**Closeness to the Arab World Course**

City: Barcelona

**Organisation responsible:** Associació Catalunya-Líban

**Date:** 14-17th November 2017

**Activity:** The Catalunya-Líban Association organizes a course to introduce participants into the plurality and diversity of the Arab World.

**Objectives**

Contributing to knowledge and solidarity to combat racism and discrimination.

**Description**

It consisted of four sessions dealing with the following issues:


2nd session: Sociopolitical reality and policies of solidarity and cooperation in Lebanon. In charge of Ghassan Saliba, responsible for the Arab world at CCOO in Catalonia and the Catalunya-Líban Association.

3rd session: Interculturality, diversity, equality and against Islamophobia. The diversity of the Islamic fact from its ritual languages and symbols.

4th session: Palestine, the central cause of the Arab world. Policies of solidarity, movements of Palestinian women and struggle for national liberation. Both in charge of Zuhur Dalo, president of the Palestinian community in Catalonia and specialist in the Arab and Islamic world.

**Beneficiaries**

The training is aimed at entities, institutions and workers in contact with the different groups from the Arab world, as well as all those interested in matters of solidarity and cooperation.