



The Syrian Refugee Crisis:

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Thursday May 25th, 2017 | 6:00 - 7:30 PM

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745 WASHINGTON STREET, BRAINTREE, MA 02184

Join us for a seminar on the Syrian Refugee Crisis and what countries like Greece are doing on the front lines to give aid to this humanitarian crisis. Through informative speeches from our presenters, followed by a panel style Q&A discussion, we hope attendees become informed about the ongoing struggle for the people of Syria. Following the seminar, please join us for refreshments in the lobby of the CFA, and meet our amazing speakers.

Featured Speakers:



Dr. Elizabeth H. Prodromou

Visiting Associate Professor of Conflict Resolution at the Fletcher School of Diplomacy at Tufts University

Dr. Prodromou will speak on the geo-political context: the state failure and the creation of various refugee crises.



Dr. Panagoula Diamanti-Karanou

Lecturer of Political Science at Northeastern University

Dr. Diamanti-Karanou will speak on the civil society response.



Dr. Vasileia Digidiki

Visiting Scholar at the FXB Center for Health and Human Rights at Harvard University

Dr. Digidiki will speak on her own personal experiences with refugees in Lesbos.



His Eminence Metropolitan Methodios of Boston

The Spiritual Leader and Bishop of the Greek Orthodox Church of New England

His Eminence Metropolitan Methodios will speak on the church's stance on the refugee crisis and how we can respond.



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