



CONSULATE GENERAL OF THE UNITED STATES
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NEW! Q&A with Consul General Jake Walles

Electronic Media:

<http://jerusalem.usconsulate.gov>

<http://arabic.jerusalem.usconsulate.gov>

<http://gaza.usvpp.gov>

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Social Media:

 www.facebook.com/UsConGenJerusalem

 www.twitter.com/USCGJerusalem

 www.youtube.com/UsConGenJerusalem

Programs and Events

Rhythm, Dance and Storytelling Come Together at USG-funded Music Appreciation Summer Camp (August 12, 2009)

الإيقاع، والرقص، ورواية القصص معا في مخيم تقدير الموسيقى الممول من الحكومة الأمريكية (12 آب، 2009)



U.S. Consulate General Jerusalem Provides Young Palestinians a Summer of Learning (August 19, 2009)

القنصلية الأمريكية وجامعة القدس تختتمان فعاليات مخيم "إبن سينا الصيفي" للعلوم (19 آب، 2009)

The U.S. Consulate General Jerusalem Honors Fifty University Graduates for Completing the Business Women Forum Internship Program (August 17, 2009)

القنصلية الأمريكية العامة في القدس ومنتدى سيدات الأعمال تكerman خمسين خريجة جامعية أنهين برنامج التدريب العملي (17 آب، 2009)



THE HOLY MONTH OF RAMADAN 2009

Many of the world's 1.5 billion Muslims will observe the month of Ramadan in different ways, blending their own cultural customs with Islamic traditions of prayer and fasting. In the United States alone, Muslims come from more than 80 countries and represent a mosaic of ethnic, linguistic, ideological, social and economic groups.

Although the principal teachings of Ramadan remain consistent, the fusion between religious tradition and diverse cultures embodies the interconnectivity and diffusion of a modern, globalized world.

[Visit the Ramadan 2009 Page for Resources and Links](#)



Muslims around the world are celebrating Islam's holy month of Ramadan. Ramadan, the ninth month of the Islamic calendar, marks the time 1,400 years ago when Muslims believe the words of Islam's holy book, the Quran, were revealed to the Prophet Mohammed. During Ramadan, Muslims fast from sunrise to sundown. The fast is broken at sundown each day with a feast called iftaar.

[Visit our Website Pick of the Month](#)

Photo Albums





Providing Young Palestinians a Summer of Learning



Business Women Forum

Current Vacancies

Deadlines:

-  [INL Administrative Assistant](#) | **Closing Date - September 07, 2009**
-  [Security Guard](#) | **Until Filled**

- 🇺🇸 Muslim Americans Find Their Voice Through Advocacy, Engagement
- 🇺🇸 Diversity, Faith Define Evolving Identity of Muslim Americans
- 🇺🇸 U.S. Marks World Humanitarian Day, Announces Additional Aid

🇺🇸 المسلمون الأميركيون يجدون لهم صوتا من خلال الدعوة،
والمشاركة

🇺🇸 التنوع والإيمان يحددان تطور هوية المسلمين الأميركيين

🇺🇸 الولايات المتحدة تزيد معوناتها الإنسانية احتفالا باليوم
العالمي للعمل الإنساني

Selected E-Docs

-  [2009 WORLD POPULATION DATA SHEET](#)
-  [STOPPING THE RESOURCE WARS IN AFRICA](#)
-  [OPEC REVENUES FACT SHEET](#)
-  [A CLEAR BLUE FUTURE: HOW GREENING CALIFORNIA CITIES CAN ADDRESS WATER RESOURCES AND CLIMATE CHALLENGES IN THE 21ST CENTURY](#)
-  [RISK COMMUNICATION IN THE EARLY STAGES OF THE H1N1 \(SWINE FLU\) ALERT](#)
-  [YOUTH TOBACCO USE](#)