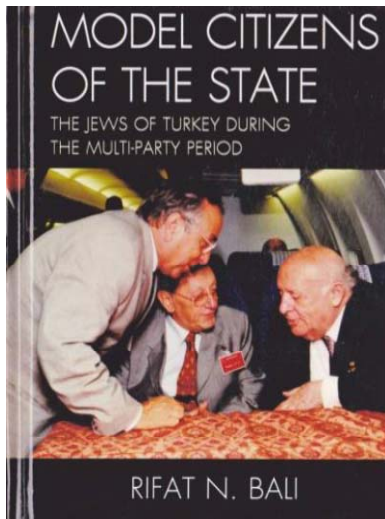


Forced Turkification, Anti-Semitism and Lobbying against Recognition of the Armenian Genocide

Book Signing and Discussion with the Author



**Tuesday
October 15, 2013**

7:45 p.m.

**St. Leon Armenian Church
12-61 Saddle River Road
Fair Lawn, NJ
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Zoryan Institute is pleased to introduce a groundbreaking work that shatters the myth of the Jewish experience in the post-genocide world of the Turkish Republic.

Model Citizens of The State: The Jews of Turkey during the Multi-Party Period exposes the treatment of the Jewish community in Turkey from 1950 to present and the shift from persecuted minority to collaborator in the fight against genocide recognition.

Rifat Bali uses archival material and first-hand accounts that unmistakably illustrate how the Turkish establishment blackmailed the leaders of the Jewish community- and through them Jewish organizations in the United States-to thwart Armenian efforts.

This is a rare opportunity to better understand the experience of minorities in the Turkish Republic and the hidden players in the effort to gain genocide recognition.

Rifat Bali is the leading scholar of contemporary Turkish Jewish history. He has authored 30 and edited 23 books. He works and resides in Istanbul.

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The event is free and open to the public. A reception will follow the presentation.