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## NGO Monitor Impact: Antisemitism in Europe

The discussion regarding antisemitism in Europe, in particular after the terror attacks in France and Denmark, has also touched on the role of non-governmental organizations (NGOs). While NGOs claim to promote human rights, they have been virtually silent about the assaults on the rights of Jews, and have helped generate an environment where antisemitism and virulent anti-Israel campaigns thrive.

Over the past two months, our work on this dimension has been featured in several publications and international forums:

## Wall Street Journal:

## THE WALL STREET JOURNAL.

On February 16, 2015, The Wall Street Journal's "Europe's New Terrorist Normal," reported on the rising level of antisemitism in Denmark, following the attack on a synagogue. This editorial also highlighted NGO funding and states, "Elite hostility to Israel amplifies street level anti-Semitism. The Danish government has disbursed millions of kroner to anti-Israel activists and agitprop campaigns in recent years, according to NGO Monitor."

See also:

Jewish Press, "<u>Devastated' by Slain Jew, yet Denmark Huge Funder of Anti-Israel Activity"</u>





In February 2015, the British All-Party Parliamentary Group against Antisemitism published a report considering antisemitic incidences in the UK during the 2014 Gaza war. The report cites NGO Monitor's research and discusses the "Open Letter for the People of Gaza," highlighting the role of the authors and The Lancet in an incident "featuring virulently antisemitic material."

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In December 2014, Dr. Mads Gilbert (yet another Lancet "Open Letter" author) was voted the "2014 Person of the year" by the Norwegian newspaper VG. He was awarded 50,000 kroner (about \$6,500), which he donated to the radical NGO <u>Israeli Committee Against House Demolitions</u> (ICAHD). NGO Monitor assisted a group of prominent international doctors in submitting a <u>letter of protest</u> to the newspaper printed January 27.

See related articles and NGO Monitor reports:

Jerusalem Post: "NGO Monitor Claims anti-Israel bias at UK medical journal

"Lancet"

Jerusalem Post: Letter to the Editor

Ynetnews: "Medicine in the Service of Anti-Zionism"

NGO Monitor Report: "<u>Medical NGOs, Political Warfare, and The Lancet</u>" NGO Monitor Report: "<u>The Lancet as a Political Platform for NGOs: Study of</u>

Articles on Palestinian and Israeli Healthcare 2001-2014"

NGO Monitor Report: "Physicians for Human Rights-Israel Gaza Mission: No

Independence, No Facts, No Evidence"