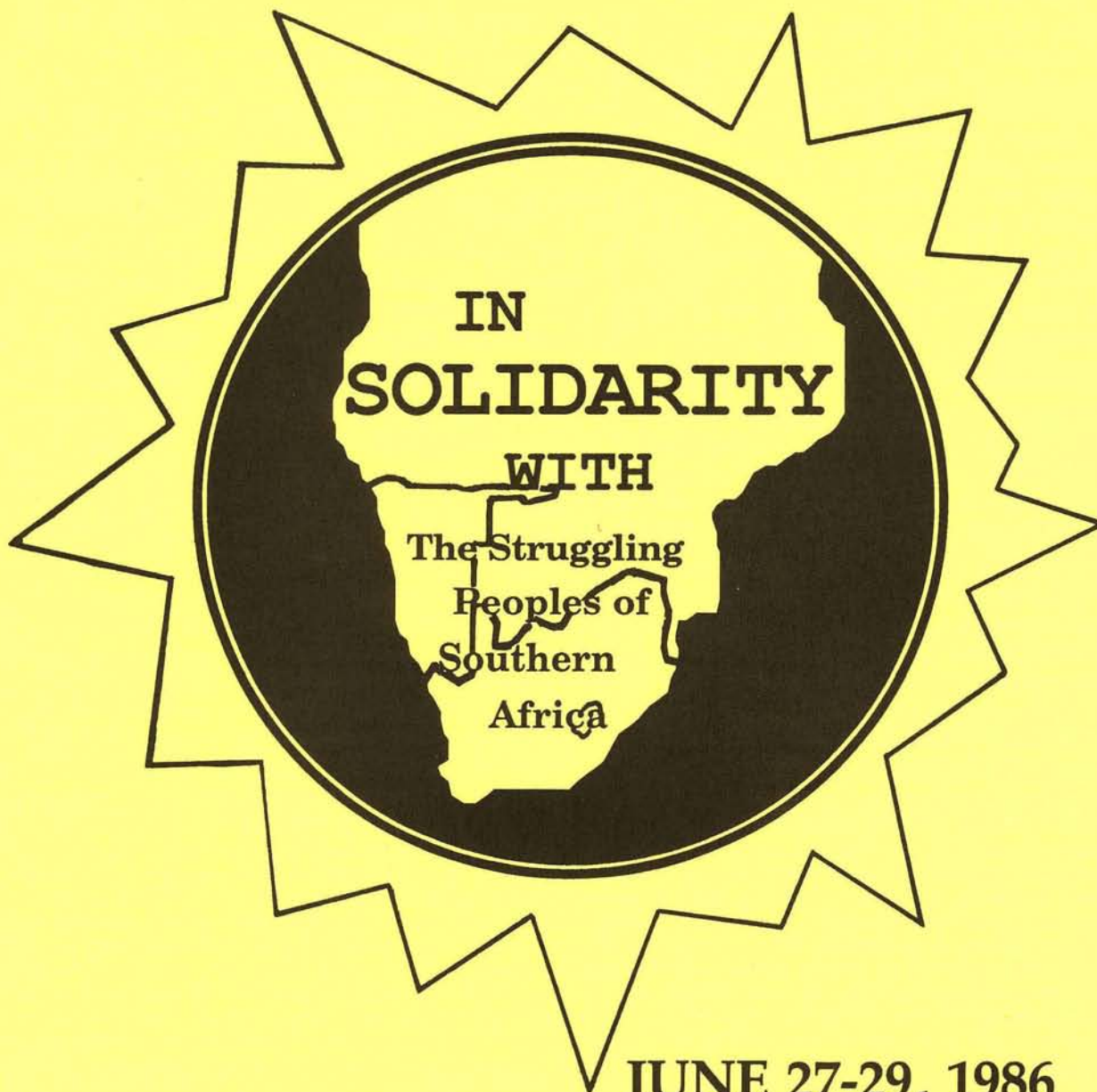


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# CONFERENCE



**JUNE 27-29, 1986**  
**San Francisco State**  
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In cooperation with the African National Congress (ANC) of South Africa and  
the South West Africa Peoples' Organization (SWAPO) of Namibia

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*We look forward to your attendance at this historic conference,  
and to your active participation in its vitally important work.*

FOR THE PAST SEVERAL YEARS, our government has bolstered the fascist, racist apartheid regime in South Africa through the Reagan policy of "constructive engagement." This despite the fact that the American people have demonstrated again and again their firm opposition to apartheid. We have done so through mass actions—picket lines, boycotts, sit-ins, refusal to load and unload cargo, divestment campaigns, prayer meetings and resolutions.

At the same time, South African troops, with U.S. government support, have stepped up their military aggression against, and incursions into, the sovereign nations of Angola, Mozambique, Lesotho, Zambia and Zimbabwe in an effort to destabilize them and cut off support from these Frontline States to the ANC and SWAPO. Given South Africa's nuclear capability, these developments not only threaten peace in that region, but constitute an escalating threat to world peace.

Here at home, the worsening economic condition of working people, especially peoples of color and poor people, cannot be separated from the super-exploitation of the peoples of South Africa and Namibia by U.S. multinational corporations.

Therefore, in cooperation with our brothers and sisters of the South West Africa Peoples' Organization (SWAPO) of Namibia and the African National Congress (ANC) of South Africa, the leading forces for liberation in Southern Africa, and in commemoration of the 10th Anniversary of the Soweto Uprising:

WE HEREBY ISSUE A CALL TO CONFERENCE AND ACTION to repudiate the Reagan policy of "constructive engagement," to deepen the U.S. people's opposition to apartheid, and to strengthen the bonds of solidarity between the people of our respective countries.

### FRIDAY EVENING

*A special panel on the similarities and differences between  
the U.S. civil rights movement and the struggle for national liberation.*

### SATURDAY WORKSHOPS

- The Role of U.S. Labor in the Struggle for Majority Rule
- Changing U.S. Foreign Policy Towards Southern Africa—and World Peace
- The Role of Religious and Community Organizations in the Struggle for Comprehensive and Mandatory Sanctions
- U.S. Student Movement: Divestment and Beyond
- Ending U.S. Media, Sports and Entertainment Collaboration
- Building Support for the Women and Children of Namibia and South Africa
- Campaigns to Free Political Prisoners
- Financial and Material Aid to SWAPO and ANC

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