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# ***Hezbollah: Local, Regional and Global Dimensions***

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Dr. Norton is a member of the Council on Foreign Relations, and he was an advisor to the Iraq Study Group ("Baker-Hamilton Commission") in 2006. Dr. Norton received his Ph.D. from the University of Chicago. He is currently writing a new book about the Sunni-Shi'i rift for publication by Princeton University Press in late 2009.