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Note: This is not an all-inclusive or exhaustive report of all programming that addresses these issues.

## Israel and Palestine

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**On The Ground: Voices of Resistance from the Nation’s Capital With Esther Iverem, FEBRUARY 2, 2024  
10:00 AM TRT 55:00. CHRIS HEDGES ON THE DEATH OF ISRAEL AND HOW A SETTLER COLONIAL STATE DESTROYED ITSELF. BONUS EXTENDED PODCAST WITH HEADLINES, Q&A WITH HEDGES AND REMARKS FROM NEW JERSEY MUSLIM COMMUNITY.** As more than 100,000 Palestinians have been killed or seriously injured in Israel’s ongoing attack on Gaza, we present for this hour journalist and author Chris Hedges speaking on “The Death of Israel: How a Settler Colonial State Destroyed Itself.” Hedges argues that if the Gaza slaughter continues, supported by the United States, the UK and Europe, it signals a dangerous new world order. He spoke January 18, 2024 at the The Islamic Society of Central New Jersey. He was introduced by Omayma Mansour and the Q&A was moderated by Saffet Catovic.

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10:00 AM TRT 55:00. VIGIL FOR U.S. AIRMAN AARON BUSHNELL OUTSIDE ISRAELI EMBASSY... GERALD HORNE ON MICHIGAN UNCOMMITTED VOTE... PLUS HEADLINES ON THE FLOUR MASSACRE AND MORE...** A vigil for Aaron Bushnell outside Israeli Embassy in Washington, DC draws hundreds one day after the U.S. Airman lit himself on fire in front of the embassy and died of his critical injuries. Several speakers are featured, including: Rabbi Yisroel Dovid Weiss; Kymone Freeman of WeAct Radio; Danaka Katkovich, national co-director of Code Pink reading a statement by former U.S airmen and whistleblower Daniel Hale. Plus, Historian Gerald Horne on Michigan Uncommitted.

**On The Ground: Voices of Resistance from the Nation’s Capital With Esther Iverem, MARCH 22, 2024  
10:00 AM TRT 55:00. REBROADCAST OF KEYNOTE ADDRESS, ‘ISRAEL BEYOND APARTHEID’ BY AUTHOR AND ACTIVIST SUSAN ABULHAWA AT THE ISRAEL AND AMERICAN POLICY CONFERENCE IN 2019 IN WASHINGTON, DC.** For this show, a rebroadcast of the keynote address, “Israel Beyond Apartheid,” by author and activist Susan Abulhawa, delivered at the Israel and American Policy Conference held March 22, 2019 at the National Press Club in Washington, DC., sponsored by the Washington Report on Middle East Affairs. Abulhawa discusses Israel as a major weapons developer and exporter, the use of Gaza as a weapon’s testing lab on human beings, and the arming of rogue states. She also details Israel’s destruction of natural ecosystems, and the hellbent erasure of historic villages, mosques, cemeteries and cultural and archeological treasures of Palestine.

**Code Pink Radio, Episode 238: “Why Palestine is a Feminist Issue.” March 7, 2024 11:00 AM TRT:55:00**  
CODEPINK Palestine Campaign Coordinator Nour and our Feminist Foreign Policy Project Coordinator Grace discuss why Palestine is a feminist issue, why Palestine is a reproductive justice issue, why we must be steadfast in our definition of feminism and our anti-war organizing is inherent to the feminist movement and reproductive justice! We will also hear about CODEPINK's International Women's Day 2024 Campaign and how to stay involved in our CODEPINK Palestine organizing all month long!

**Code Pink Radio, Episode 230: “Illness, Injury, and Illegality of Israel” January 9, 2024 11:00 AM TRT:55:00.** Join CODEPINK organizer Jasmine in a discussion with two young professionals about how the global medical and legal professions have or have not stood with Palestine. Recent law graduate Jinan Chehade and current medical student Belal share their observations and hopes for a future where doctors and lawyers join the fight to liberate Gaza and oppressed people everywhere.

**Sojourner Truth with Margaret Prescod, March 19, 2024, 5:00 PM TRT 55:00.** Global Women's Strike and Women of Color/GWS. We were joined by a wide-ranging planning group that brought women and men across movements standing in solidarity with and offering practical support via the Middle East Children's Alliance to women, children and their families in Palestine. The voices of Palestinian women are rarely heard, so we are glad to bring you their voices on today's program.

**CAPITALISM RACE and DEMOCRACY: March 26, 2024, 2:00 PM, TRT 55:00. “CLAUDIA DE LA CRUZ ON CHALLENGING THE DUOPOLY; HEALTHCARE AND JUSTICE FOR EAST PALESTINE; HONORING WILMA MANKILLER.”** \*Block Report host JR Valrey spoke to third party presidential candidate Claudia De La Cruz of the Party For Socialism and Liberation about this election year. \*Over a year after the Norfolk Southern train derailed in East Palestine, Ohio, residents are struggling to access critical healthcare. A coalition of activists from across the country is urging the Biden administration to take action. Steve Zeltzer reports. \*Retired US Marine Corps Captain and Eisenhower Media Network Executive Director Matthew Hoh addressed the UN Security Council during its briefing on Ukraine on March 24, 2024. \*For Women's History Month, we honor Wilma Mankiller, who, in 1983, became the Principal Chief of the Cherokee Nation of Oklahoma and the first woman to serve as a Chief of an Indigenous Nation in the United States.

**Capitalism, Race, & Democracy: February 19, 2024, 2:00 PM TRT: 00:55:00. Biden Leaves East Palestine Without Healthcare; Migrants Struggle at the Texas-Mexico Border; Rashida Tlaib Revives Discredited Allegations against Syria's Assad.** On February 16th, President Biden visited the East Palestine, Ohio site of the Norfolk Southern railroad wreck that took place a year ago. After the wreck, Norfolk Southern ignited a massive amount of highly dangerous and deadly vinyl chloride to get the railroad going again, without objection from the Environmental Protection Agency or the Department of Transportation. The residents and workers have been left without healthcare in contaminated homes, without assistance to vacate. Pacifica's Steve Zeltzer spoke by phone with resident and pipeline worker Chris Albright and others from the East Palestine community. He also talked to Mike Schade of Toxic Free Future, whose group has issued a statement signed by over 200 organizations calling on Biden to declare East Palestine a mass casualty site so that all residents and workers can receive healthcare for life. The statement also calls for full testing of community members and sanitation workers who are also experiencing contamination. East Palestine residents were angry when they discovered President Biden refused to act or to offer health care, especially since many have lost their jobs. They are also furious that while they can't get healthcare, the Biden administration wants \$66 billion for more military weapons to Israel, Ukraine and Taiwan.

## Civil Rights and Racial Justice

**CAPITALISM RACE and DEMOCRACY: January 16, 2024 2:00 PM, TRT 55:00. "BEYOND THE DREAM: MLK's Triple Evils of Racism, Poverty and Militarism"** Special guest/co-host "Baba" Dr. Mtangulizi Sanyika, retired scholar-activist and university professor was an activist-organizer with the civil Rights, Peace, Ecology, and Black Power movements. He has taught at 12 different universities on Africana studies Community Development and Public Policy. He knew and or worked with many movement leaders including Dr. King, John Lewis, Shirley Chisolm, Howard Zinn, Stokely Carmichael aka Kwame Toure and many others. Here he offers an analysis of the Civil Rights Movement and the issues impacting the US during the 60's. Rev. Bernice Albertin E. King, 2nd: daughter and 4th child of Dr. MLK offers a provocative re-interpretation of her father's life as that of a prophet warning America of its impending calamity if it does not address the triple evils of racism, poverty and militarism.

**Sojourner Truth with Margaret Prescod, January 2, 2024, 5:00 PM TRT 55:00.** On the ground in Washington DC from the studios of WPFW, as we continue our week of special broadcasts on Pacifica Radio marking the 50th anniversary of the historic March on Washington as well as the 150th anniversary year of the Emancipation Proclamation. On Wednesday August 28th the day we mark the 50th anniversary of the March on Washington, with the voices and the music of women who were there, including women who were on the frontlines and who were the backbone of the movement that made civil rights victories possible. Guests include: Rutha Harris an activist in the Albany Movement and original member of the Freedom Singers, she led their performance at the 1963 March; Helen Jacobson whose US born Jewish family moved around the world, found her way into the movement and at the March on Washington; Bernice Johnson Reagon a founder of Sweet Honey in the Rock.

**TO HEAL DC with Joni Eisenberg, 10:00 AM February 26, 2024, TRT 55:00** THANKFUL to Celebrate GOOD News: Mr Black History—Chuck Hick's)—Birthday. SNCC Veteran Frank Smith will be joining me as Chuck shares highlights from his Activist Life—Bogalusa Louisiana to DC. Chuck played a key role in the Million Man March! He was President of DC's largest labor union—AFSCME DC20! & MUCH MORE!

**We the People, March 6th, 11:00 AM TRT 55:00. "Embracing Collective Cultural Memories: Black Voices for Community and Growth"** Guest: Jessica Ann Mitchell Aiwuyor is a cultural communications specialist and the founder of the National Black Cultural Information Trust, a Pan African initiative that uses communications, media, and cultural storytelling to correct and challenge mis-/dis- information regarding racial/ethnic identity, anti-Blackness, and false narratives. Its work embraces collective cultural memories from Black communities and the Pan African world. Ms. Aiwuyor is also the publisher of Our Legaci Press which produces children's books celebrating Black life and culture.

**TO HEAL DC with Joni Eisenberg, 10:00 AM March 25, 2024, TRT 55:00 "Reflecting on past, present & future challenges in DC from 1992 to 2024."** Special Guests include Rev Willie Wilson talking about past DC history (Marion Barry, closure of DC General) to present concerns (such as DC Crime Bill). Michele Tingling -Clemmons & Vanessa Dixon (& others) will also join in.

**We the People, February 14th, 11:00 AM TRT 55:00 "What Every Black Parent Needs to Know About Saving Our Sons"** Guest: Marita Golden is a veteran teacher of writing and an award-winning author of more than 20 works of fiction, nonfiction, and anthologies. She has served on the faculties of creative writing programs at George Mason University, Johns Hopkins University, and Virginia Commonwealth University. Ms. Golden's books include The Wide Circumference of Love (novel), Migrations of the Heart (memoir), The New Black Woman, and Us Against Alzheimer's: Stories of Family Love and Faith (anthology). A literary consultant and activist, she cofounded and serves as President Emerita of the

Zora Neale Hurston/Richard Wright Foundation. *What Every Black Parent Needs to Know About Saving Our Sons* is her latest book and the subject of our conversation.

**We the People, February 7th, 11:00AM TRT 55:00 “Further Meditations on Martin: Informing Democracy”** Guest: Historian Randal Maurice Jelks is The Ruth N. Halls Professor of African American and African Diaspora Studies at Indiana University (Bloomington). He is the author of four books including: *Benjamin Elijah Mays, Schoolmaster of the Movement: A Biography*; *Faith and Struggle in the Lives of Four African Americans: Ethel Waters, Mary Lou Williams, and Eldridge Cleaver and Muhammad Ali*; and *Letters to Martin: Meditations on Democracy in Black America*. A documentary film producer, he has produced and contributed to *Langston’s Lawrence*, Garden City Kansas, as well a documentary with Academy Award winner Kevin Willmott on *Langston Hughes*. And, Dr. Jelks is a descendant of the *Georgetown 272*. We’ll further explore the legacy Dr. King left us. What does it mean to approach social change and movement prayerfully, meditatively, reflectively? What is the foundation or elements that empowers such an approach?

**Capitalism, Race, & Democracy: January 9, 2024, 2:00 PM TRT: 00:55:00. San Francisco Residents Suffer Plutonium Poisoning at Naval Superfund Site; University of California Destroys Berkeley’s Historic People’s Park; Electronic Intifada Debunks Hamas Rape Allegations.** For many decades residents and workers have been getting cancer and other diseases at San Francisco’s radioactive former Hunters Point and Treasure Island Naval Shipyard. Hunters Point is a superfund site with condos built by the Lennar Corporation on top of it. Now two doctors, James Dahlgren and Ahimsa Porter Sumchai, have discovered plutonium in the bodies of both residents and workers there. Pacifica’s Steve Zeltzer interviewed Dr. Sumchai and Dr. Dahlgren about the significance of their findings.

In the early morning of January 4, in a move orchestrated by the University of California-Berkeley, hundreds of police and highway patrol closed off Berkeley’s historic People’s Park, then demolished it and built a barricade of shipping containers. We hear the voices of park defenders.

Next, Electronic Intifada Editor Ali Abunimah debunks the New York Times’s Hamas rape story on the Electronic Intifada podcast. It’s a year of elections across Latin America. Pacifica’s Don DeBar speaks to Nicaragua-based journalists Stephen Sefton and Camila Escalante.

**Capitalism, Race, & Democracy: January 31, 2024, 2:00 PM TRT: 00:55:00. Black Art & Activism – Ms. Cicely Tyson Tribute – a Black History Month Special.** CRD reflects on African American art and activism. While many African Americans are looking back to examine their history (SANKOFA), and reclaiming their lives and stories, CRD also honors a great one, Queen Mother, humanitarian, philanthropist, and actress Ms. Cicely Tyson. Voices from the Pacifica Network joined mourners all over the world to pay tribute to Tyson, including Dr. Johnetta Cole, Woody King, Jr. the godfather of Black Theater, activist and humanitarian Danny Glover, Kevin Powell, as well as students and faculty of the Cicely Tyson School of Performing and Fine Arts, in East Orange, New Jersey.

## World Culture

### **Caribbeana, Saturdays, Saturdays weekly, 6:00 PM 3 Hours**

Caribbeana presently airs on WPFW 89.3 FM and is a central authority on Caribbean culture of past to present exposing anyone to Caribbean music, news, and culture. It is one of the few Caribbean organizations based in the United States that services all individuals interested in Caribbean culture and its Diaspora through media, technology, and journalism. This program provides pertinent news from and about the Caribbean as well as about the Caribbean Diaspora

throughout the world.

**Konbit Lakay, Wednesdays 7pm, 2 hours. Weekly,**

Our unique Haitian-centered, dual language public affairs and music program serves the DC Haitian community, produced and hosted by Eugenia Charles.

**Human Rights / Other Country's Governance**

**Sojourner Truth with Margaret Prescod, January 23, 2024, 5:00 PM, TRT 55:00.**

As what is being dubbed a genocide going on in Gaza, with now over 25,000 killed the majority of whom are women and children, and with over 62,000 injured. Biden's unilateral support for Israeli policies in Gaza has earned him the moniker Genocide Joe. Our guest is Kevin Martin, President of Peace Action and Peace Action Education Fund.

And there is news on the Child Tax Credit. After millions of families were disappointed when Congress allowed the popular expanded CTC to expire after one year, there is new hope for a bi-partisan deal to bring back some elements of the expanded CTC. But who will be left out of the credit? The Expanded CTC lifted at least 4 million children out of poverty and cut child hunger. In contrast the new bipartisan proposal under pressure from the GOP would roll back some of the earlier gains of the Expanded CTC. The new proposal would lift 400,000 children out of poverty leaving behind millions of the most impoverished.

**Sojourner Truth with Margaret Prescod, March 12, 2024 5:00 PM, TRT 55:00.**

Deadly fighting between armed gangs and police escalated in Haiti this week, with gang alliance leader Jimmy Cherizier issuing a call to topple the unelected and largely absent government. The 46-year-old Cherizier, alias "Barbeque," was formerly an officer of the Haitian National Police force. As a police officer, he is alleged by the United Nations to have played a role in multiple massacres, including the killing of over 70 people in 2018, when over 400 homes in the capital's La Saline neighborhood were set on fire.

**Capitalism, Race, & Democracy, March 19, 2024 2:00 PM TRT 55:00. "AFRICAN STREAM MEDIA; RUSSIANS VOTE FOR PRESIDENT; NYC RETIREES FIGHT PRIVATIZATION OF MEDICARE."**

\*African Stream is an anti-war, anti-imperialist news and public affairs outlet based in Nairobi, Kenya. Host Ann Garrison spoke to its founder and editor-in-chief, Ahmed Kaballo. \*Russia held its presidential election from March 15 to 17. Capitalism, Race, & Democracy producer Polina Vasiliev spoke to Pacifica contributor Don Debar, who is visiting Russia as an international election's observer. \*A major attack on Medicare is taking place in the US through Medicare Advantage. Pacifica's Steve Zeltzer spoke with New York City retiree and American Federation Of Teachers Professional Staff Congress member Carol Lang. Lang also belongs to the 1.3 million member American Federation of State, County, and Municipal Workers, also known as AFSCME. \*On Saturday, March 23, there will be a community meeting in East Palestine, Ohio to launch a national campaign: Justice for East Palestine Residents and Workers. The main demand is that the federal government provide full healthcare to all residents of East Palestine, Ohio and surrounding areas and to any fire or emergency workers sickened by direct exposure to the toxic burn. Pacifica's Thomas O'Rourke reports.

**Capitalism, Race, & Democracy, March 12, 2024 2:00 PM TRT 55:00. "TEXAS EXECUTES IVAN CANTU DESPITE PROTESTS OF INNOCENCE; HEDGE FUNDS DESTROY JOURNALISM; TURKISH LEVIS WORKERS FIGHT UNION BUSTING."**

\*Ivan Cantu and his legal team were unable to save his life from the Texas Death chamber. Cantu had maintained his innocence for over 20 years. Gloria Rubac (KPFT, Texas Death

Penalty Abolition Movement) reports. \*Over the last ten years, hedge funds like Alden Global Capital have purchased newspapers and then cut the journalist jobs. Rick Goldsmith is the editor and producer of Stripped For Parts, a new film about this wrecking operation. He spoke to Pacifica's Steve Zeltzer. \*Last November, workers at a Levis clothes manufacturing plant in Urfa, Turkey, decided they'd had enough of the company union and tried to establish a real class-based union. The plant's owners, the company union, governors, police, and the military joined forces against the 500 workers, who were all fired, beaten, detained, arrested, and dragged into courts. Pacifica's Mehmet Bayram spoke to a union leader. \*Israel is not the only nation being sued for violating the United Nations Genocide Convention. In what may also become a landmark case, on March 1st, Nicaragua filed a suit in the UN's International Court of Justice against Germany for aiding and abetting Israel's genocide in Gaza. Professor Francis Boyle, attorney and expert in human rights and international law, explains the importance of Nicaragua's case, including its relevance for charging other countries, such as the United States, for supporting Israel's ongoing genocide. \*Despite universal condemnation from the nearly 200 members of the United Nations, US policy remains to try and starve Cuba into collapse, as it has for the past six decades. Pacifica's Don DeBar spoke to independent journalist Camila Escalante.

**Code Pink Radio, Episode 232: "Taiwan and Kurt Campbell" January 25, 2024 11:00 AM TRT:55:00.**

Join CODEPINK China Is Not Our Enemy coordinator Cale Holmes as he speaks with journalist and peace activist KJ Noh for a debrief on Taiwan's recent elections and Professor Ken Hammond on why Biden is escalating tensions with China by choosing Kurt Campbell as his nominee for Deputy Secretary of State.

### **Police Accountability, Criminal Justice, and Mass Incarceration**

**CROSSROADS with Roach Brown, January 2, 2024, 10:00 AM TRT 55:00. "Fentanyl Killing Older Black Men in DC at Alarming Rates" GUEST: DR EDWIN C. CHAPMAN, Internal & Addiction Medicine**

**Crossroads with Roach Brown, 10:00 AM, January 9, 2024, TRT:55:00. "OVERCOMING ODDS " GUEST: The Honorable CALVIN HAWKINS II, Prince Georges At Large Council Member, Prince Georges County, Maryland**

**Crossroads with Roach Brown, Tuesday, January 23, 2024, 10:00 AM TRT:55:00. "WHAT EFFECT IS ALZHEIMER'S AND DEMENTIA HAVING ON THE BLACK COMMUNITY?" GUEST: DR EVARISTUS NWULIA, EVON MEDICS.**

**Crossroads with Roach Brown, Tuesday, January 30, 2024, 10:00 AM TRT:55:00. "NEW DC OMNIBUS CRIME BILL" GUESTS: MELISSA WASSER, ACLU-DC POLICY COUNSEL and RON HAMPTON, FORMER EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR NATIONAL BLACK POLICE ASSOCIATION.**

**Crossroads with Roach Brown, Tuesday, February 6, 2024, 10:00 AM TRT:2:00:00 LIVE REMOTE BROADCAST.**

First Hour: "NEW DC OMNIBUS CRIME BILL: Part Two" GUESTS: MELISSA WASSER, ACLU-DC POLICY COUNSEL and RON HAMPTON, FORMER EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR NATIONAL BLACK POLICE ASSOCIATION. Second Hour: "MENTAL HEALTH CRISIS IN THE BLACK COMMUNITY?" GUEST: Dr. William Lawson, Psychiatrist and Author, "Black History, Black Healing, Black Health"

**Crossroads with Roach Brown, Tuesday, February 13, 2024, 10:00 AM TRT:55:00. TOPIC: "ONE WOMAN'S INCREDIBLE JOURNEY FROM FOSTER CHILD TO WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP BOXER" GUEST: LISA P COHEN, PRESIDENT of the ROTARY CLUB of WASHINGTON, DC, AUTHOR "BEING TOO FIERCE"**

**Crossroads with Roach Brown, Tuesday, March 5, 2024, 10:00 AM TRT:2:00:00 LIVE REMOTE BROADCAST.**

First Hour:

"OPIOD DEATHS IN DC" GUEST: DR EDWIN CHAPMAN, DC'S LEADING OPIOD DOCTOR

Second Hour:

"GUNDERSTAND" THE T.R.I.G.G.E.R. PROJECT. GUEST: TIJA BELL, FOUNDER and CEO

**Crossroads with Roach Brown, Tuesday, February 13, 2024, 10:00 AM TRT:55:00. TOPIC: "Highlights National Returning Citizens Conference 2024 and Supporting Initiatives."**

An insightful discussion featuring Carlyle I. Holder, Chairman, President, and CEO of Correctional Management and Communications Group, LLC. Former Warden and Chief Executive Officer, career spanning 42 years with the Bureau of Prisons. Holder's expertise shed light on pressing issues within the correctional system, setting the stage for an impactful broadcast.

With the National Returning Citizens Conference 2024 (NRCC2024.org) swiftly approaching, listeners received a comprehensive overview of the event's agenda. Scheduled from Wednesday, April 3rd to Sunday, April 7th, NRCC 2024 promises a dynamic lineup of activities aimed at empowering returning citizens and advocating for their rights. The conference, now in its fourth year, serves as a pivotal platform for dialogue, education, and community engagement and the need for "All Hands on Deck".

## War and Peace

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**On The Ground: Voices of Resistance from the Nation's Capital With Esther Iverem, FEBRUARY 16, 2024, 10:00 AM TRT 55:00.: "THE OCCUPATION OF THE AMERICAN MIND' WITH SUT JHALLY...ISRAEL AS THE VICTIM..."** If corporate media's coverage of the genocide in Gaza leaves you with that upside down feeling, you're not alone. Throughout Israel's brutal 76-year system of occupation, ethnic cleansing and apartheid in Palestine, it has always portrayed itself not as the occupier but as the victim. We speak to author and film director Sut Jhally. And as Israel's narrative become more and more over the top this time, perhaps we are witnessing that the propaganda of empire is breaking down along with the empire.