

# Exploring Existing Platforms

Instances exploring potential creativity and friction of established web platforms and spaces;  
Social Media Activism, Hacktivism, Media Hacking

“Quiet” Spaces  
Open Audience  
Non-traditional

# Game-based Protests

# 1. Pandemic Protest

## Animal Crossing Activism



Post



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Animal Crossing is Fast Becoming a New Way for Hong Kong Protesters to Fight for Democracy! The [#Covid\\_19](#) pandemic has halted public demonstrations, so protesters are taking their cause to [#AnimalCrossing](#).  
[usgamer.net/articles/anima...](https://usgamer.net/articles/anima...)

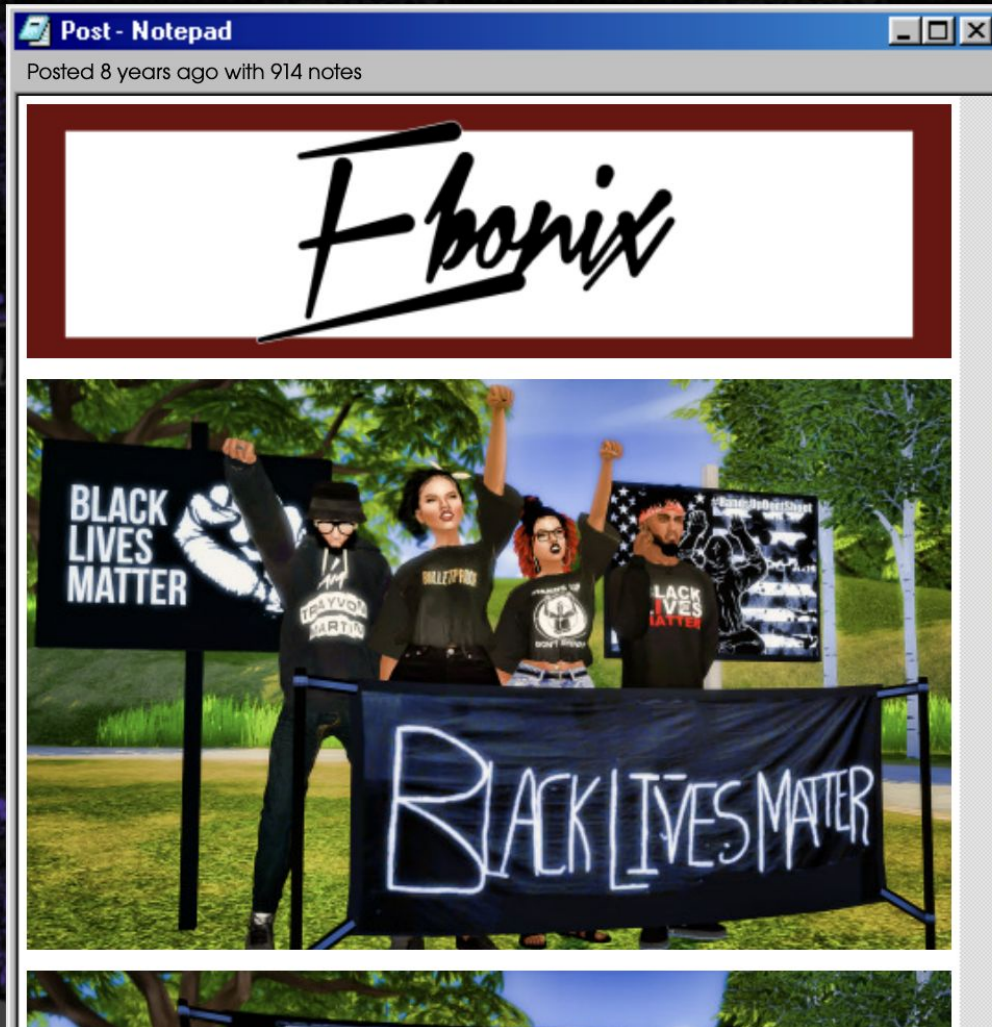
(This is my island!)



5:09 AM · Apr 2, 2020

## 2. BLM Protest

Ebonix Sims Protest



# Social Media

NEWS

# Seoul's Pride Parade Was Denied a Permit. Tens of Thousands Showed Up Anyway

Rather than assembling in Seoul Plaza, Pride attendees took to the streets in droves.



BY ABBY MONTEIL

June 3, 2024

### 3. Korean Online Queer Parade

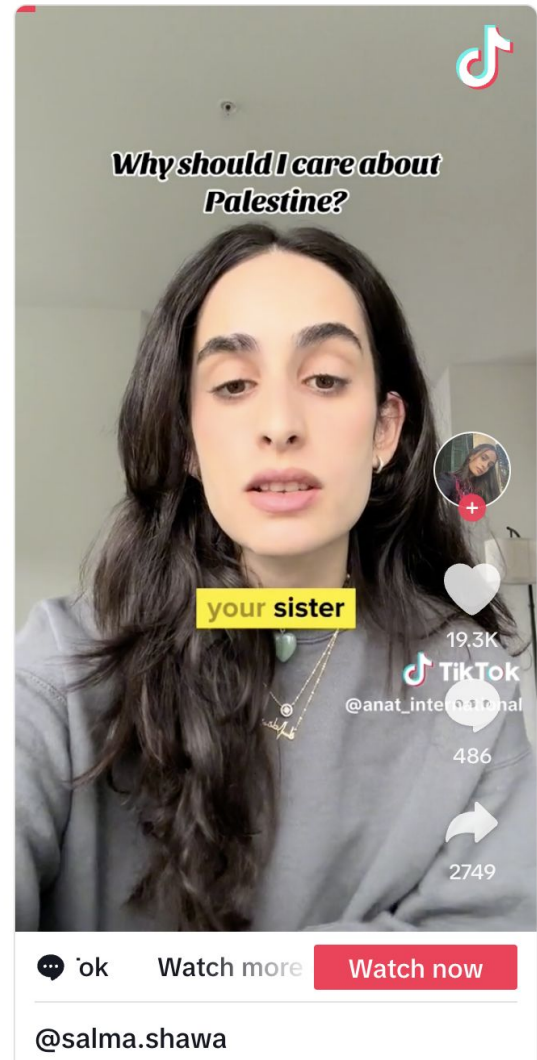




Gaza

## 4.#Free Palestine

TikTok



**Opinion**  
Global development

🕒 This article is more than **6 months old**

Gaza's social media activists are a potent force for change in the fight against racism

*Kenneth Mohammed*

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The new wave of Palestinian protesters are heirs to giants such as Martin Luther King, Malcolm X, CLR James and Rosa Parks



CULTURE

## TikTok isn't creating false support for Palestine. It's just reflecting what's already there.

The Israel-Hamas war changed the way we engage online, maybe forever.

by **Rebecca Jennings**

Dec 13, 2023, 9:00 AM EST



*TikTok is becoming the predominant social platform of the youth*

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## Met Gala Gaza Side by Side ▾



#HungerGames #metgala  
#FreePalastine

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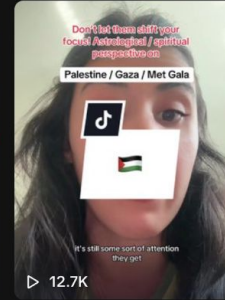
Same planet, different  
worlds. 🌍❤️ While some...

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Ein planet, zwei  
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Don't let them shift your  
focus!! We talk more abo...

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A reflection about the Met  
Gala and Gaza...

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Side-by-side that compares the disparities of Gaza and high fashion

## 5.Motaz Azaiza

Palestinian activist, artist

 **MoTaz**   
5,558 posts



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@azaizamotaz9

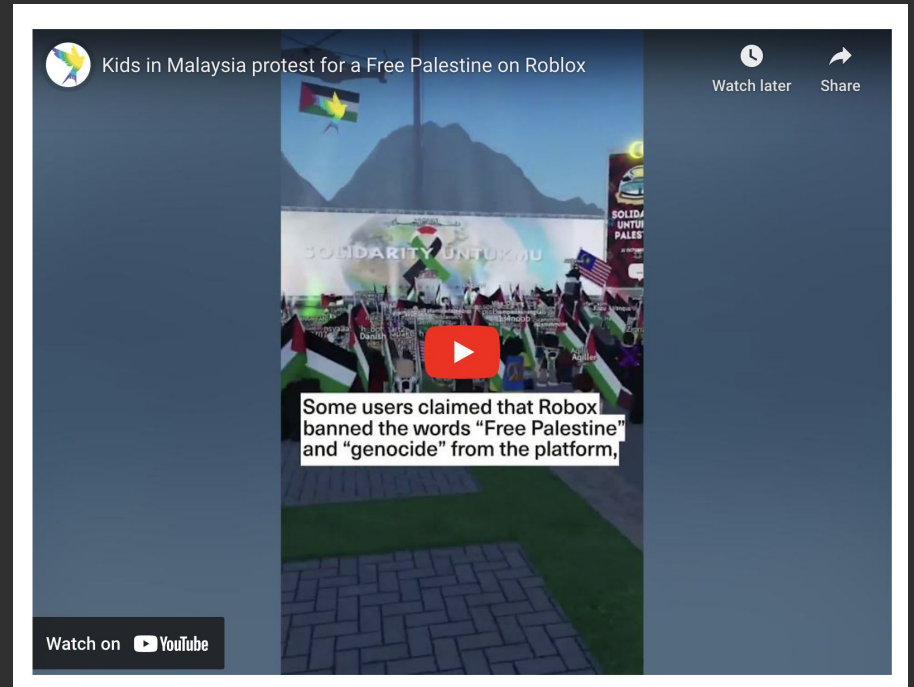
A genocide survivor “physically” trying to convince the world to take actions,  
Award Winning Photojournalist, Independent Palestinian 🇵🇸

 Photographer  Palestine  [instagram.com/motaz\\_azaiza/](https://www.instagram.com/motaz_azaiza/)  
 Born January 30  Joined February 2018

**520** Following **1M** Followers

**Posts** Replies Media

## 6. Roblox

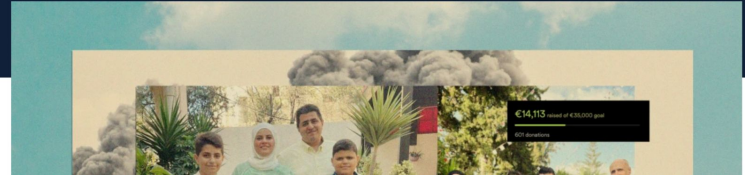


## 6.Crowdfunding

ISRAEL-HAMAS WAR

### Crowdfunding and suitcases full of cash: How Gazans seeking to escape war are paying to flee to Egypt

For many Palestinians stuck in Rafah, crowdfunding has become a lifeline, the only way to meet the skyrocketing cost of crossing the border. Social media users overseas are flocking to help.



# Hacktivism



# 7.Hacktivism

Wikileaks

