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cordially invite you to IFI's second roundtable discussion in the

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with

Mehran Kamrava

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Interim Dean, School of Foreign Service, Georgetown University, Qatar

"Researching the Gulf: Thinking Outside the Box in Qatar"

Wednesday, 10 November 2010 | 5:00 - 7:00 pm | Room 310, West Hall, AUB

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