



# Fartumo Kusow

Voice for Survivors.  
Advocate for Change.  
Builder of Safer Communities.

Let's speak.  
Let's rise.  
Together.

Fartumo Kusow is a Somali-Canadian author, advocate, and founder of We Speak Media and the Sahra Bulle Foundation. She works to combat gender-based violence through education, storytelling, and culturally grounded healing that centers survivors, caregivers, and changemakers.

## Get in Touch!

✉ [fartumo@wespeake.com](mailto:fartumo@wespeake.com)  
🌐 [www.fartumokusow.com](http://www.fartumokusow.com)  
☎ 519-981-7651

## APPEARANCES

- ✓ Keynote: Unifor Ontario Regional Council (2024)
- ✓ Keynote: Unifor Local, Nov 25 Day to End Violence Against Women (2024)
- ✓ Speaker : OSSTF Status of Women Conference (2024)
- ✓ Presenter : #IamSahraBulle Conference (2023-2025)
- ✓ Facilitator : Four Part Workshop Series for Men & Boys
- ✓ Trainer: GBV Toolkits for Students & Frontline Workers

 **12.5K**  
WeSpeake

 **45.5K**  
monthly page views

 **55K**  
podcast downloads

 **1K**  
email subscribers

# SIGNATURE TOPICS

## **Silence Is Not Protection, Silence Is Permission**

Reclaiming voice as resistance to violence.

## **Caregiving with Dignity: The Unseen Work of Daughters**

Honouring the emotional and cultural labour of caregiving.

## **Storytelling for Healing and Collective Power**

Using personal narratives to drive change and healing.

## **Engaging Men and Boys in Ending Gender-Based Violence**

Strategies for allyship rooted in culture and accountability.

## **Centering Survivors in Education, Advocacy, and Policy**

Building systems that listen, believe, and empower.

## **Creating Safer Schools, Homes, and Communities**

Trauma-informed approaches for sustainable prevention.

## **From Grief to Purpose**

Transforming trauma into voice, vision, and leadership.



If you're building safer spaces, leading healing work, or ready to bring story into your mission, let's work together.

# CLIENT FEEDBACK

“Fartumo’s keynote was unforgettable. She brought truth, vulnerability, and power to our event. Her words stayed with our members long after the closing remarks.”

*OSSTF Regional Status of Women Organizer*

Fartumo Kusow’s keynote was the heart of our conference. She spoke with such clarity, compassion, and power that the entire room was moved to action. Her message is necessary and unforgettable.”

*Unifor Ontario Regional Council Conference Organizer (2024)*