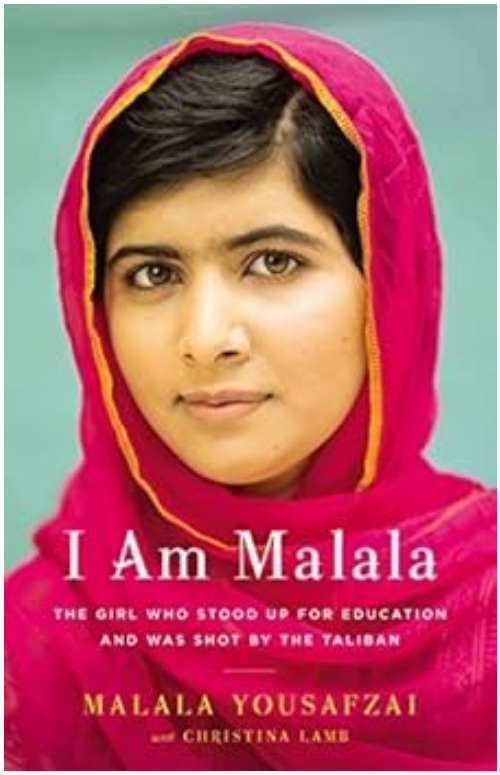
Virtual Athenian Dialogue

February 26, 2025

9:00 am—4:00 pm Eastern



When the Taliban took control of the Swat Valley in Pakistan, one girl spoke out. Malala Yousafzai refused to be silenced and fought for her right to an education.



On Tuesday, October 9, 2012, when she was fifteen, she almost paid the ultimate price. She was shot in the head at point-blank range while riding the bus home from school, and few expected her to survive.

Instead, Malala's miraculous recovery has taken her on an extraordinary journey from a remote valley in northern Pakistan to the halls of the United Nations in New York. At sixteen, she became a global symbol of peaceful protest and the youngest nominee ever for the Nobel Peace Prize.

I AM MALALA is the remarkable tale of a family uprooted by global terrorism, of the fight for girls' education, of a father who, himself a school owner, championed and encouraged his daughter to write and attend school, and of brave parents who have a fierce love for their daughter in a society that prizes sons.

I AM MALALA will make you believe in the power of one person's voice to inspire change in the world.

Facilitated By:

Dawn Michanowicz



About our facilitator, Dawn Michanowicz: Retired Master Municipal Clerk, Dawn currently teaches mindfulness classes to encourage work-life balance. Her career began as a candidate for the US Foreign Service. She owned both an import/export business and a dance studio prior to her public service. Today she is a *Certified Practitioner of Energy Medicine* and Yoga Instructor. She teaches stress management techniques in municipalities across New England, Florida and NY. She is a popular facilitator who brings creativity, joy and humor to her seminars. She is a mentor and supports others seeking to become Athenian Dialogue Facilitators. This is her 49th Dialogue with IIMC!

*****Participants must purchase & read the book prior to the dialogue***

Hosted By:

Ohio Municipal Clerks Association

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2025 Athenian Dialogue Registration

I AM MALALA:

The Girl Who Stood Up for Education and Was Shot by the Taliban

By: Malala Yousafzai & Christina Lamb

Wednesday, February 26, 2025 9:00 AM—4:00 PM Eastern

Location: **VIRTUAL**

NAME:_____

MUNICIPALITY:_____

ADDRESS:_____

PHONE:_____EMAIL:_____

*__Cost is $75 for OMCA Members; $100 for Non-Members__

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- ***Limited to 30 Participants** Registration will close once participation has reached 30*
- ***Each Athenian Dialogue qualifies for 3 points toward your CMC or MMC (with completion of learning assessment)***
- ***Participants are required to purchase their own book and read prior to the Dialogue***

TOTAL ENCLOSED:_____

OMCA MEMBER:_____

NON-MEMBER:_____

*Cancellations received less than 14 days prior to this dialogue will not be refunded.
All cancellations must be made in writing.*