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## War vs. Diplomacy: Uncovering the Real Debate in Washington

Join us for a live streamed presentation by Phyllis Bennis Director, New Internationalism Project,

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Discussion Leaders: Stan Taylor, Director, LCC Peace Center and Jane Cramer, Associate Professor, Political Science Dept, U of O

Public outcry stopped U.S. intervention in the Syrian civil war and has so far stopped increased sanctions on Iran. This presentation by Phyllis Bennis will expose how *surprised* Washington is about public opposition to wars and violence. Her presentation will focus on how to get what we want: more diplomacy to solve problems and an end to demonizing negotiations. She will show that instead of rushing to war, we can choose to make diplomacy work

Phyllis Bennis is a Fellow of the Institute for Policy Studies, where she directs the New Internationalism Project, and of the Transnational Institute in Amsterdam. Her interviews and writings have been published around the world, and her books include Understanding the Palestinian-Israeli Conflict: A Primer, Challenging Empire: How People, Governments and the UN Defy US Power, and Before & After: US Foreign Policy and the War on Terror. She is a co-founder of the US Campaign to End the Israeli Occupation and co-chairs the UN-based International Coordinating Network on Palestine. She serves as an informal adviser to several top UN officials on Middle East issues.



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