

Arab citizens and Jewish Arab relations in Israel in
2017 With

GHAIDA RINAWIE ZOABI

Founder of the Injaz Center for the Professionalization of
Local Arab Government in Israel and Hartman Fellow



Arab citizens make up nearly 21% of Israel's population. Yet, most Arab and Jewish citizens have few opportunities for meaningful interactions. In recent years, the Government of Israel has launched massive efforts to increase Arab citizens' economic participation that aim to develop Israel's Arab communities and stand to shift Jewish-Arab relations. At the same time, recent attacks on the Temple Mount and controversial legislation in the Knesset have escalated tensions.

How are Israel's Arab leaders navigating these different trends? What has been the role of Arab leaders in advancing economic development efforts? What are the visions in Arab society for Jewish-Arab relations in Israel?

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 24 | 7:00PM | FEDERATION BOARD ROOM

Free for students and JCRC Patrons.

\$10 payable at the door for all other community members.

Seating is limited and community members are asked to confirm their attendance by Friday, October 20th to jcrsny@jfedny.org