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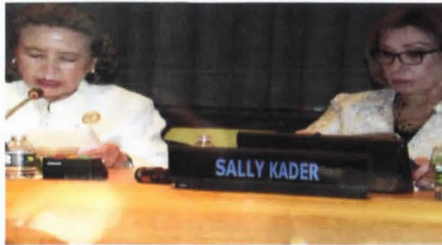


The International Federation for Peace and Sustainable Development (IFPSD) was founded in 2001 by Mrs. Salwa (Sally) Kader, the organization's President. The IFPSD promotes international peace, security, and justice through educational programs, public relations, and community outreach initiatives. The work of the IFPSD is unparalleled and focuses on harmonizing diverse cultures, histories, religions, and traditions into an atmosphere of mutual respect and coexistence. By encouraging cooperation and understanding, the IFPSD works to overcome the prejudices and misconceptions that threaten our vision of world peace built upon a universal respect for human rights and justice.

- IFPSD works tirelessly to **promote understanding and peace** between people of different cultural and ethnic backgrounds around the world, focusing on relations between the United States, Europe, and the Middle East.
- IFPSD has five pillars upholding its vision for global peace and development: **dialogue between the world's religions, human rights and empowerment of women, human trafficking, and youth leadership.**
- IFPSD hosts high-level and ground-breaking **interfaith dialogues** at universities around the world including those throughout the United States and Europe in order to stimulate respect and compassion between religions.
- IFPSD notably championed the **first interfaith dialogue between Christian, Jewish, and Muslim women** at the UN and continues to host **yearly women forums** which stress the importance of peace and understanding.
- IFPSD hosts several events each year during the conference of the **Commission on the Status of Women** at the UNHQ, which includes the following topics: *equal access to education for girls & women, reconciliation through women's empowerment, and judges at the state and federal level discussing human trafficking.*
- IFPSD hosted the **Safety of Persons with Disabilities** in situation of conflict and excessive violence.
- IFPSD participated in an **anti-bullying campaign** hosted by the NGO Committee on Sustainable Development-NY, where President Kader was also awarded with a **Declaration of Appreciation** by the committee.
- IFPSD hosts numerous panel discussions, peace conferences, and marches across 5 continents every year to celebrate the **United Nations International Day of Peace**. IFPSD utilizes these events to raise awareness for global issues like human trafficking and accessible education.
- IFPSD hosts yearly symposiums on Human Trafficking, which is one of the main pillars of its mission. For more than 10 years, the IFPSD has brought prominent Human Trafficking experts including **Interpol** and the **Federal Bureau of Investigation**; law enforcement experts from the **UK, Bosnia, Cambodia, and Canada**; and survivors of human trafficking to the **UN**. Mrs. Kader has been globally acknowledged for her contributions in raising awareness for human trafficking.
- IFPSD President Mrs. Salwa (Sally) Kader is active on many boards and committees including the **National and International Association for Women Judges**.
- IFPSD President Mrs. Salwa (Sally) Kadar's awards and achievements include the **MDG Recognition Award** in 2011, the **Senate Award**, the **Alexandria Culture Award**, the **Women's Empowerment Award**, the **Sinai Peace Award**, **YMCA and Muslim Youth Award**, and the **Peace Shield Award**.
- IFPSD participated in the United Nations Conference to negotiate a legally-binding instrument to prohibit nuclear weapons, leading towards their total elimination.
- IFPSD hosted the world's first **Cultural Heritage event** to raise awareness on the importance of antiquities and to stop the destruction and theft of important artifact landmarks from wartime damage.
- IFPSD participated in a negotiation for **peace and reconciliation in Mali** hosted by the International Peace Institute.

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Our President:

Sally 'Salwa' Shatila Kader is the founder and president of the International Federation for Peace and Sustainable Development a non-profit, non-governmental organization headquartered in New York City, with thirteen chapters around the world.

President Kader promotes the mission of the UNITED NATIONS to ensure international peace, security and justice through educational programs and community outreach initiatives.

Mrs. Kader is a world-renowned advocate for peace and human rights. She promotes cultural diversity, protection of cultural heritage, interfaith dialogue, children's rights, women's empowerment, and the eradication of human trafficking.



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About us:

The International Federation for Peace and Sustainable Development was created in the aftermath of September 11, 2001. The horror of that day generated a yearning for peace and connection among people. Today we offer services and programs in more than 17 countries on 5 continents.

For 16 years, the International Federation for Peace and Sustainable Development has worked tirelessly to fulfill the promise of the United Nations Universal Declaration of Human Rights to ensure peace, security and justice for all.

The International Federation for Peace and Sustainable Development is a 501(c)(3) with consultative status in the United Nations Economic and Social Council, is associated with the UN Department of Public Information and is accredited with the UN Conference on Trade and Development.

Our focus areas:

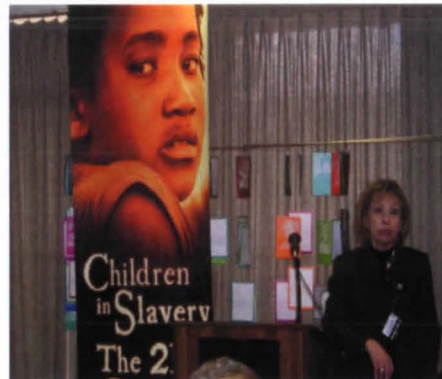
Promoting peacebuilding



Protection of cultural heritage



Ending human trafficking



Promoting health and well-being



Defending children's rights and encouraging youth leadership



Fostering interfaith dialogue

