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# *Algerian foreign Policy*

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1<sup>st</sup> lecture

**Introduction about Algerian foreign policy**

## Introduction

These lectures deal with understanding the characteristics of each stage of Algeria's political development and its impact on Algerian foreign policy, which prompts us to address how Algerian foreign policy is made through these different time periods and what are the factors affecting this industry.

Algerian foreign policy is among the most important effective policies in the region and even in the world, especially in the post-independence phase, where the echo of the Algerian revolution still has weight in international forums in light of the nature of the existing international system at that stage, and the effectiveness continued until the beginning of the Algerian crisis, where this role shrank due to many repercussions at that stage.

But with the recent transformations in the African Sahel region, Algerian diplomacy began to move in order to find solutions to the problems facing the countries of the region and threaten their security, and here we had to study them by addressing foreign policy and its intersection with the Algerian security doctrine, which plays an important role in formulating foreign policy..

Therefore, these lectures came in the scale of Algerian foreign policy to understand and study Algerian foreign policy by addressing the history of Algerian diplomacy from the colonial period until the stage of revolutionary activity, where Algerian diplomacy had a great impact in drawing and defining the features and principles of Algerian foreign policy, and the stage of independence and state-building comes Where was Algerian foreign policy an influential factor in the international arena, although there were fluctuations from time to time?.

And we will address the following axes :

1- Development of Algerian foreign policy

A- Colonization

B- The stage of the liberation revolution

C. Post-independence

- The reign of Ahmed bin Bella
- Hawari Boumediene period
- Chadli Ben Jadid period
- During the security crisis

□ The period of Abdelaziz Bouteflika

2- Principles of Algerian foreign policy

3- Determinants of Algerian foreign policy

4- Algerian foreign policy-making

5- The roles of Algerian foreign policy - Africa as a model -

6- Algerian foreign policy towards the Libyan crisis as a model

The end