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IRAQ VETERAN DENOUNCES WAR & SEEKS CHANGE



Liam Madden

Iraq Vets Against the War

Tuesday, Jan. 27

7 PM

MLK Room

Campus Center

Salem State College

To commemorate **Peace and Social Justice Week** at Salem State College, **Liam Madden**, Boston native, former Marine Sergeant, and co-chair of the nationwide organization, **Iraq Vets Against the War**, will speak about peace & war.

Well-known for his opposition to the Iraq war, Liam was co-founder of the *Appeal for Redress*, a petition to the US Congress to remove military forces and bases from Iraq. “The Appeal for Redress is a manifestation of conscience within our ranks,” he said.

“Soldiers are sworn to do more than obey, they are sworn to support and defend the US Constitution against all enemies, foreign and domestic,” he asserted in an article in *The Atlantic Monthly*.

Liam will discuss experiences in Iraq which motivated him to denounce the war and will describe the toll it has taken on soldiers and the country. He will also pose the question “Where can people go from here?”



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