

## Reading tips from Yasmin Chilmeran

The three women mentioned from the Iraqi Governing Council (IGC) - a kind of transitional governing body in 2003: **Aqila al-Hashimi**, **Raja Habib al-Khuzai** and **Songul Chapouk**

Read about **Yanar Mohammad**, who runs the Organisation for Women's Freedom in Iraq (OWFI): [From where I stand: Yanar Mohammed | UN Women – Headquarters](#)

Watch her speech at the UN Security Council: [UN Live United Nations Web TV - Yanar Mohammed \(NGO Working Group on Women, Peace and Security\) on Women, Peace and Security - Security Council, 7533rd meeting](#)

Read about **Nerman Othman**, minister in the transitional government in 2004 and activist, including against the Saddam Hussein regime: [Narmin Othman - Wikipedia](#)

Read a story about her life: [Narmin Othman: success of women is my success \(kirkuknow.com\)](#)

Read about **the Women's Advisory Board** on the UN's Special Envoy to Syria website. This website is a recommendation for students who want to see the many things that need to be taken into account during a peace process/negotiation: [Women's Advisory Board | OSES \(unmissions.org\)](#)