

# **INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE OF LOCAL GOVERNMENTS AND CIVIL SOCIETY ORGANIZATIONS IN SUPPORT OF PALESTINIAN RIGHTS**

**Seville, Parliament of Andalusia, 2 to 3 December 2014**

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## **Provisional programme**

### **Monday, 1 December**

19.00 – 21.00 **CULTURAL EVENT** (by FAMSÍ TBC)

### **Tuesday, 2 December**

9.00-10.00 Registration, credentials and materials

10.00-11.30 **OPENING SESSION**

#### *Statements by*

President of the Andalusian Parliament

Representative of Spain (TBC)

President of FAMSÍ

President or vice-president of Junta of Andalusia

Chairman of the Committee on the Exercise  
of the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People

Representative of United Cities and Local Governments

#### *Key note presentation by*

Senior Palestinian Official on the State of Palestine's strategy at the UN

#### *Discussion*

11.30 – 11.45

*Coffee break*

11.45 – 13.15

**SESSION I**  
**Decentralized Cooperation: Local cooperation for development, humanitarian assistance and political actions**

Feedback from the International Conference of local authorities in solidarity with the Palestinian People

Initiatives of local authorities in solidarity with Palestine

Boycott and divestment initiatives by local governments

*Discussion*

13:15 - 15:00

*Lunch at the venue*

15.00 – 18.00

**SESSION II**  
**Breaking the cycle of impunity**

International law, human rights and the effects of prolonged occupation, including the situation in the Gaza Strip

Follow up to the Russell Tribunal on Palestine

European Union mechanisms to establish accountability and end impunity

Corporate responsibility: the case of businesses and companies profiting from the Israeli occupation

*Discussion*

**Wednesday, 3 December**

10.00 – 11.30

**SESSION III**  
**Campaigning for peace and justice for the Palestinian people**

The Boycott, Divestment and Sanctions Movement (BDS Movement) and its economic impact

The plight of Palestinian political prisoners and detainees, including women and children

Advancing the question of Palestine on campuses

*Discussion*

11.30 -11.45

*Break*

11.45 -13.00

Palestinian solidarity in Spain, including Andalusia

13.00-15.00

*Lunch at the venue*

15.00 – 17.00

**SESSION IV**  
**Palestine and the media**

Dealing with traditional media: challenges and opportunities

The social media battle in the Israeli-Palestinian conflict:

- The use of infographics and creative visuals
- Israel's occupation in the social media

*Discussion*

17.30 – 18.00

**CLOSING SESSION**

Outcome document

*Statement by*

Representative of FAMSI

Representative of the State of Palestine

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