

## Pre-Academy Readings

### **Mandatory Readings:]**

[Media Literacy and the Challenge of New Information and Communication Technologies](#) (by Sonia Livingstone)

[Sowing the Seeds of Digital and Media Literacy in Lebanon and the Arab World: The Importance of a Locally Grown and Sustainable Curriculum](#) (by Jad Melki)

[The State of Media Literacy](#) (by W. James Potter)

### **Optional Readings: ]**

[Exploring Global Perspectives on Identity, Community and Media Literacy in a Networked Age](#) (by Paul Mihailidis)

[Maneuvering Entrenched Structures of Arab Education Systems: The agency of Arab media literacy educators and activists](#) (by Jad Melki and Lubna Maaliki)

[Pre-academy Assignment Instructions - PDF](#)

**NOTE:** The following readings are to be completed by all faculty and student participants prior to the start of the academy.