

# DEMOCRACY, AUTHORITARIANISM & NEOLIBERALISM

THE MIDDLE EAST IN THE CONTEXT OF REGIONAL AND GLOBAL BALANCE OF POWER

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