Khaled Furani Talk

On Saturday, August 4, at 4 p.m., Dr. Khaled Furani will speak at the Southwest Harbor Public Library about Islam, and why he loves Maine.

Dr. Furani is Assistant Professor of Anthropology at Tel Aviv University. His book *Silencing the Sea: Secular Rhythms in Palestinian Poetry*, published by Stanford University Press, follows Palestinian poets’ debates about their craft. From the publisher:

"Khaled Furani takes his reader down ancient roads and across military checkpoints to join the poets’ worlds and engage with the rhythms of their lifelong journeys in Islamic and Arabic history, language, and verse. This excursion offers newfound understandings of how today's secular age goes far beyond doctrine, to inhabit our very senses, imbuing all that we see, hear, feel, and say."

For more information, contact the Library: 244-7065.