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<b>Brief Description</b>	<input type="text" value="A talk by MIT Linguistics Professor Emeritus Noam Chomsky, about, 'Israeli apartheid.' This event was part of the 2010 International Israel Apartheid Week (IAW)."/>
<b>Anti-Semitism Classification</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> BDS <input type="checkbox"/> Comparison to Nazis <input type="checkbox"/> Delegitimization <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Demonization <input type="checkbox"/> Denial of Self Determination <input type="checkbox"/> Discrimination <input type="checkbox"/> Double Standard <input type="checkbox"/> Historical Anti-Semitism <input type="checkbox"/> Holocaust Exaggeration, Invention, or Denial <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Terrorism
<b>Anti-Semitism Classification Evidence</b>	<p><b>BDS</b>          -Event is part of IAW Week, who's aim is to, "present the nature of Israel as an apartheid system and build Boycott, Divestment, and Sanctions (BDS) campaigns as part of a growing global BDS movement."  <a href="http://www.bu.edu/phpbin/calendar/event.php?id=96164&amp;cid=17&amp;oid=0">http://www.bu.edu/phpbin/calendar/event.php?id=96164&amp;cid=17&amp;oid=0</a></p> <p><b>Demonization</b>          -References made to, "slaughter," and Israel's, "escalating policy of apartheid," and, "He later referred to Israel's actions in sealed-off Gaza as a campaign of extermination."          -"he asserted that 'for decades, Israel has been kidnapping and killing civilians,' sometimes at sea. 'That's piracy worse than the Somalis', he said."  <a href="http://www.bu.edu/bostonia/web/chomsky-again/">http://www.bu.edu/bostonia/web/chomsky-again/</a></p> <p><b>-Comparison to Apartheid:</b> "It's not exactly like the South African apartheid," he said. "In some respects it's not as bad, but in some respects it's worse."  <a href="http://dailyfreepress.com/2010/03/03/chomsky-joins-israeli-apartheid-debate/">http://dailyfreepress.com/2010/03/03/chomsky-joins-israeli-apartheid-debate/</a></p> <p><b>Terrorism</b>          -Letter to editor claims, "Chomsky stated that terrorism, especially when perpetrated against Israel, could be justified by 'various grievances.' "  <a href="http://dailyfreepress.com/2010/03/04/letter-chomsky-manipulated-facts/">http://dailyfreepress.com/2010/03/04/letter-chomsky-manipulated-facts/</a></p> <p>-Letter to editor claims, "Chomsky was disturbingly supportive of terrorism, especially that perpetrated against Israel, claiming that it is justified by 'various grievances.' "  <a href="http://dailyfreepress.com/2010/03/04/letter-supportive-of-terrorism/">http://dailyfreepress.com/2010/03/04/letter-supportive-of-terrorism/</a></p>
<b>Speakers</b>	<input type="text" value="Noam Chomsky"/>

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BU SJP:  
 -SJP Flyer: [http://4.bp.blogspot.com/\\_Y-WUyhdj13Y/S2YM0KR7nHI/AAAAAAAAAPA/sCL6UYTykds/s400/Chomskyflyer.jpg](http://4.bp.blogspot.com/_Y-WUyhdj13Y/S2YM0KR7nHI/AAAAAAAAAPA/sCL6UYTykds/s400/Chomskyflyer.jpg)  
 -SJP member introduces him and confirms sponsorship:  
<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wmvNMcdBuYw>  
 -Additional Evidence of Sponsorship:  
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<http://bu-sjp.blogspot.com/2010/01/chomsky-speaks-at-boston-university-on.html>  
<http://www.sojust.org/events/12499117/?eventId=12499117&action=detail>

Additional Sponsors of IAW Week: <http://apartheidweek.org/node/103>  
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 University of Mass Boston Student and Faculty Against the Occupation  
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**Announcements**

Link to announcement on BU server: <http://www.bu.edu/phpbin/calendar/event.php?id=96164&cid=17&oid=0>  
 Link to Announcement on BU SJP Facebook: <http://www.facebook.com/events/271267319882/>  
 BU Prof Paul Hagstrom announcing event on class website: <http://ling-blogs.bu.edu/lx523s10/>

**Audio**

Open Media Boston([www.openmediaboston.org](http://www.openmediaboston.org)): <http://archive.org/details/Prof.NoamChomskySpeaksOnPalestineAtBostonUniversity3210>

Arabic Hour: [http://www.arabichour.org/Video/2010/AH\\_03\\_27\\_2010\\_Naom\\_Chomsky/AH\\_03\\_27\\_2010\\_Naom\\_Chomsky.wma](http://www.arabichour.org/Video/2010/AH_03_27_2010_Naom_Chomsky/AH_03_27_2010_Naom_Chomsky.wma)

Noam Chomsky – Israel Apartheid 2010-03-02 – 1/12: <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wmvNMcdBuYw>  
 Noam Chomsky – Israel Apartheid 2010-03-02 – 2/12: <http://youtu.be/pQrbs3NtHPk>  
 Noam Chomsky – Israel Apartheid 2010-03-02 – 3/12: <http://youtu.be/v4q5EEbEI1c>  
 Noam Chomsky – Israel Apartheid 2010-03-02 – 4/12: <http://youtu.be/tsAXwh4Vn-A>  
 Noam Chomsky – Israel Apartheid 2010-03-02 – 5/12: <http://youtu.be/Bxoas0TaHXy>  
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 Noam Chomsky – Israel Apartheid 2010-03-02 – 8/12: <http://youtu.be/ofn2t1yXdlE>  
 Noam Chomsky – Israel Apartheid 2010-03-02 – 9/12: <http://youtu.be/q48oe8QZxt4>  
 Noam Chomsky – Israel Apartheid 2010-03-02 – 10/12: <http://youtu.be/U1OyxNkdMSE>  
 Noam Chomsky – Israel Apartheid 2010-03-02 – 11/12: <http://youtu.be/EQVKXx2kVnU>  
 Noam Chomsky – Israel Apartheid 2010-03-02 – 12/12: [http://youtu.be/8N\\_rXRT-rsQ](http://youtu.be/8N_rXRT-rsQ)

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**Video**

A variety of videos from the talk posted on a blog: <http://propagandalalaland.blogspot.com/2010/03/chomsky-at-bu.html>

Arabic Hour: [http://www.arabichour.org/Video/2010/AH\\_03\\_27\\_2010\\_Naom\\_Chomsky/AH\\_03\\_27\\_2010\\_Naom\\_Chosky.wmv](http://www.arabichour.org/Video/2010/AH_03_27_2010_Naom_Chomsky/AH_03_27_2010_Naom_Chosky.wmv)

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**Reports on Event (articles, blogs, fb postings, etc.)**

-Blog by Julia Riber Pitt, anarchists and pro-Chomsky: <http://propagandalalaland.blogspot.com/2010/03/chomsky-at-bu.html>  
 -post isn't very useful, but videos she posts on this page may be helpful

-Post by Zeke Vayman who asked a question during event: <http://groups.yahoo.com/group/TheTruthAboutIsrael/message/29753>  
 -not very useful, as he asks Chomsky a question about a previous lecture.

Same Article:

-BU Alumni Magazine Article: <http://www.bu.edu/bostonia/web/chomsky-again/>

-BU Campus Magazine: <http://www.bu.edu/today/2010/noam-chomsky-rails-against-israel-again/>

-article summarizes Chomsky's talk. Says the crowd was supportive. He say that Chomsky indicted Israel for various actions in the Gaza, Lebanon, etc. Chomsky also calls the US the "Don," of the world mafia, which supports Israel.

-Daily Free Press (The Independent Student Newspaper at BU): <http://dailyfreepress.com/2010/03/03/chomsky-joins-israeli-apartheid-debate/>

-article summarizes Chomsky's talk and quotes a few SJP members voicing their support for Chomsky, as well as the comparison to South African Apartheid.

-Challenge to Daily Free Press' coverage of the event: <http://dailyfreepress.com/2010/03/04/letter-free-press-seduced-by-rhetoric/>

**Responses**

Letter to school newspaper accuses Chomsky of manipulating facts and being supportive of terrorism: <http://dailyfreepress.com/2010/03/04/letter-chomsky-manipulated-facts/>

Letter to school newspaper accuses Chomsky of being supportive of terrorism: <http://dailyfreepress.com/2010/03/04/letter-supportive-of-terrorism/>

**Funding**

"Partially funded by BU undergraduate student fees."  
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**Notes**

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<http://www.bu.edu/phpbin/calendar/event.php?id=96164&cid=17&oid=0>

BU SJP statement on FB Page:  
 "As an advocacy group, Students for Justice in Palestine(SJP) is committed to a core set of principles to which it expect s its members to adhere. SJP believes that while the Palestinian people must ultimately be able to decide their future in Palestine, certain key principles, grounded in international law, human rights, and basic standards of justice, are fundamental to a just resolution of the plight of the Palestinians. These include the full decolonization of all illegally held Palestinian lands, the end of the Israeli occupation of the Gaza Strip, the West Bank, and East Jerusalem. Furthermore, we believe in a just and fair resolution to the Palestinian right of return and repatriation of Palestinian refugees, as well as an end to the Israeli system of discrimination against the indigenous Palestinian population.

Just as SJP condemns the discrimination underlying the policies and laws of the state of Israel, SJP rejects and condemns any form of hatred or discrimination against any religious, racial, or ethnic group. SJP is committed to overcoming anti-Semitic sentiments towards both Arabs and Jews in the Boston community. Rooting its strength in the diversity of its membership, SJP welcomes individuals of all ethnic and religious backgrounds to join in solidarity with the struggle for justice in Palestine."  
<http://www.facebook.com/groups/122932535417/members/>

BU Prof Paul Hagstrom seems to often post information on class blogs about Chomsky(add this prof to list of people to look into further, though he is a linguistics prof.):  
 -Dec. 3, 2009 Event: <http://ling-blogs.bu.edu/ix522f09/2009/12/03/noam-chomsky-at-bu-on-tuesday/>  
 -February 1, 2006 Event:  
<http://www.bu.edu/linguistics/UG/course/ix523-s06/ix523/archives/4.html>  
 (Notice all other events relate to field of study: <http://www.bu.edu/linguistics/UG/course/ix523-s06/ix523/archives/category/events/index.html>)  
<http://www.bu.edu/linguistics/UG/course/ix500-s06/ix500/archives/6.html>

Good site for some audio/video of lectures: <http://www.arabichour.org/archive-2010.htm>

-SJP President: Omar El-Kayal  
<http://dailyfreepress.com/2010/03/03/chomsky-joins-israeli-apartheid-debate/>  
 -El Kayal op-ed, defending SJP and use of the term apartheid: <http://dailyfreepress.com/2010/03/17/letter-apartheid-in-israel/>  
 -Worked on Mohammed El Baradei's presidential campaign: <http://eg.linkedin.com/pub/omar-el-kayal/29/850/5b2>

-SJP Member who introduced Chomsky, and is very active on SJP facebook page: Ian Chinich(on FB he goes by Ian Spinich).  
<http://dailyfreepress.com/2010/03/03/chomsky-joins-israeli-apartheid-debate/>  
 -Often refers to "ethnic cleansing," of palestinians: <http://www.facebook.com/groups/122932535417/>

SJP admits IAW is important because it is part of a "global effort." <http://dailyfreepress.com/2010/03/02/bu-divided-over-first-israel-apartheid->

**Follow Up**

Funding - How much the program received from undergrad student fees.

Look more into Omar El-Kayal more, as he is now involved in Egypt.  
 Look more into Ian Chinich.

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