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Palestinian American spoken word poet Dana Dajani announces a 2023 North American fall tour with stops across the northeast. Having performed in Europe and the Middle East for the past decade, Dajani is looking forward to connecting with fans and friends in the US and Canada as she celebrates the upcoming release of her poetry collection *An Olive Branch* with live performances.

At the intersection of poetry and theater, Dajani explores themes of Palestinian liberation, Immigration, Technology and Media, Identity, Decolonization, Resistance, and Freedom through animated characters brought to life on stage. The tour aims to shed light on these important social issues while providing a space for meaningful conversations and connections. On stage, Dajani breaks the barrier between audience and performer, inviting attendees to participate by reflecting between poems in an interactive "town hall".

"My poetry speaks of social justice with the goal of connecting people from all walks of life, and I believe that storytelling can do just that. You can argue with someone's politics, but you cannot deny someone's story and lived experience. In this way, my poems, told from the perspective of various characters, can start a conversation that may lead to a new understanding. From that place of understanding we can find empathy and compassion, camaraderie and even love."

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ABOUT THE ARTIST

Dana Dajani is a writer, performer, and activist now based in Doha, Qatar. She was honored as Emirates Woman "Artist of the Year" and received the Young Arab Award for Entertainment in 2016. She was also recognized by Stylist Arabia as one of the "50 Influential and Inspirational Women in the UAE".

Dana has performed in global icons of culture such as the Guggenheim Museum in Bilbao and the Sydney Opera House. The creative influencer has hosted and performed for a plethora of exclusive brands including Van Cleef & Arpel, Swarovski, Damas, MindValley, Expo 2020, Etisalat, Blackberry, Huawei, Tag Heuer, and countless others.



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