



# Our New Lebanon

## Speaker Series

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Date:

Sun. March 5, 2023

Time:

12:00 PM Pacific

3:00 PM Eastern

10:00 PM Beirut

Place: Zoom

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## Learn About The Lebanese National Bloc

### PROFILE

Michel Helou was born in 1989 and raised in Europe. After obtaining his MSc in Management from HEC Paris in 2013, he joined Bain & Company, a leading management consulting firm, in Dubai. Michel moved to Beirut in 2015 to become the Executive Director of L'Orient-Le Jour, the oldest newspaper published in Lebanon, with a mission to modernize the group. For 6 years, Helou worked to restructure and turn the outlet into a digital-first media group, while fighting to maintain the independence and integrity of this symbolic institution. In February 2019, Helou took part in the relaunch of the National Bloc. In 2022, he ran for the parliamentary elections in the Baabda district and headed his list, securing 5,483 preferential votes. In November 2022, he was elected as the Secretary General of the National Bloc, succeeding Pierre Issa.

### Q / A

Please prepare your questions in advance and send them to [ferris@ournewlebanon.org](mailto:ferris@ournewlebanon.org) no later than Saturday, Feb 4th at 10 pm PST.

### OUR NEW LEBANON

"We strive to preserve Lebanon as a model of freedom and democracy. We work to promote peace, neutrality, freedom of religion, and free speech. We support economic liberty and political independence. To strengthen and expand the US-Lebanon relationship in ways that enhances the security of both countries. To educate and guide decision-makers on the bonds that unite the two countries and matters of interest to the Lebanese American Community.