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## The Fourth Annual Symposium on Muslim Philanthropy and Civil Society



Wednesday, November 11 – Sunday, November 15, 2020  
12:00 pm to 1:30 pm EST each day  
Via Zoom

[Register here!](#)

Registration is free – but required

### Day 1: Wednesday November 11

**“Muslim Volunteerism in Black Detroit: Faith-Based Activism, Enduring Racial Inequalities, and COVID-19”**

Alisa Perkins, Western Michigan University

**“Grass & Root: Community Giving & Informal Philanthropy in the Black American Mosque”**

Youssef J. Carter, University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill

**“Reparations: Islam, the Trans-Saharan Slave Trade, and the Debt Owed to Africa”**

Yusuf Nuruddin, University of Massachusetts - Boston

**“African-American Mosque Finances: An Overview Taken from the 2020 US Mosque Survey”**

Ihsan Bagby, University of Kentucky

## Day 2: Thursday, November 12

### **“A Self-Critical Civil Society Based on Ihsan”**

Muqtedar Khan, University of Delaware

### **“Identity Tetris: Muslim NGOs in Global Contexts”**

Nagham El Karhili, Georgia State University

### **“Localising zakat: The Cases of the NZFs in the UK and Australia”**

David Tittensor, Deakin University

## Day 3: Friday, November 13

### **“Zakah and Ihsan: An Ontological Shift?”**

Omar H. Ali, University of North Carolina at Greensboro

### **“Racism, Islamophobia and Structural Barriers: Toward Transformative Philanthropy”**

Hatem Bazian, University of California, Berkeley and Islamophobia Studies Center

### **“American-Muslims' Philanthropy during Covid-19: Challenging Media Stereotypes and Countering Islamophobia”**

Sahar Khamis, University of Maryland, College Park

## Day 4: Saturday, November 14

### **“Pluralism in Classical Islamic Law”**

Sohail Hanif, Cambridge Muslim College

### **“‘I am Their Mother’: The Formation of Anti-Patriarchal Religious Authority Among Indonesian Muslim Migrant Domestic Workers in Singapore”**

Lailatul Fitriyah, University of Notre Dame

### **“New Sons of Karachi: Performances of Care in Digital Space”**

Salwa Tareen, Boston University

### **“Theological Principles of Wealth and Philanthropy in Islam”**

Osman Umarji, Yaqeen Institute for Islamic Research

## Day 5: Sunday, November 15

### **“Leadership Transition & European Muslim Charities: From British Roots to an Original French Islamic Philanthropy”**

Lucas Faure, Institut d'Etudes Politiques d'Aix-en-Provence

**“The Problems and Perils of Muslims Condemning Terrorism”**

Todd Green, Luther College

**“Analyzing the Praxis Gap in the Study of Religion and the Aid/Development Spectrum”**

Abbas Barzegar, Council on American-Islamic Relations

**“Black Muslim Outreach and Interfaith Activism in Louis Farrakhan’s Nation of Islam”**

Dawn-Marie Gibson, University of London