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Manuel Tapial

Detail	Info
Role	Co-founder, Rumbo a Gaza
Nationality	Spanish
Background	Journalist and activist

Manuel Tapial is a Spanish journalist and activist, co-founder of the **Rumbo a Gaza** organisation, which is a lead coordinating body of the Freedom Flotilla Coalition. He has been involved in multiple Gaza flotillas.

Sources: Freedom Flotilla Coalition profiles, Spanish media coverage of Rumbo a Gaza.

Laura Arau

Detail	Info
Role	Coordinator, Rumbo a Gaza
Nationality	Spanish
Background	Activist

Laura Arau is a coordinator for the Rumbo a Gaza campaign, organising Spanish participation in the Sumud Flotilla. She has been a prominent voice in Spanish solidarity activism.

Sources: Freedom Flotilla Coalition member listings, Spanish solidarity media.

Other Key Organisers

Name	Organisation	Role
Huwaida Arraf	US Boat to Gaza / ISM co-founder	Palestinian-American human rights lawyer
Ann Wright	US Boat to Gaza	Retired US Army colonel, diplomat (resigned 2003 over Iraq)
Dr. Paul Larudee	Free Gaza Movement co-founder	American physician and activist
Dror Feiler	Ship to Gaza Sweden	Swedish-Israeli musician and activist
Mikael Löfgren	Ship to Gaza Sweden	Multiple flotilla veteran
Prof. Erik Fosse	Ship to Gaza Norway	Norwegian doctor, was on Mavi Marmara (2010)
Dr. Ramón Pedregal	Rumbo a Gaza	Spanish doctor, (maimed by Israeli forces on 2010 flotilla)
Mairead Maguire	Independent	Nobel Peace Prize laureate (N. Ireland), veteran flotilla participant
Greta Berlin	Free Gaza Movement co-founder	American journalist

Sources

- Freedom Flotilla Coalition member organisations
- Rumbo a Gaza campaign materials
- Historical coverage of 2010-2018 flotillas

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