Abstract

The theme of the study, is to find out the reality of the relationship between Palestinians and Russians, and its impact on the peace process between Palestinian and Israeli sides.

The study aimed to give answers to questions about the future of Russia's role in the Middle East, particularly in the Palestinian issue, and any kind of expectations can be suspended and counted on the this role to end the Palestinian-Israeli conflict, and its impact in creating a kind of justice, and stop American bias lasting for Israel in that conflict, and whether it is possible to count on that role to create a true partnership with the Palestinians, which can change from the balance of power that control the peace process, which dominates by the United States, the sole superpower in the world.

The main problem of the study appears in asking a key question. It is how the Russian-Palestinian relations have evolved after the collapse of the Soviet Union, and how could such these relations reflect in the role of Russia in the peace process?

The study contains three chapters. The first chapter talks about the Russian-Palestinian relation in the time of the State of Tsarist Russia and the former Soviet Union.

The second charter talks about the relations between the Palestinians and Russia after the collapse of Soviet Union, while charter three talks about the relations between Palestinian National Authority and the State of the Russian Federation and its effect on pease process.

The study found that there are many reasons to prevent the Palestinians to rely absolutely on the Russian position to support their cause, and the most important reason is the relationship between Russia and the United States Of America and Israel. However, the Palestinians did not ignore Russia's role in peace process and have maintained a good relationship with Moscow.