



You are invited to the second conference on

BDS – Driving Global Justice for Palestine

University of Sydney, 24–26 July 2020

The second 'BDS – Driving Global Justice for Palestine' conference will be held at the University of Sydney on 24-26 July, 2020. BDS Australia, Sydney University Staff for BDS and a range of pro-Palestinian organisations including the Australia Palestine Advocacy network (APAN) are calling on supporters of justice in Palestine-Israel, both activists and researchers, to participate. 2020's instalment follows the successful inaugural edition of the conference in 2017, in which hundreds of people from Australia and the region came to Sydney to discuss Palestine solidarity and BDS.

The 2020 conference will bring together academics, activists and interested community members to analyse the context and politics of Palestine solidarity activism, including BDS, in Australia, the Asia-Pacific and abroad; reflect on previous BDS and other Palestine solidarity initiatives; discuss the current situation in Gaza and the West Bank; and contribute to greater academic and public understanding of campaigns for justice for Palestinians, including through boycott, divestment and sanctions. Haneen Zoabi, who represented the Balad party in the Knesset from 2009 to 2019, will deliver one of the conference keynotes.

We call for 20-minute papers, from both academics and activists, addressing any aspect of Palestine solidarity activism and the boycott, divestment and sanctions campaign. If you'd like to present at the conference, see the conference website, bdssydney.org, for more details on how to submit a proposal.

Save the date! Attendance at the conference is free and open to everyone. Billeting arrangements will be in place, details of which will be announced in due course.

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