



2024 Conference of CSOs working on the Question of Palestine
***“Building Bridges with International Civil Society to Address the Ongoing
Nakba”***

Convened by the

Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People (CEIRPP)

United Nations Office in Geneva (UNOG), Switzerland

3-4 April 2024

Programme

Day 1

10.00 – 10:40 **OPENING SESSION**

10:50 - 12.30 **PLENARY I**
“The War on Gaza: Advocating for a Humanitarian Ceasefire and Assistance for the Palestinian People”

Ayed Abu Eqtaish
DCI-Palestine – Director of Accountability Programme

Raji Sourani
Palestinian Centre for Human Rights Director

Sahar Francis
Addameer Prisoner Support & Human Rights Association Director

Issam Younis
Al Mezan Centre for Human Rights Director

14.00 – 16.00 **PLENARY II**
“The Role of Civil Society Organizations in Ensuring Third Party Responsibility: Perspectives from Global and Regional Voices”

Samah Sisay
Attorney, Centre for Constitutional Rights USA

Yasmine Ahmed
Director of Human Rights Watch UK

Rawan Arraf
Director of Australia Centre for International Justice

Tilda Rabi
President of the Federation of Argentine-Palestinian Entities

Frank Chikane
Chair of Steering Committee of the Global Anti-Apartheid Conference -
South Africa

Day 2

10.00 - 12.00

PLENARY III
“State Actions on Accountability: Discussing Best Practices”

Ahmad Abuzneid
Executive Director of the US Campaign for Palestinian Rights (USCPR)

Diego Khamis
Executive Director of the Palestinian Community in Chile

Rula Shadid
Executive Director of the Palestinian Institute for Public Diplomacy

Roshan Dadoo
Coordinator of Palestinian Solidarity Coalition – South Africa

14.00 - 16.00

PLENARY IV
“Ensuring Compliance with International Mechanisms After the ICJ
Rulings”

Ahmed Abofoul
Al-Haq Legal Expert

Saleh Hijazi
Apartheid-Free Policy Coordinator, Palestine BDS Committee

Bethany Ellis
Watchlist Senior Advocacy Officer

16.15 - 17.00

CLOSING SESSION