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The Project on Middle East Democracy (POMED) presents
a lunch briefing with:

Jerry Hyman

"Using Foreign Assistance to Support Middle East Democracy"

Friday, June 20, 12:00 - 1:00 pm
U.S. Capitol, Room S-115

The briefing is open to Senate and House staffers. Lunch will be served.

Please RSVP to advocacy@pomed.org

The Project on Middle East Democracy (POMED) is a non-partisan, non-profit 501(c)(3) organization dedicated to re-examining how genuine democracies can develop in the Middle East and how the US can best support that process.

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