

“Fighting Terrorism without terrorizing: A Discussion of Non-military Options for Confronting International Terrorism”

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Abstract

This paper discusses non-military options for confronting international terrorism. It investigates the non-military discourse contained in United Nations and United States policy documents. It then compares the principles in the discourse to the reality of the counter-terrorism policies of the last five years. Finally it looks at what alternative options are being presented in the academic and think-tank literature, to current counter-terrorism practices.