Within the foreign policy machinery of the United States government, Africa was accorded bureaucratic recognition in 1958, a quarter-
century ago, through the creation of the Bureau of African Affairs. This organizational innovation symbolized the birth of an African
policy, even though episodic connections with sundry African states extend far back to the early days of the Republic: Liberia, Morocco,
people and strengthen U.S. credibility throughout the hemisphere. If the United States were to align its policies with these
governments— with the addition of Canada, it would enhance our united ability to forcefully make shared concerns known to the Cuban
government. The prospect of significant revenues from oil, natural gas, and sugarcane ethanol in the next five. The Engagement
Roadmap Short-Term Initiatives During the campaign, President Barack Obama made clear that the Cuban government must release all
political prisoners if the United States is to move toward normal relations.
States’ foreign policy since World War II, and this paper seeks to explore. reasons for this phenomenon, which, to date, has received little research attention. The significance of the Middle East area has increased rapidly since World War II primarily due to economic, strategic, and political factors. Culturally, the region has numerous similarities with the West, dating back to the time. The Middle East consists of portions of three continents: Europe, Asia, and Africa. The land possesses vital resources including oil and waterways. (Lenczowski, 1984). How to cite this paper: Al Sarhan, A. S. (2017). United States Foreign Policy and the Middle East.