



Chicago Palestine Film Festival
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12th ANNUAL CHICAGO PALESTINE FILM FESTIVAL
April 20-May 2, 2013

The Chicago Palestine Film Festival is pleased to announce our 12th Annual Film Festival taking place Saturday, April 20th through Thursday, May 2nd at the Gene Siskel Film Center and School of the Art Institute of Chicago. We are the world's longest running festival dedicated solely to bringing the stories of Palestine to Chicago through film. With over 200 films showcased to date, every year the festival strives to bring together films about Palestine that engage, enlighten and entertain our audiences and leave you inspired.

This year we are pleased to be featuring an amazing list of films at two venues in the Chicago area. Both venues are located in downtown Chicago and offer audiences a wonderful setting to enjoy films by world renowned artists from all around the globe.

An exciting array of events are planned for this year's festival including a red carpet Opening Night Premiere, an art exhibition featuring local and national artists works about Palestine, and "Sobhiya Night" (traditional Palestinian breakfast), Panel Discussions with filmmakers, along with many other giveaways and film treats. This year's festival is set to revive the community's love with Palestine and the films that showcase the reality of the situation overseas.

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The Chicago Palestine Film Festival (CPFF) is an independent, 501c (3) not-for-profit, non-sectarian project based in Chicago that exhibits and promotes films by Palestinian directors and films about Palestine. CPFF is dedicated to presenting a film festival that is open, critical, and reflective of the culture, experience and vision of the filmmakers it showcases. CPFF is a project of the Middle East Cultural and Charitable Society.