

# STAND-UP TO AIPAC



The American Israel Public Affairs Committee (AIPAC) and related institutions (known as the "Israel Lobby") provide support for over \$3 billion a year in U.S. military aid to Israel used for the continued occupation of Palestine. AIPAC is a prime proponent of U.S. military action in Iran. It supports the most extreme policies of the Israeli government that do not have the full support of either Israeli Jews or a majority of American Jews.

For too long, policies that support Israeli militarism and occupation have gone unchallenged. We must allow a full debate regarding the U.S. relationship with Israel and U.S. foreign policy. Chicagoans Against Apartheid in Palestine is using the occasion of AIPAC's national summit in Chicago October 26 to 27 to bring the issue to the public.

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SATURDAY OCTOBER 25, 2008 – 2:00PM to 4:30PM

UIC STUDENT CENTER – ROOM 605

750 S. Halsted – Chicago

**James Abourezk** - former Democratic Senator from South Dakota, the first Arab-American to serve in the United States Senate and founder of the American-Arab Anti-Discrimination Committee.

**Ghada Talhami** - Professor of Politics at Lake Forest College and the author of six books.

**Alison Weir** – founder of *If Americans Knew* - a non-profit organization focusing on the Arab-Israeli conflict and U.S. foreign policy regarding the Middle East.

**Supporting organizations include:** Students for Justice in Palestine-UIC; International Solidarity Movement-Chicago; Palestine Solidarity Group-Chicago; American-Arab Anti-Discrimination Committee - Chicago Chapter; Jewish Voice for Peace – Chicago; Chicago Coalition Against War and Racism; Gay Liberation Network; Potluck Democracy; Code Pink; Neighbors for Peace; DeKalb Interfaith Network for Peace and Justice; North Shore Coalition for Peace and Justice; Oak Park Coalition for Truth and Justice, Progressive Democrats of Illinois; and Stop AIPAC.org.

**For more information contact Chicagoans Against Apartheid in Palestine at:**

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The UIC Student Center is a short walk from the UIC/Halsted stop on the CTA Blue Line. Public parking is available at Wood & Taylor Streets.