

Panel Discussion

WHERE DO WE STAND?

SWANA in a Changing Music Ecosystem

Thursday,
4 Sep 2025
2:00 p.m,
at Manara Arts
& Culture

Speakers:



Moderator:



Panel Discussion

MUSIC & FILM

Sustaining Growth through Cross-Sector Collaboration

Thursday,
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3:00 p.m,
at Manara Arts
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Speakers:



Habib Achour
SACEM



Darin J. Sallam
Writer/Director

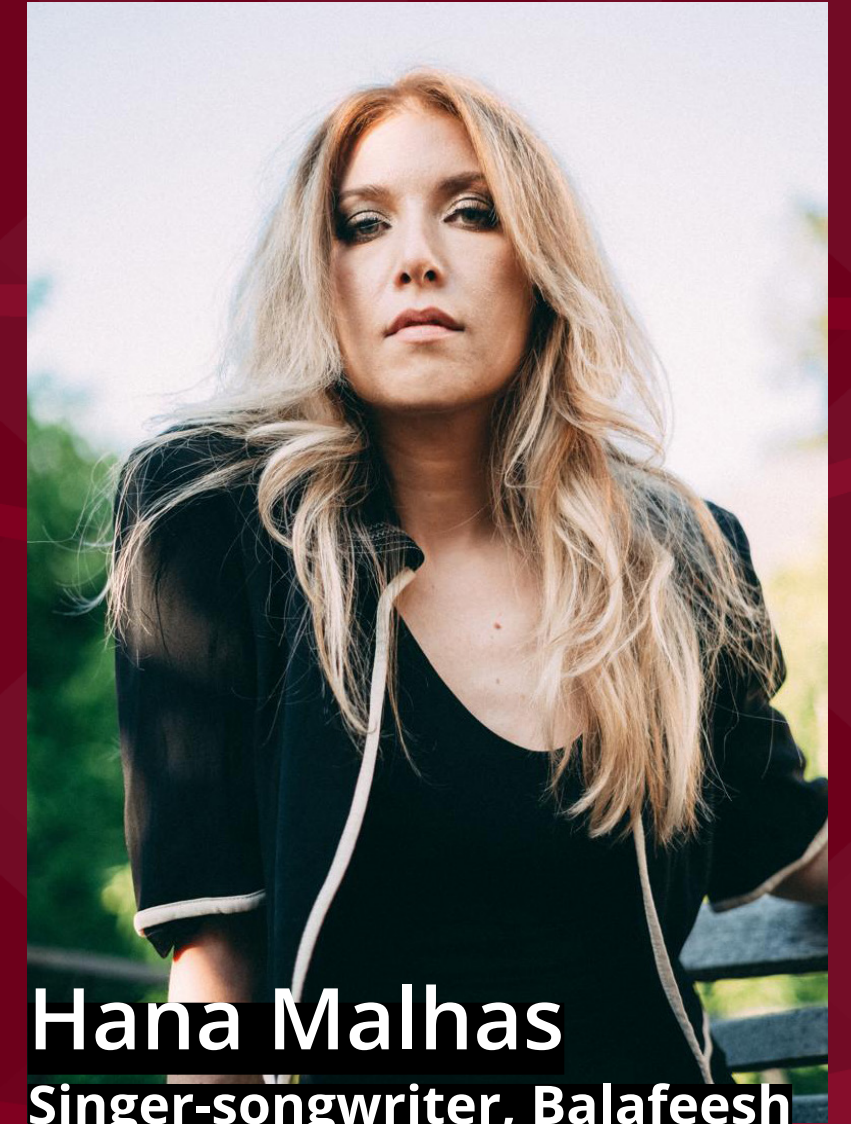


Ghiya Rhseidat
Composer/Pianist



Pietro Santangelo
Composer/Saxophonist

Moderator:



Hana Malhas
Singer-songwriter, Balafeesh

Showcase

HAMBOUZ MUSIC DUO

Thursday,
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Panel Discussion

OWNING YOUR SOUND: Crafting Identity Beyond Genres & Labels

Thursday,
4 Sep 2025
5:00 p.m.,
at Manara Arts
& Culture

Speakers:



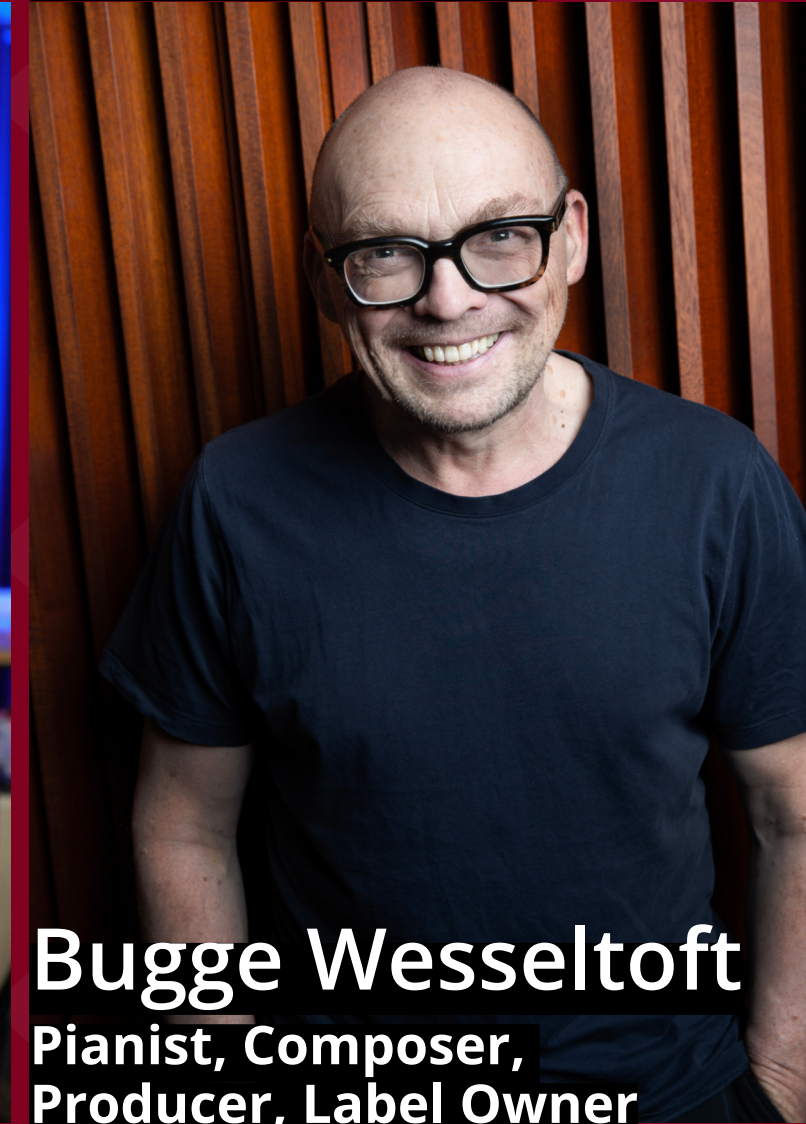
Neco Novellas
Singer, Guitarist, Composer



Kristina Issa
Composer, Vocalist



**Yacoub Abu
Ghosh**
Producer, Composer, Basse
Player



Bugge Wesseltoft
Pianist, Composer,
Producer, Label Owner

Moderator:



Mirna Khalfawi
Abrez Music

Speed Meetings

Meet the Music Makers

**Thursday,
4 Sep 2025
6:00-8:00 p.m,
at Manara Arts
& Culture**

Panel Discussion

RESISTANCE & SURVIVAL

Perspectives from SWANA Region

Friday,
5 Sep 2025
2:00 p.m.,
at Manara Arts
& Culture

Speakers:



Sami Galbi
Multi-instrumentalist,
Producer



Sima Kanaan
Singer, 'Al Fajer' Palestinian
Group



Zaid Hilal
Musician, Composer, and
Arranger



Lynn Adib
Singer, Composer

Moderator:



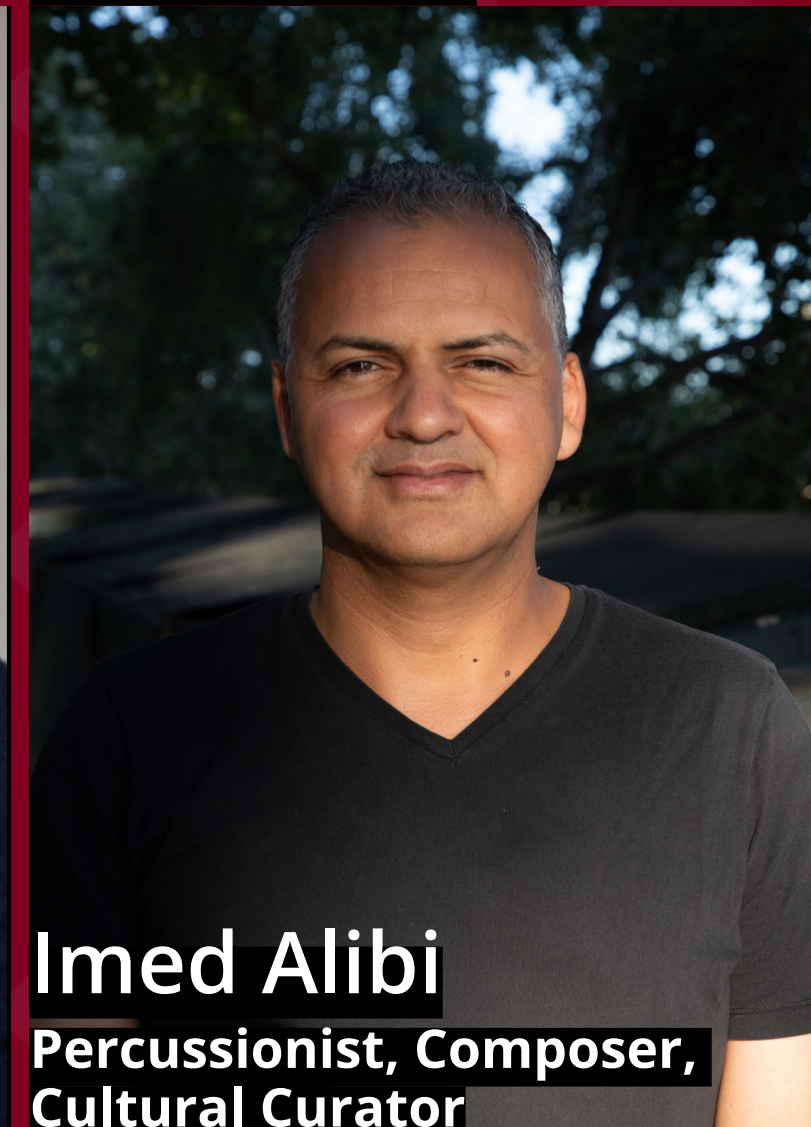
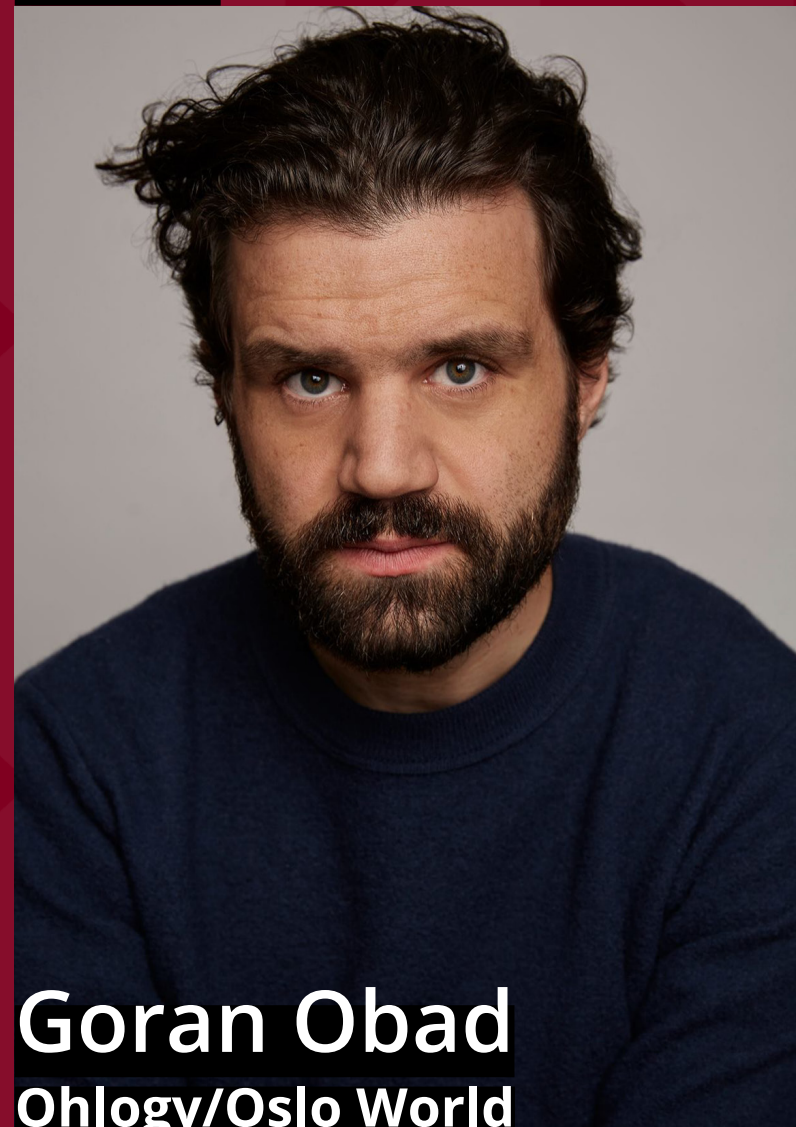
Hind Hamed
Singer, Actress, Voice Artist

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CONSCIOUS PROGRAMMING: Elevating SWANA Voices

Friday,
5 Sep 2025
3:00 p.m,
at Manara Arts
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Speakers:



Moderator:



Workshop

OPEN CALL: Building a Hybrid Live Set With Sami Galbi & Matthew Franklin

Application Required

Friday,
5 Sep 2025
4:00-7:00 p.m,
at Manara Arts
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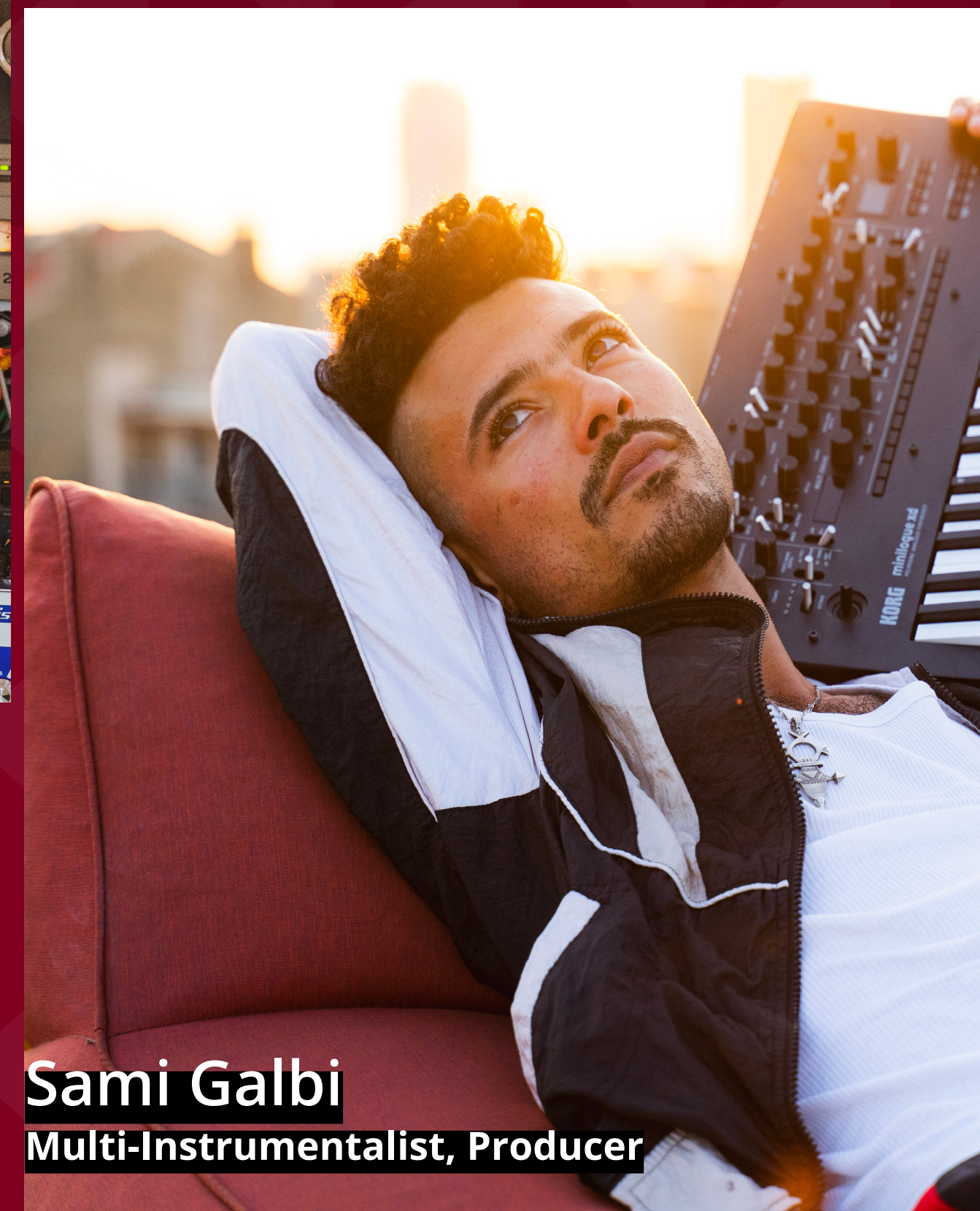
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Speakers:



Matthew Franklin
Electronic Music,
Hardware Engineering & Video



Sami Galbi
Multi-Instrumentalist, Producer