



Dear National Consultative Committee,

To aid in the development of an NCC Workplan in 2010 please use the following template to nominate community engagement ideas and issues to be considered by the NCC. Please note multiple submissions in each category will be considered and are encouraged.

Proposals should take into consideration the NCC's support of NCEIS objectives and how the NCC can promote the Centre and its activities to the community. Particular consideration should be paid to the final two objectives.

The Centre's primary objectives include:

- To be a world-class centre of research and educational excellence in Islamic studies;
- To focus on issues of significance and relevance to Islam and Muslims in the contemporary period, with a special focus on Australia;
- To provide expert advice for government, national and international organisations on matters related to contemporary Islam;
- To deliver courses on campus in Melbourne, Sydney and Brisbane and eventually across Australia via distance education or new collaborative arrangements;
- To provide a knowledge and skill foundation for students aspiring to religious and community leadership roles in Australia, as well as opportunities for professional development in relevant areas;
- To help prepare people for work with and in Australian Muslim communities, for instance school teachers, social workers, health professionals, business managers, community leaders and other professionals;
- To establish international connections and develop research programs that will advance Australian and international understanding of Islam;
- To use ongoing engagement with the Australian community to inform its programs and activities; and
- To use teaching and research activities to promote harmony and cultural inclusiveness.

Please complete the attached templates, including your name on each sheet, and return to Ramila Chanisheff, NCEIS Executive Officer (nceis-office@unimelb.edu.au) and NCC Chair, Dr Hass Dellal (info@amf.net.au) by **30 August 2010** for consideration at the next NCC meeting. Alternatively please send to: NCEIS Executive Officer National Centre of Excellence for Islamic Studies Asia Institute Lvl 2, Sidney Myer Asia Centre University of Melbourne Victoria 3010

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### PUBLIC EVENTS

(eg. Seminars, Forums, Community Festivals etc.)

TITLE OF PROJECT:	
SUMMARY OF PROJECT/PROPOSAL: (Include project aims and objectives and how the project is consistent with the aims and objects of NCEIS)	
PARTICIPANTS/PARTNER ORGANISATIONS: (target audience eg. Youth specific, gender specific, general community and who will be involved in planning and facilitation?)	
TIMINGS: (frequency, date/s and specific considerations)	
LOCATION: (city or state specific or nationwide?)	

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### COMMUNITY PROJECTS

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BUDGET: Cost breakdown	

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RESEARCH	
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### COMMUNITY CONSULTATIONS

(Activities to be conducted by you to identify concerns/opportunities in local community, eg community meetings, meetings with specific organisations, surveys)

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### OTHER COMMUNITY ISSUES FOR CONSIDERATION

ISSUE:	
(provide details of issue identified during consultation with community to be consider by NCC)	
TARGET GROUP:	
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