



# Queer Palestine Solidarity Resource List for Organizers

(October-December 2023)

*Note: This is a living document. Please add more resources and correct any errors. See a [large print version here](#). Solidarity!*

## Organizations

Organization	Location	Instagram	Links
Queers in Palestine	Palestine	<a href="#">queersinpalestine</a>	<a href="https://linktr.ee/queersinpalestine">https://linktr.ee/queersinpalestine</a>
alQaws for Sexual & Gender Diversity in Palestinian Society	Jerusalem	<a href="#">alqaws_org</a>	<a href="http://alqaws.org/siteEn/index/language/en">http://alqaws.org/siteEn/index/language/en</a>
Aswat - Palestinian Feminist Center for Gender and Sexual Freedoms	Haifa	<a href="#">aswatfreedoms</a>	<a href="https://www.facebook.com/aswat.voices/">https://www.facebook.com/aswat.voices/</a>
Queer Muslim Solidarity Network		<a href="#">qmsolidaritynet</a>	<a href="https://linktr.ee/QueerMuslimSolidarity">https://linktr.ee/QueerMuslimSolidarity</a>
Queer Cinema for Palestine		<a href="#">queercinema4palestine</a>	<a href="https://queercinemaforpalestine.org/">https://queercinemaforpalestine.org/</a>
Queer Shia Collective		<a href="#">queershiacollective</a>	<a href="https://linktr.ee/QueerShiaCollective">https://linktr.ee/QueerShiaCollective</a>
Queer Palestinian Empowerment Network US	USA	<a href="#">qpaliempowerus</a>	
Palestinian Feminist Collective	Turtle Island	<a href="#">palestinianfeministcollective</a>	<a href="https://palestinianfeministcollective.org/">https://palestinianfeministcollective.org/</a>
Queer Crescent	Oakland, USA	<a href="#">queercrescent</a>	<a href="https://linktr.ee/queercrescent/">https://linktr.ee/queercrescent/</a> <a href="https://www.queercrescent.org/">https://www.queercrescent.org/</a>
Queers 4 Palestinian Liberation	Philadelphia, USA	<a href="#">queers4palphl</a>	
Queers Undermining Israeli	Bay Area,		<a href="https://quitpalestine.org/">https://quitpalestine.org/</a>

Terrorism (QUIT)	USA		
Claudia Jones School	Washington, DC, USA	<a href="http://claudiajoneschool">claudiajoneschool</a>	<a href="https://linktr.ee/ClaudiaJonesSchool">https://linktr.ee/ClaudiaJonesSchool</a>
Queers for a Liberated Palestine	New York City, USA	<a href="http://queersforaliberatedpalestine">queersforaliberatedpalestine</a>	
Mubaadarat	Montreal, Canada	<a href="http://mubaadarat">mubaadarat</a>	<a href="https://linktr.ee/mubaadarat">https://linktr.ee/mubaadarat</a>
Helem	Montreal, Canada	<a href="http://helemtl">helemtl</a>	<a href="https://linktr.ee/helemtl">https://linktr.ee/helemtl</a>
Queer Muslim Network Toronto	Toronto, Canada	<a href="http://queermuslimnetwork">queermuslimnetwork</a>	<a href="https://linktr.ee/queermuslimnetwork">https://linktr.ee/queermuslimnetwork</a>
Queers for Palestine – Winnipeg	Winnipeg, Canada	<a href="http://queers4palestinewpg">queers4palestinewpg</a>	<a href="https://linktr.ee/queers4palestinewpg">https://linktr.ee/queers4palestinewpg</a>
Queers Against Israeli Apartheid "Vancouver"	Vancouver, BC	<a href="http://queersagainstisraeliapartheid">queersagainstisraeliapartheid</a>	<a href="https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1p9oejhbxsbmhAuGPZ8PuVk_76sHx5lZnrDGqHRBb2M/viewform?edit_requested=true">https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1p9oejhbxsbmhAuGPZ8PuVk_76sHx5lZnrDGqHRBb2M/viewform?edit_requested=true</a>
Maqfa UK (Mesopotamian and Anatolian Queers for Freedom)	UK	<a href="http://maqfauk">maqfauk</a>	
Queers For Palestine	London, UK	<a href="http://queers.for.palestine">queers.for.palestine</a>	<a href="https://linktr.ee/queersforpalestine">https://linktr.ee/queersforpalestine</a>
Voices4 London	London, UK	<a href="http://voices4ldn">voices4ldn</a>	<a href="https://voices4london.org.uk/blog/open-letter-queers-solidarity-palestine/">https://voices4london.org.uk/blog/open-letter-queers-solidarity-palestine/</a>
The Dyke Project	London, UK	<a href="http://thedykeproject">thedykeproject</a>	<a href="https://linktr.ee/thedykeproject">https://linktr.ee/thedykeproject</a>
Lesbians and Gays Support the Migrants	London, UK	<a href="http://LGMigrants">LGMigrants</a>	<a href="https://linktr.ee/lgsmigrants">https://linktr.ee/lgsmigrants</a>
Internationalist Queer Pride	Berlin, Germany	<a href="http://iqpberlin">iqpberlin</a>	
Palestine Feminist Movement	Vienna, Austria	<a href="http://pfm_vienna">pfm_vienna</a>	

## Instagram Accounts

Account	Notes	Instagram	Links
Queens For Palestine	Celebrates drag artists who	<a href="https://www.instagram.com/queensforpalestine">queensforpalestine</a>	

	respect BDS and shames those who support apartheid		
jessie	Organizes a queer solidarity teach-in series and published a <a href="#">resource guide</a>	<a href="#">beepboopimmadeofmetal</a>	<a href="https://linktr.ee/beepboopimmadeofmetal">https://linktr.ee/beepboopimmadeofmetal</a>
not jake		<a href="#">officialjakegyllenhala</a>	<a href="https://linktr.ee/fakegyllenhala">https://linktr.ee/fakegyllenhala</a>
Queers for Palestine		<a href="#">queersforpalestine</a>	
Chicago Queer Palestine		<a href="#">chicagoqueerpalestine</a>	

## Action Inspiration

Queers around the world have been contributing to the current Palestine liberation movement in two ways:

1. By intervening specifically in queer and trans communities (e.g. shutting down pinkwashing, mobilizing queers to take action, collecting donations from queer networks)
2. By contributing to the movement more broadly (e.g. supporting and initiating actions that do not directly foreground queer networks or concerns)

Here are a few examples of solidarity actions organized by queers since October 7th:

- Queer rallies and marches (e.g. [Queers for a Liberated Palestine](#))
- Queer or “joint struggle” blocs at broader actions (e.g. [Mubaadarat](#), [Queers for Palestine](#))
- Teach-ins (e.g. [Claudia Jones School](#) and [beepboopimmadeofmetal](#))
- Fundraisers (e.g. [Claudia Jones School](#))
- Collecting donations at queer events (e.g. [Queers for Palestine – Winnipeg](#))
- Hacking ads (e.g. [Dyke Project](#))
- Wheatpasting and graffiti (e.g. [Feminist Collages NYC](#))
- Solidarity statements and collecting signatures (e.g. [Pinko](#), [Voices4 London](#))
- Emotional support circles (e.g. [Mubaadarat](#), [Rest for Resistance](#))
- Film screenings (e.g. [Girls in Film](#))



## Action Resources

### Posters, Flyers & Other Print Materials

- [Queer Solidarity with Palestine Posters](#) (from [beepboopimmadeofmetal](#))
- [Flyers, Pamphlets, Posters](#) (from [Queers for Palestine – Winnipeg](#))
- [Palestine Land Back Posters](#) (from [Earth Liberation Studio](#))
- [Palestine Will be Free! Graphic Care Package](#) (from Justseeds)

### Protest Playlists

- [Free Palestine Jams](#) on Spotify
- [palestinian feminist collective vibes](#) on Spotify

### Chants

- Occupation is a crime / Queers fight for Palestine
- Queer pride, trans pride / We say no to genocide
- Silence equals death
- Speak out, act up / Apartheid has got to stop
- From Stonewall to Gaza / Fight back, intifada

## Toolkits & Resource Lists

### *Palestine Freedom Movement Toolkits*

- [Open Letter: A Liberatory Demand from Queers in Palestine](#)
- [All Out for Palestine – Digital Action Toolkit](#) (**highly recommended**): comprehensive toolkit from the Palestinian Feminist Collective
- [All the Walls Will Fall: 2023 Palestine Liberation Resource List](#) (**highly recommended**): curated by the Palestinian Youth Movement
- [Gaza is Palestine Resources](#): topics include legal support (USA only), online events, anti-doxing, how-tos and templates, BDS, Palestine 101, mental health, and organizations
- [Palestine Solidarity Resource List](#): comprehensive resource list by [@blossoming.resistance](#) including educational information, book lists, documentaries, webinars, social media accounts to follow, actions, and more. Actions are mostly USA specific.
- [Take Action for Palestine \(Canada\)](#): list of actions, updated daily. Submissions accepted.
- [Letters and Talking Points \(Canada\)](#): community-written collection of letter templates to send to elected officials, calling for Palestinian human rights and condemning Canada's role in Israeli war crimes
- [Tell Trudeau: Stop the Bloodshed in Gaza \(Canada\)](#): email template from CPJME (see also [phone call tool](#))
- [#PalSolidaritySitIn Toolkit \(Canada\)](#) (**highly recommended**): comprehensive toolkit for organizing sit-ins at government or corporate offices in Canada in support of Palestine
- [Stop Gaza Genocide: Ceasefire Now \(USA\)](#): public toolkit from US Campaign for Palestinian Human Rights
- [Tell Congress: Let Gaza Live – Ceasefire Now \(USA\)](#): tool from Gaza is Palestine
- [An Urgent Call from Palestinian Trade Unions](#): resources include model motions, social media graphics and PDFs of the call in multiple languages
- [Solidarity with Palestine: Resource Guide](#) by Jessie Shiner (@beepboopimmadeofmetal)
- [Palestine is a Queer Issue: Pinkwashing Resources](#) from Queer Crescent

### *Queer Muslim Resource Lists*

- [Global Queer Muslim+ Resource Guide](#)
- [Queer Muslim Resistance](#): compiled by queer Muslim community members and distributed by [@queermuslimresistance](#)

## Reading List

### *From Fall 2023*

- [Open Letter: A Liberatory Demand from Queers in Palestine](#)
- [All Out for Palestine: Against Queer Silence and Complicity](#) (Isabel Krupp, *Midnight Sun*, Oct 20 2023)
- [UK 'Dyke Project' Hacks London Bus Ads to Challenge Israeli Pinkwashing](#) (Zane McNeill, *Truthout*, Oct 27 2023)
- [Queers speak out: Why do I support Palestine?](#) (*Velvele*, Nov 2 2023)
- [No pride in genocide! Palestine is a queer issue](#) (Héctor A. Rivera, *Tempest*, Nov 2 2023)
- [A view from the Queer bloc to Free Palestine](#) (Steven W. Thrasher, *Mondoweiss*, Nov 6 2023)
- [Queers for Palestine](#) (Colin Wilson, *rs21*, Nov 15 2023)

- [LGBTQ voices are increasingly speaking up for Palestinians despite backlash](#) (Sa'ed Atshan, *Truthout*, Nov 15 2023)
- [Silence=Death: Why queer people must speak out against pinkwashing](#) (Misha Stone and Simon Pensato, *The Uniter*, Nov 30, 2023)

### Queer Palestinian Voices

- [alQaws for Sexual & Gender Diversity in Palestinian Society](#) (see "Articles" and "Videos")
- [Palestine is a Queer Issue](#) (Ghadir al Shafie, Aswat co-founder, *XY&Z Magazine*)
- ["Opinion: Pride month is isolating for me as silence about violence in Palestine continues"](#) (Yazan Zahzah, *San Diego Union Tribune*, 2021)
- [Bashar Murad: The Palestinian struggle is a feminist and queer issue](#) (*Velvele*, 2021)
- [Eight questions Palestinian queers are tired of hearing](#) (Ghaith Hilal, *Electronic Intifada*, 2013)

### Pinkwashing & Queer Complicity

- [Pinkwashing](#) (Decolonize Palestine)
- [Say no to Pinkwashing](#) (BDS National Committee)
- [Palestine as a Queer Struggle](#) (Nada Elia, US Campaign for Palestinian Rights)
- [What is Pinkwashing?](#) (Elias Jahshan and Hayfaa Chalabi, *shado*, 2023)

### Academic Works

- Puar, Jasbir K. *Terrorist assemblages: Homonationalism in queer times*. Duke University Press, 2007. [\[Download\]](#)
- Weaver, G. *'Pinkwashing': The Politics of LGBTQ rights in Israel/Palestine*. Universiteit van Leiden, 2016. [\[Download\]](#)
- Alqaisiya, W. (2018). Decolonial queering: The politics of being queer in Palestine. *Journal of Palestine Studies*, 47(3), 29-44. [\[View\]](#)
- Schotten, C. Heike. (2018). To exist is to resist: Palestine and the question of queer theory. *Journal of Palestine Studies*, 47(3), 13-28. [\[View\]](#)
- Atshan, Sa'ed. *Queer Palestine and the Empire of Critique*. Stanford Univeristy Press, 2020. [\[View\]](#)

### News & Updates

- [Al Jazeera](#)
- [Electronic Intifada](#)
- [Mondoweiss](#)
- [Democracy Now](#)
- [Haaretz](#)
- [United Nations Office for the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs \(OCHA\)](#): daily flash updates and regular impact reports, detailing casualties, injuries, displacement, damage, and conditions