

# Nuclear Weapons in NSS

MVZ248 Week 6

# Neorealism

Defensive realism

Offensive realism

Balance in anarchy

# The Bomb: USA

Victors in War

Guarantee of Peace post-1945

Non-proliferation

Treaties (Soviet Union/Russia)

Agreements (Iran)

# The Bomb: Israel

Guarantee Security

No other in region until 1998 (Pakistan/India)

Begin Doctrine

Allies

French help = Dimona

“White Elephant” in Foreign Affairs

Unofficial acknowledgement of Israeli nuclear capabilities

# Hybrid warfare

21st Century threats no longer 20th Century reality

WWIII

No longer threat of superpower confrontation

Alliance system (ME or in Asia)

WMD

Proliferation of technology and knowledge