

Lime Arts Productions

STATEMENT OF SOLIDARITY WITH PALESTINE

To Our Lime Arts Community,

Since the conclusion of our Twenty by Twenty Fringe in May 2023, our leadership has taken a much needed respite from programming and social media to rest and recharge for another season of impactful art making.

However, we must reconnect with you all now to express our unwavering solidarity with the oppressed peoples of Palestine, and to condemn—unequivocally—acts of genocide by the Israeli government, funded by the United States.

Lime Arts Productions was founded on the practice of offering accessible opportunities to artists of the global majority in our effort to dismantle white supremacy in our theatre industry and our world. Our organization will not ever discriminate on the basis of race, religion, or ethnic background. It is our fierce love for every group of people—Jewish, Muslim, Christian, and all—that moves us to speak against genocide, and mourn every life lost to colonial violence.

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Our hearts go out to the 2.2 million people still entrapped in Gaza, who—no matter where they are told to flee—are faced with obscene cruelties that have broken every article of the Geneva Convention.

Our hearts go out to the 10,000+ murdered Palestinians and their loved ones in mourning, to the Palestinians who comprise 1 in 3 global refugees and yearn to return to their homeland, and to the people of Syria and Lebanon—whose land has also been desecrated by Israeli bombs in the last 31 days.

This is not a war. It is genocide.

We are angry. We are scared. And we are committed to utilizing our skills and resources to reach an end to the deadliest time in the history of the region. We urge the rest of the American Theatre community to speak up and do the same.

#FreePalestine