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# Women and Peace-building: A New Approach in the Middle East

A Beyond Words/AWE Workshop

November 8-9, 2009 • The Crossings, Austin, TX

**Tuition: \$195 | Accommodation Fees Additional**

**Registration: 512-258-7243 | [www.thecrossingsaustin.com](http://www.thecrossingsaustin.com)**

This experiential workshop is based on a new model for Peace-building developed through cooperation between two organizations: Beyond Words and The Accelerating Women Entrepreneurs (AWE) Alliance. Beyond Words (BW) is an organization started by Arab and Jewish facilitators in Israel. The BW approach promotes emotional awareness, empowerment and healing which enhances the possibility of living at peace with ourselves and others. It also helps women find their voices and reconnect with their strength so they can work together for social justice. AWE is an Alliance based educational and marketing nonprofit organization dedicated to empowering women, and through them bringing about global peace and prosperity. Beyond Words has become the first candidate in AWE’s Product and Empowerment Program (“PEP”). PEP enables the women of Beyond Words to participate in a global product distribution system and learn principles of economic freedom and empowerment for the betterment of their community and country.

During the workshop, you will have an opportunity to experience the Beyond Words, bio-energetics and EMDR approaches to understanding how trauma affects the body. You will be introduced to take-home tools that can enhance inner peace, confidence, and relationship skills. You will also hear more about the AWE/BW initiative and how you can personally become involved in this double empowerment program. Join us and learn how to create a good balance between your own inner peace and working for peace in the world.

## Presenters:

Nitsan Gordon-Giles  
Beyond Words Director

Joyce Beck  
Crossings Co-founder,  
Workshop Weaver

Terry McGeehan  
Neuroplasticity and EMDR

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Executive Director, Accelerating Women Entrepreneurs-AWE

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