



Cultural Awareness Training

Muslims in Britain - Two Day Residential Course

This leaflet shows the areas that will be covered within the course as well as the course dates. Full details of the course are available in the colour brochure. If you do not have a brochure further copies may be obtained from the address below.

Course Dates

2004

April 21st - 22nd

May 19th - 20th

June 16th - 17th

September 15th - 16th

October 13th - 14th

December 1st - 2nd

Basic Beliefs and Practices

Everyday practices such as prayer (*salat*), fasting in Ramadan (*sawm*), pilgrimage (*hajj*) and their implications for service providers.

Festivals and Rights of Passage

Birth and related ceremonies; Marriage (*nikah*); death, post-mortem, burial (*janaza*) and mourning; Eid celebrations and holiday issues.

Family and Gender Issues

Marriage and gender dynamics, including the role and function of the family as well as its place within wider society.

Mosque and Community

Introduction to the mosque including its role and function in community life. The position of the mosque as a contact point for reaching the Muslim community.

Muslims in Britain

History of arrival, settlement and issues faced by migrant communities. The growth of the second generation and the contemporary issues faced by the Muslim community.

Islamophobia and Religious Discrimination

What is Islamophobia, what are its effects and how has it developed over time? The manifestation of this phenomenon in British Society and the search for legislation to prevent it.

Community Cohesion

What factors hinder cohesive community formation and how can these be tackled? What are the important issues pertaining to the Muslim community in this respect?

The cost of the course will be £295 (inc. VAT) per participant. This will cover fees, course materials and meals. Accommodation is available on-site for an extra £25 per night, or contacts can be given for hotels as close as 1/3 mile from the conference centre.

There will be a cancellation charge of 20% if the applicant is unable to attend the course, provided that we are informed in writing no later than seven days before the start of the course.

Please note that alcoholic beverages are not permitted within the premises.

Please send completed forms to:

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Markfield Conference Centre, Ratby Lane, Markfield, Leicestershire, LE67 9SY.

Tel: 01530 244944, Fax: 01530 244946, Email: info@i-training.org.uk, Website: www.i-training.org.uk

Please complete fully: (one form per applicant please)

Name _____ Job title _____

Organisation _____

Address _____

Postcode _____

Tel _____ Fax _____ Email _____

Please indicate any special areas of interest for you within the course as described above:

Are there any pertinent issues that the course does not seem to cover? Please mention which:

Do you require disabled access _____ Any other special needs _____

Any dietary restrictions _____ Course date _____ On-site accommodation required

Please pay by:

• Cheque: Made payable to: *The Islamic Foundation*

• Credit Card: Amount £ _____ Visa Delta Euro Master Card Switch

Card number _____ Issue date _____ Expiry date _____

Signature _____ Date _____ Issue number (Switch) _____