

# CHAPTER NEWSLETTER

STAND's Monthly Newsletter

## CHAPTER NEWSLETTER: DECEMBER 2021



## Goodbye 2021, Hello 2022

This year has gone by way too fast! From policy advocacy to lobbying to fundraising to chapter meetings, we've done a lot. And there's so much more to come in the spring. Have a happy holidays, and good luck on exams!

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## Join Us!

Get involved with what we're doing nationally and [join an action committee!](#)

Or, focus on advocacy in your community and [become a state advocacy lead!](#)

## Give the Gift of Peace

This holiday season, we are raising money to support our youth-led and youth-empowering genocide and atrocity prevention efforts. See how you can help us in our mission to give the gift of peace by donating to @standnow on Facebook or Instagram or checking out our [individual](#) or [chapter](#) fundraising guides.



## Why Give to STAND?

Hear from Managing Committee members, STAND alumni, and chapter leads on how STAND has helped them in their journeys, and why they think people should donate [here](#).



*"STAND has given me a beautiful network of friends and professional contacts that have helped me through hard times, shared in the good times, and given me irreplaceable memories"*

*—Jordan Stevenson, alumni*

*"STAND has made me so much more aware of injustices within the world. It has helped me learn so much about international relations and given me a big insight into the role of the U.S. government in the global stage"*

*—Sarah Hanerfield, chapter lead*



## We're Back! The MC is Going on Retreat

For the first time in two years, the Managing Committee will be together at our in-person retreat this January! With trainings, planning sessions for next semester, and meetings with Congress, there's so much to be done! This will be the first time many of this year's MC members will get to meet, and it will be such a great experience. We can't wait!



### STAND Conflict Update: October 2021

## Read our Latest Conflict Updates and Blog Posts

Our November and December conflict updates are coming soon, and make sure to check out our piece for October [here](#).

Also, be sure to read [our statement](#) on Sudan's recent military coup, something of great importance to us since we were founded as a movement against the Darfur genocide in Sudan.

## QUESTIONS? CONCERNS? UPDATES?

Please fill out [this](#) google form so we can better help our chapters! We would love to hear if these newsletters and lesson plans are helping you.



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