

GRASSROOTS ADVOCACY TRAINING & LOBBY DAY



WASHINGTON DC MARCH 7 - 8, 2010



GAIN IMPORTANT SKILLS FOR YOUR ACTIVISM & MAKE AN IMPACT IN CONGRESS!

The United States has long been the most dominant international player in the Israeli-Palestinian conflict. As a result, U.S. citizens bear a deep responsibility to address our government's role and support Palestinian and Israeli peace efforts. This Grassroots Advocacy Training will provide both seasoned organizers and new activists with the skills and experience needed to make a real impact.

Participants will gain access to new resources on United States aid to Israel and attend workshops led by experts in the field. The lobby day corresponds with the first weeks of the new Congress and is a crucial time for citizens to have their voice heard in Washington.

Join Interfaith Peace-Builders, the U.S. Campaign to End the Israeli Occupation and other national groups for a unique opportunity to make real change. Your participation will enrich your understanding of the conflict and help build a strong U.S. movement for a just peace in Palestine/Israel.



THE SKILLS & EXPERIENCE OUR MOVEMENT NEEDS

Workshops will provide essential skills on current topics for U.S.-based activists. Experienced trainers and experts will lead sessions on the following topics:

- United States Policy and the Israeli-Palestinian Conflict
- Beginning and Advanced Skills for Congressional Engagement and Citizen Lobbying
- Broadening the Discourse in Your Local Media
- Campaigning for Boycott, Divestment and Sanctions
- Coalition Building with Muslim Communities; *and more!*



EXPERT PRESENTERS & WORKSHOP LEADERS

Interfaith Peace-Builders and the U.S. Campaign to End the Israeli Occupation work with a variety of experts and activists from civil society and academia. Workshop leaders are at the forefront of the movement for peace and justice in Palestine/Israel.

For an updated list of presenters see www.ifpb.org/grassroots

BUILD A MOVEMENT FOR A JUST PEACE!

REGISTRATION IS AVAILABLE ONLINE AT WWW.IFPB.ORG/GRASSROOTS

Join us in DC to make the most of Gaza actions and ensure Obama's call for an Israeli settlement freeze amounts to more than just talk! **REGISTER TODAY: SPACE IS LIMITED**



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