Why were some, but not all the Arab mass social protests of 2011 accompanied by relatively quick and nonviolent outcomes in the direction of regime change, democracy, and social transformation? Why was a democratic transition limited to Tunisia, and why did region-wide democratization not occur? After the Arab Uprisings offers an explanatory framework to answer these central questions, based on four key themes: state and regime type, civil society, gender relations and women’s mobilizations, and external influence. Applying these to seven cases - Tunisia, Egypt, Morocco, Bahrain, Libya, Syria, and Yemen - Valentine M. Moghadam and Shamiran Mako highlight the salience of domestic and external factors and forces, uniquely presenting women’s legal status, social positions, and organizational capacity, along with the presence or absence of external intervention, as key elements in explaining the divergent outcomes of the Arab Spring uprisings, and extending the analysis to the present day.

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We dedicate this book to all those who gave their lives, and to those who continue to strive, for progressive social change in the Middle East and North Africa.
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Islamic State; the co-called Caliphate in Iraq and Syria 2015–19, also known by the acronyms ISIS and ISIL and the Arabic Daesh.

Ligue Tunisienne pour les Droits Humains

Muslim Brotherhood

Middle East and North Africa

Ministry of Social Affairs (Egypt)

Member of parliament

Mouvement 20 février

North Atlantic Treaty Organization

Non-governmental organization

National Plan of Action for the Integration of Women in Development (Morocco)

National Transitional Council (Libya post-2011)

People’s Democratic Republic of Yemen (1967–1990)

Responsibility to Protect (U.N.)

Stockholm International Peace Research Institute

Sustainable Development Goals (2015–30)

Security Council Resolution

Treaty of European Union (1992)

United Arab Emirates

Union d’Action Féminine (Morocco)

Union for the Mediterranean (2008)

Union Générale des Etudiants Tunisiens

Union Générale des Travailleurs Tunisiens

United Nations

United Nations Development Program

United Nations Education, Science, and Culture Organization

United Nations Fund for Population Activities

Union Nationale des Femmes Tunisiennes

UN Support Mission in Libya

Union Socialiste des Forces Populaires

Union of Soviet Socialist Republics (1917–91)

Union Tunisienne de l’Industrie, du Commerce et de l’Artisanat

World Bank

World Social Forum
Map 2 Total number of protests in the MENA region, 2001–2010
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Data Source: Mass Mobilization Project