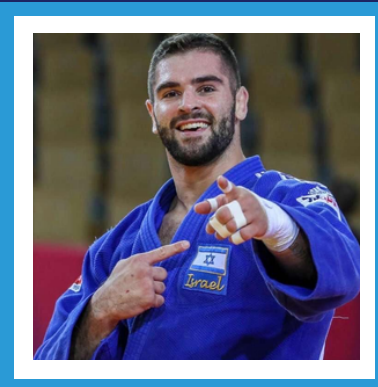




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AKLA USA FELLOWSHIP



AKLA creates proud Jews by educating teens about the world's most accomplished Jewish successes and innovations. Through immersive, experiential learning across diverse fields, from technology and humanitarian impact to culture, security, and global innovation- AKLA empowers teens to discover pride in their heritage and the relevance of Jewish values in today's world.

Essential elements of the AKLA fellowship:

- ✓ Jewish Pride & Identity
- ✓ Experiential Learning
- ✓ Achievement & Innovation
- ✓ Access to Exceptional Mentors
- ✓ Real-World Exploration
- ✓ Leadership Development
- ✓ Community & Belonging
- ✓ Remembrance Resilience

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AKLA Day New York October 18, 2026

Bringing Innovation, Leadership and Jewish Pride to Life

What do an Israeli fighter pilot, Albert Einstein, a two-time Olympic medalist, and the creators of world-changing technologies have in common? They all embody a tradition of curiosity, courage, resilience, and perseverance that has shaped the Jewish story for generations.

Join AKLA for a one-of-a-kind leadership experience designed to inspire the next generation of Jewish leaders.

Participants will step into the cockpit of an F-35 fighter jet at The Squadron, flying advanced flight simulators alongside Israeli Air Force instructors. They'll explore remarkable Jewish and Israeli achievements through immersive Virtual Reality, then put their teamwork and problem-solving skills to the test in AKLA's exciting Drone Obstacle Course.

The experience continues with an exclusive opportunity to meet and train with **Peter Paltchik**—Israel's two-time Olympic medalist, former world No. 1 judoka, European Champion, and 2024 Olympic flag bearer. Through an interactive training session, Peter will share the discipline, perseverance, and leadership mindset that helped him become one of Israel's greatest champions.

The day concludes with AKLA's powerful Remembrance presentation, connecting students to the stories, sacrifices, and achievements that have shaped Jewish life across generations. Participants will leave with a deeper sense of Jewish pride, purpose, and inspiration to help shape the future of the Jewish community.

For Jewish Teens in 7th–9th Grade. Space is limited. Register today and join us for an unforgettable day of leadership, innovation, and Jewish pride!

Lunch plus round trip transportation provided from various locations in and around New York City! For more information check out our website at <https://aklausa.org/>

Come join us & make this fellowship AWESOME!

