

# ELECTION 2020 | PALESTINE

## Working For Justice

📍 Hyatt Regency O'Hare Chicago 📅 November 28<sup>th</sup>-30<sup>th</sup>, 2019

### Youth Program | Thursday, Nov. 28

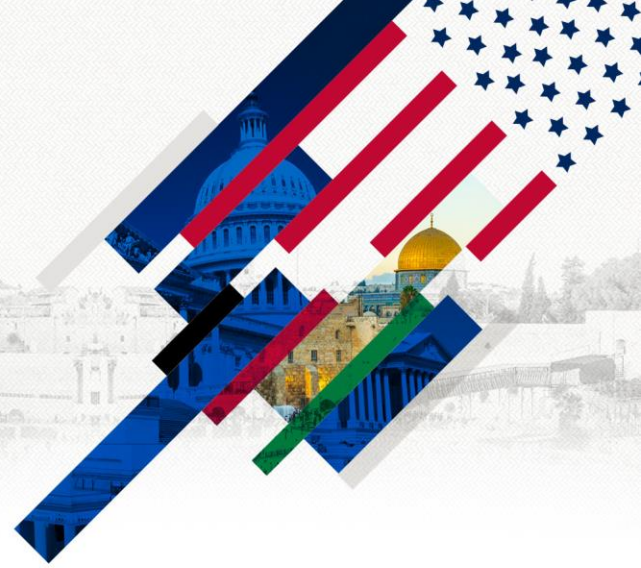
Theme of the Day: Heritage التراث الفلسطيني

6:00pm-6:15pm	<p><b>Ice Breakers:</b> Come meet the youth that you'll be surrounded by this weekend at the Palestine Convention! Get to know one another through an entertaining cross the line game.</p> <p>Presenters: Yalla Shabab Leaders - Fathi Mahmoud, Ayham Kartoum, Kayan Kartoum, Dunia Samra, Abdelmutalib Yasin, Muhammad Zegar, Shorouk Akarah</p>
6:15pm-7:00pm	<p><b>Palestinian Heritage &amp; Historical Figures:</b> Find out why Palestinian symbols and figures have been such a huge part of Palestinian heritage. Learn how something like an olive tree or a little boy can be a representation of hope for millions.</p> <p>Moderator: Dunia Samra Speaker: Lina Abojaradeh</p>
7:00pm-7:30pm O'Hare Ballroom	<p><b>Paint a Mural:</b> Join us in our painting Palestinian symbols session! Boards will be put on display near the main hall.</p>
8:30-9:30 Ballroom ED	<p><b>Conference Inauguration (Joint)</b></p>
9:45 pm Ballroom ED	<p><b>Film Screening (Joint)</b> One Night in Al-Aqsa a Film by Abrar Hussain</p>

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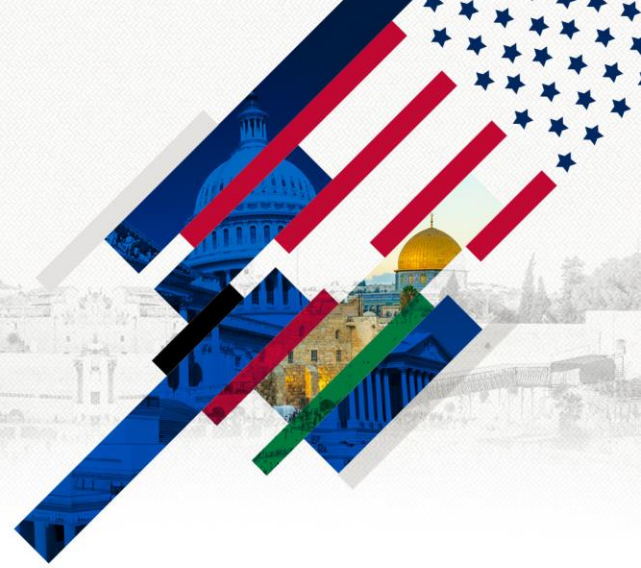
Theme of the Day: "The Resilient People" شعب الصمود

6:00 am 9:00 am	Fajr prayer Registration opens
10:15am-10:45am	<b>Ice Breakers:</b> <b>Life Size Jenga Game</b>  Moderators: Ayham Kartoum & Muhammad Zegar
10:45am-11:30am  O'Hare Ballroom	<b>Where It All Began:</b> Ever wondered why Palestine? Come find out why Palestine's history is so significant by Amp's co-founder Hatem Bazian  Moderator: Abdelmutalib Yasin Speaker: Hatem Bazian
11:45am-12:20pm 12:20pm-1:30pm	Friday Prayer Lunch break
1:30pm-2:15pm	<b>Beginning of Palestinian Struggle:</b> It's been 71 years since the 1948 Nakba, and the Palestinian struggle still continues today. Join us in understanding the hardships Palestinians in Palestine are facing today.  Moderator: Shorouk Akarah Speaker: Arwa Abdallah
2:15pm-3:45pm	<b>Life of Palestinians in Different Territories &amp; Countries:</b> Over 700,000 Palestinians were exiled in 1948. Where did they go? What happened to them? Come find out! Panel of Palestinians from Different Territories & Countries: Get the firsthand experience of what it's like to be a Palestinian from Gaza, the West Bank, Jordan, Lebanon, Syria, and 48 by hearing the stories and experiences of our amazing panel!  Moderators: Fathi Mahmoud & Muhammad Zegar Speakers: Ala Abusaman, Lina Abojaradeh, Saja Hamayel, Fadi Abdulhade
3:45pm-4:25pm  O'Hare Ballroom	<b>Do Your Part as Palestinian American Youth:</b> It's time for the youth to do their part in helping support the Palestinian cause. You have a responsibility to bring awareness to the injustice that happens in Palestine. Learn about how you can defend and support the Palestinian cause from where you stand.  Moderator: Ayham Kartoum Speaker: Dr. Osama Abuirshaid

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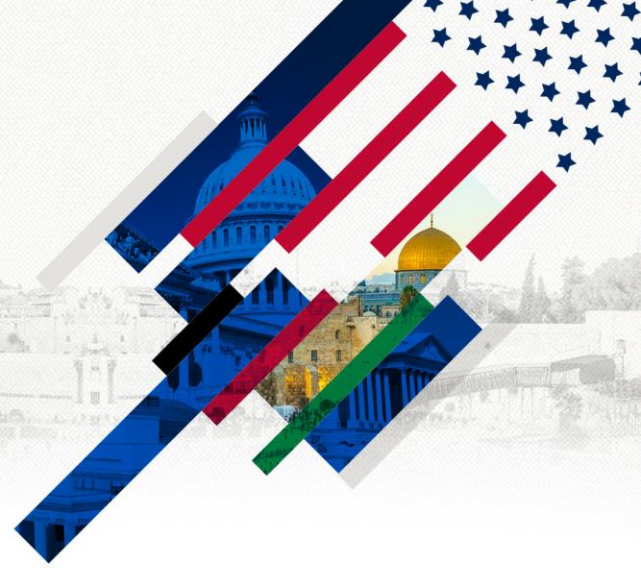
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4:25pm-5:15pm	Maghrib & Isha break
5:15pm-6:15pm O'Hare Ballroom	<p><b>Mental Health &amp; Stress Issues Among Palestinian Youth in America Seminar:</b> We all know there is a stigma around mental health, but especially in the Muslim community. Take a moment to learn about how you can deal with your everyday mental health issues.</p> <p>Moderator: Fathi Mahmoud Speaker: TBD</p>
6:15pm-7:15pm	Dinner Break
7:15pm-8:00pm	<p><b>Palestinian Literature &amp; Art</b> Join us in understanding how Palestinian hardships have translated into our music, poetry, and artwork.</p> <p>Moderator: Shorouk Akarah Speaker: Lina Abojaradeh</p>
8:00pm-9:00pm	<p><b>Annual Palestinian Knowledge Bowl:</b> Compete in our Annual Palestine Knowledge Bowl! You will answer a series of questions for your chance to win a \$100 prize. All youth are encouraged to participate in this contest! Test your knowledge!</p> <p>Moderators: Kayan Kartoum &amp; Muhammad Zegar</p>
9:00pm-10:00pm O'Hare Ballroom	<p><b>From Generation to Generation Panel and Discussion:</b> Want to know what it takes to succeed as a Palestinian living in America? Come listen to a panel of Palestinians in different professions speak about the hardships they've faced, how to be successful, and how to maintain your culture and values while living in America.</p> <p>Moderators: Dunia Samra &amp; Abdelmutalib Yasin Speakers: Salah Sarsour, Jumana Qawasmi, Ayah Ali, Aysha Affaneh, Ibrahim Salah, Loie Ghannam</p>

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## Youth Program | Saturday, Nov. 30

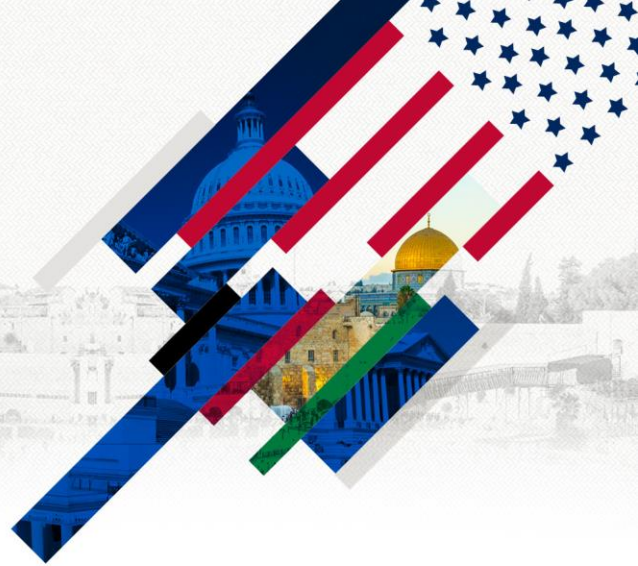
Theme of the Day: Activism

6:00 am	Fajr Prayer
9:00 am	Registration opens
10:30-10:45am	<b>Ice Breakers: Balloon Popping Game</b>
10:45-11:30 am	<p><b>What is BDS?:</b> Want to know what BDS stands for? Or how powerful the BDS movement is? Or why BDS is so controversial? If the BDS movement helped end apartheid in South Africa, it can work for the Palestinians!</p>
O'Hare Ballroom	<p>Moderator: Kayan Kartoum Speaker: Taher Herzallah</p>
11:30 -2:15 pm	lunch / Dhuhr / Braek
2:15pm-3:00pm	<p><b>Importance of Jerusalem:</b> Join us in understanding our duty towards this holy city - the holy land through which every Prophet and Messenger passed through. Understand how to be a part of the great cause of Palestine.</p>
3:00pm-3:30pm	<p>Moderator: Abdelmutalib Yasin Speaker: Dr. Abdallah Marouf</p>
3:30pm-4:00pm	<p><b>Escape Room:</b> Come participate in our Palestinian Escape Room! Winning group gets a prize!</p>
4:00pm-4:30pm	<p><b>Do All Palestinians Think The Same:</b> Ever watched a Jubilee video on YouTube? Well here's the Palestinian version!</p>
4:30-5:20	<p><b>Mock Debate Skills:</b> Ever been in a position where you had to defend Palestine? Learn how to do it with facts and reasons while making sure you get the point across.</p>
O'Hare Ballroom	<p>Moderator: Shorouk Akarah Speakers: Tarek Khalil &amp; Jana Daoud</p>
4:30-5:20	Maghreb and Break

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5:20pm-6:00pm	<p><b>Yalla Shabab:</b> Curious to know how to start a Palestinian youth program in your state or area? Come to our Yalla Shabab session to learn how to start a Yalla Shabab near you! Come connect with different Palestinian youth from around the country.</p> <p>Speakers: Yalla Shabab Leaders</p>
6:00pm-7:15pm	<p><b>Competition Night:</b> Come watch our contestants perform for our annual Palestinian Competition Night! Join us for our last session of the 2019 Youth Program!</p>
7:15pm-7:45pm	Break
7:45pm Ballroom ED	<b>Entertainment (Joint)</b>