

# Saudi Arabia and Speed Bumps On the Road to Normalization

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**The normalization of ties** between Morocco – the fourth Arab state to do so – and Israel has led many to conclude that surely Saudi Arabia will be the next, or if not, then the next after Oman. Such a prospect is not quite that simple. The latest report on Saudi Arabia and rapprochement with Israel is here: “The Saudi dilemma,” by Shahar Klaiman, [Jihad Watch](#).