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ISRAEL AND THE US:  
A NEW ERA?**

**Tuesday, Oct. 27, 2009, 7:45 pm**



**The Words Israelis Want to Hear from President Obama  
Rabbi Abraham Cooper  
Simon Wiesenthal Center**

Rabbi Cooper is Associate Dean of the Simon Wiesenthal Center and its Museum of Tolerance, a leading Jewish human rights organization. He has been a longtime activist for Jewish and human rights causes on five continents. For three decades, Rabbi Cooper has overseen the Wiesenthal Center's international social action agenda - from worldwide anti-semitism and extremist groups, to Interfaith Relations and the struggle to thwart campaigns to de-legitimize Israel. He regularly meets with world leaders, including Pope Benedict XVI, UN Secretary General Ban Ki-Moon, presidents, prime ministers and diplomats.



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