

U.S. Federation for Middle East Peace
"Connecting Continents for Peace"

The primary mission of the U.S. Federation for Middle East Peace is to promote respect, understanding and tolerance among the citizens of the world and the peoples of the Middle East.

Our focus is to provide education on the culture, traditions, history and issues pertaining to the Middle East and its people.

In support of our mission, we initiate interfaith-based dialogues and discussions, with the hope of encouraging the world to take steps toward creating and sustaining peace in a region plagued with turmoil and instability.

Take action and learn more today. Join us at:

777 United Nations Plaza New York, NY 10017 USA WEB: <u>WWW.USFMEP.ORG</u> EMAIL: INFO@USFMEP.ORG TEL: +1 646 688 5582 FAX: +1 973 364 0394 Dearest Friends in Peace,

Thank you for taking an interest in the US Federation for Middle East Peace. We are a non-political not-for-profit organization with consultative status with ECOSOC and associated with the Department of Public Information at the United Nations based in the United States and have branches around the world. We strongly believe in peaceful solutions to even the most difficult situations. The road to peace begin with small steps. Since 2001, USFMEP has become more recognized and acknowledged for planting seeds, breaking down walls and building bridges. Our experience and expertise in negotiation, combined with our diplomatic background has been an integral part of our success.

"The world is no longer made up of different cultures living in their own separate spaces. Whatever our faith or culture, we live and work side by side with each other in this world"

Salwa Kader, President



USFMEP President Sally Kader takes great pride in being the recipient of awards from leaders and dignitaries from around the world who recognize our accomplishments toward a peaceful global family.

USFMEP MEETS WITH WORLD LEADERS

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His Majesty King Abdullah of Saudi Arabia led "Culture of Peace" conference in New York at the United Nations Headquarters,. The USFMEP participated. In this event.



His Highness Emir of Kuwait , Sheikh Sabah Al Ahmad Al Jabber AlSabah with Salwa Kader at the United Nations' Culture of Peace" conference.

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US Vice President Joseph Biden and former Chairman of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee with Salwa Kader, USFMEP President .



United Nations Secretary General and Mrs. Ban Ki-Moon with USFMEP President Mrs. Salwa Kader during a Middle East event.

USFMEP HOST EVENTS AT THE UNITED NATIONS



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USFMEP COLLABORATES WITH OTHER INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS



USFMEP collaborated with British heads of influential organizations in London to promote and implement global peace initiatives.



USFMEP held a workshop in the South of Morocco to help small business women inspire each other with their achievements.

USFMEP EMPOWERS THE YOUTH OF TOMORROW



USFMEP sponsored and organized Sports for Peace Walk, an event held in Sharm el Sheikh, Egypt.



USFMEP organized a special sports event in Alexandria, Egypt, for Muslim and Christian youth. Here the President and Vice President embrace young athletes glowing with hope.

USFMEP ORGANIZES PEACE CONFERENCES



USFMEP organized and held our annual International Peace Day conference at the Arab League Headquarters under the auspices of His Excellency Mr. Amir Mousa, Secretary-General in Cairo, Egypt. High level government officials, ambassadors and diplomats attended the event.



At our annual International Peace Day conference, members of the USFMEP delegation join hands in peace with first advisor to President Mubarak, Dr. Osama al Baz, ministers and members of Egyptian parliament. Over 1800 people attended the conference which was televised throughout the Middle East.

USFMEP PROMOTES INTERFAITH DIALOGUE



Here Buddhists and Muslims dialogue during an event held at the United Nations. USFMEP President Salwa Kader was the keynote speaker.



USFMEP organized a conference in recognition of 2009 as the "Year of Reconciliation" to prevent interreligious discrimination after the bombing of Bombay in 2008. H.H. Bhakti Charu Swami Maharaj, spiritual leader, was the keynote speaker.

USFMEP HELPS VICTIMS OF WAR AND HUMAN TRAFFICKING



The USFMEP organized and hosted a high level UN officials conference on the Gaza crisis and its war victims after the recent bombing in January 2009.



USFMEP organized a forum on human trafficking and invited prominent experts from Bosnia, Cambodia, Canada, England and the USA to speak.

USFMEP EMPOWERS WOMEN



USFMEP organized and hosted a conference on gender analysis and the rights of working women . This workshop was co-sponsored by UNIFEM, Australia.



Pictured here are Swedish Minister , Nyamko Saboni (left) In Stockholm at a conference on the integration and empowerment of women— USFMEP President Kader was a speaker.

USFMEP DICUSS WOMEN ISSUES AT CSW



USFMEP organized an event exploring the progress of women's rights In connection with political positioning and female leadership roles within Muslim countries at the UN Conference on the Status of Women (CSW).



The USFMEP organized and hosted a conference on the role of the family in building social and economic security during the 53rd CSW (AlHidn) Organization of Morocco co-sponsored the event.