date:

December 6, 2020

Time:

12:00 PM Pacific

10:00 PM Beirut

Place: Zoom

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PROFILE

Mr. Assaad Bechara graduated from the Faculty of Information at the Lebanese University in 1993. He began his journalism career at the Central News Agency and then Al-Diyar newspaper from 1993 until 2010. He later on moved to Al-Jumhuriya newspaper where he worked for 10 years until 2020. He is the official political and media advisor to Major General Ashraf Rifi since 2013 until today.

Bechara is a notable writer and political analyst in Lebanese, Arab, and international affairs. He was a participant in the independence revolution after the assassination of Prime Minister Rafik Hariri and played a key role in the October 17 revolution. He is also the Founder of "Media People for Freedom" initiative dedicated to being a neutral and honest voice for fact based news.

Q/A

Please prepare your questions in advance and send them to rania@ournewlebanon.org no later than Saturday, November 28th at 10 pm.

ZOOM ETIQUETTE

- Best Practices for a successful Zoom meeting
- Mute yourself when you're not talking- If not, you will be muted to avoid noise interference
- Use the chat to ask questions
- Use the reaction button to raise your hand
- Ask questions, don't make statements and be brief

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