

Experiences of Israel & Palestine



Free
Entry

2024.4.20 (Sat) 14:00-16:00
(Doors open at 13:30)

International Student House 2F Hall
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Presentations in Japanese:
English interpretation available
45 seats available

As we collectively witness the worsening crisis in Gaza, we seek to understand and come closer to peace. World Friendship Center is pleased to welcome three Hiroshimans with close ties to the people of Israel and Palestine to share their experiences of their lives and relationships with the people there.

Join us to learn, ask questions, and discuss together.



Aoe Tanami
田浪 重央江

Tanami-sensei is an Associate Professor of International Studies at Hiroshima City University. While studying Arabic at Tokyo University of Foreign Studies, Tanami-sensei studied abroad at Damascus University in Syria, and while a graduate student at Hitotsubashi University did fieldwork in the Arab residential areas of Israel. She is interested in contemporary Palestinian culture and has conducted annual research at local theater companies and cultural centers for the past 10 years. Tanami-sensei is the author of "Absentee Israel: Occupied Culture and Palestine" and other books.



Ashley Souther
アシュリ・サウザー

Ashley is a teacher of Peace Studies at Takeda High School. In his classes, he connects his students with young people from different countries and cultures. Through communicating together, they naturally find that they have more in common than they do that divides them. His research at the Hiroshima Peace Institute involves Peace Education in Hiroshima and he is currently working on a dissertation about Barefoot Gen author Keiji Nakazawa.



Rebecca Maria Goldschmidt
レベッカ・マリア・ゴールドシュミット

Rebecca is an Artist and Cultural Worker who grew up in Chicago, Illinois (USA). Her place-based artwork is often collaborative and reflects on the cultural practices of her Jewish and Filipino ancestors. She received her MFA from the University of Hawai'i at Ma'noa in Honolulu in 2020 and is currently pursuing her doctoral studies as a MEXT Scholar at Hiroshima City University in the field of Sculpture.

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