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**Gershom Gorenberg**  
**“The Accidental Empire: Israel's  
Settlement Dilemma, Past and Future”**

**Wednesday, February 16, 2011**  
**12:00 noon– 1:00 pm**  
**837 William Pitt Union**



Gershom Gorenberg is the author of *The Accidental Empire: Israel and the Birth of the Settlements, 1967-1977*. Based on previously unpublished documents, *The Accidental Empire* sheds new light on Israel's post-1967 history and Israel-U.S. relations. A senior correspondent for *The American Prospect*, Gorenberg has also written for *The Atlantic Monthly*, *The New York Times Magazine*, *The New York Review of Books*, *Foreign Policy*, *Mother Jones*, *The Jerusalem Report*, *The New Republic*, and in Hebrew for *Ha'aretz*. He lives in Jerusalem and blogs at [SouthJerusalem.com](http://SouthJerusalem.com).

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