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Subject: Georgetown (Qatar) Experts Available: Iran, U.S. Policy & Gulf Response

Hello XXX,

As events in Iran continue to unfold, I wanted to connect you with three experts from Georgetown University in Qatar, part of Qatar Foundation, who can provide immediate, regionally grounded analysis across the key angles shaping this story, from Tehran to Washington to the Gulf.

- **Dr. Mehran Kamrava, Professor of Government** [https://www.qatar.georgetown.edu/faculty/mehran-kamrava/]
    - **Background:** A leading authority on Iranian history and politics, Dr. Kamrava directs the Iranian Studies Unit at the Arab Center for Research and Policy Studies. As an Iranian-American, he combines scholarly depth with cultural fluency and long-view historical insight.
    - **Available to discuss:**
        - Internal dynamics in Iran
        - Potential political scenarios
        - Regime calculations
        - Public sentiment
        - Iran's regional posture
- **Dr. Paul Musgrave, Associate Professor of Government** [https://www.qatar.georgetown.edu/faculty/paul-musgrave/]
    - **Background:** Musgrave is an expert on U.S. foreign policy and international relations, as well as the relationship of global energy markets to domestic and international politics.
    - **Available to discuss:**
        - U.S. strategic options
        - Implications for the Trump administration's regional approach
        - How energy markets may factor into Washington's decision-making
- **Dr. Gerd Nonneman, Professor of International Relations and Gulf Studies** [https://www.qatar.georgetown.edu/faculty/gerd-nonneman/]
    - **Background:** Dr. Nonneman is a specialist in Middle East international relations of the Middle East, Gulf foreign policies, and the political economy of the Gulf Cooperation Council states.
    - **Available to discuss:**
        - How Gulf governments are responding

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- Intra-GCC coordination
- Broader regional ripple effects

All three are based in Doha and accustomed to speaking with the international media on deadline.

Please let me know if you are interested in speaking with any of these experts. We are happy to coordinate quickly

Best,

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