

WHAT ISRAEL SHOULD DO ABOUT IRAN

Tamir Libel

(Visiting Scholar in the Department of Political Studies at University of Trier
and Non-resident Fellow with the Centre for War Studies at University College
Dublin)

Kamran Bokhari

(Teaches national security and foreign policy courses at the Security & Policy
Institute at the University of Ottawa and is the author of "Political Islam in the Age
of Democratization")

Copyright: <http://www.al-monitor.com/pulse/originals/2015/09/iran-israel-communication.html#ixzz3ngCI9dcX> - Publication on RIEAS web site (www.rieas.gr) on 6 October 2015.

There are two major reasons why Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu should pull back from his hard-line opposition to the Iranian nuclear deal. First, Iran is on a path toward international rehabilitation, whereby the United States and its European allies will increasingly be working with Tehran on regional security in the Middle East. Second, [geosectarianism](#) is reshaping the regional strategic environment to where the bulk of the threat to Israeli security will be from Sunni as opposed to Shiite actors. Read more