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Agenda for Friday, October 5, 4-5:20pm, 455 Weiser Hall - Islamophobia Working Group meeting

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Evelyn Alsultany <alsultan@umich.edu> Wed, Oct 3, 2018 at 4:30 PM
To: Islamophobia Working Group <islamophobiaworkinggroup@umich.edu>

Hello Islamophobia Working Group,

Attached please find the agenda for Friday's meeting which will take place at 455 Weiser Hall, 4-5:20pm.

I look forward to seeing those who are able to make it.

Best,
Evelyn

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From: **Evelyn Alsultany** <alsultan@umich.edu>
Date: Thu, Sep 27, 2018 at 1:19 PM
Subject: Call for agenda items for Friday, October 5 meeting by noon on Tuesday, October 2
To: Islamophobia Working Group <islamophobiaworkinggroup@umich.edu>
Cc: Silan Fadlallah <silanf@umich.edu>

Hello Islamophobia Working Group,

Our next meeting is on Friday, October 5, 4-5:30pm at 455 Weiser Hall. I am writing to request agenda items for the meeting. We rely on our group members to make us aware of issues that Muslim, MENA, and other students, staff, and faculty members impacted by Islamophobia face. If you are part of a student group, please feel free to use this group to brainstorm and discuss any issues that have come up within your group. Same goes for faculty and staff.

Please send Silan Fadlallah and me agenda items by Tuesday, October 2 at noon and we will circulate the agenda in advance of the meeting.

Best wishes,
Evelyn

PS
Below is some additional information.

About the Islamophobia Working Group
The IWG is open to any student, staff, or faculty member at UM who is interested in collaborating on making this campus as inclusive as possible given the increased national and international climate of anti-Muslim and anti-Arab/Middle Eastern racism. The group is comprised of students, staff, and faculty who volunteer their time to identify and address issues that impact our community. We seek to advise and work with the administration on Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion (DEI) initiatives as they pertain to Muslims of all backgrounds and others impacted by Islamophobia. Our work is driven by issues brought to the group by any student, staff, or, faculty member. The group strategizes as a collective to figure out the best approach to a

given issue. Thus, if you encounter a pertinent issue, we want to know about it and we welcome your participation in the group.

Upcoming Fall meetings
Friday, October 5, 4-5:30 pm
Friday, November 2, 4-5:30 pm
Friday, December 7, 4-5:30 pm

If you are interested in getting up to speed with all things IWG, please visit our Google Drive folder, website, or view our video.

Finally, please forward this email to anyone who might be interested in joining us. Those who are interested should contact Silan Fadlallah or me to be added to the email listserv. Likewise, if anyone would like to be removed from this listserv, please let us know.

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Nicola Saliendra <nsali@umich.edu> Fri, Oct 5, 2018 at 8:04 PM
To: Evelyn Alsultany <alsultan@umich.edu>, Silan Fadlallah <silanf@umich.edu>

Hi Evelyn and Silan,

I wanted to let you know that unfortunately we do not have a staff member from Housing, Diversity & Inclusion that is able to attend the meeting today. We have a Homecoming Event this evening that we are managing and staff who are moving. Our apologies!

Please let me know if you need anything from Housing and we will have someone present at the next meeting.

Thanks,
Nicola
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Evelyn Alsultany <alsultan@umich.edu> Fri, Oct 5, 2018 at 8:07 PM
To: Nicola Saliendra <nsali@umich.edu>
Cc: Silan Fadlallah <silanf@umich.edu>

Hi Nicola,

Thanks for letting us know. No problem at all. We very much appreciate that Housing, Diversity & Inclusion are part of the IWG!

Best wishes on your evening event,
Evelyn

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