



Symposium on 'The Role of Universities and Research/Cultural Centers in Civilizations Dialogue'

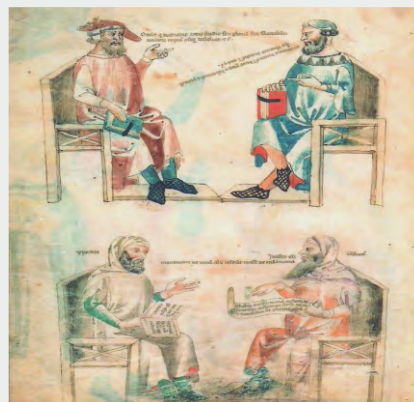
27-29 Jan 2015

Submission Requirements and Conditions:

- 1- Submissions must be related to the themes of the symposium.
- 2- Submissions must meet the conventional academic research standards.
- 3- Submissions must not be previously published or presented in previous scholarly forums.
- 4- Abstracts/papers should be sent via e-mail as a Microsoft Word or a PDF document to urcds@imamu.edu.sa

Dates for Submissions:

1. The deadline for receiving abstracts is 28 Aug. 2014.
2. The deadline for receiving full papers is 2 Nov. 2014.



For further information please

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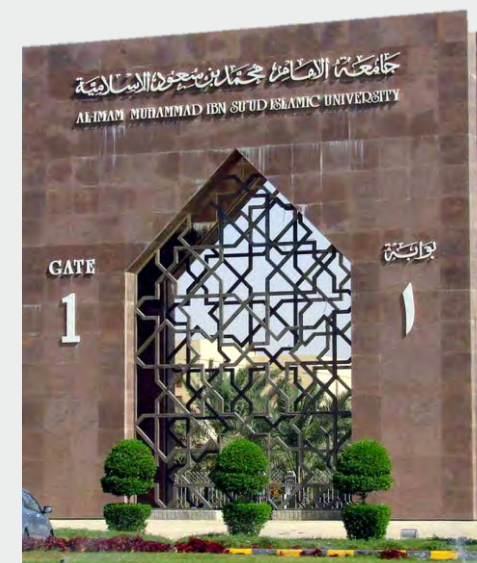
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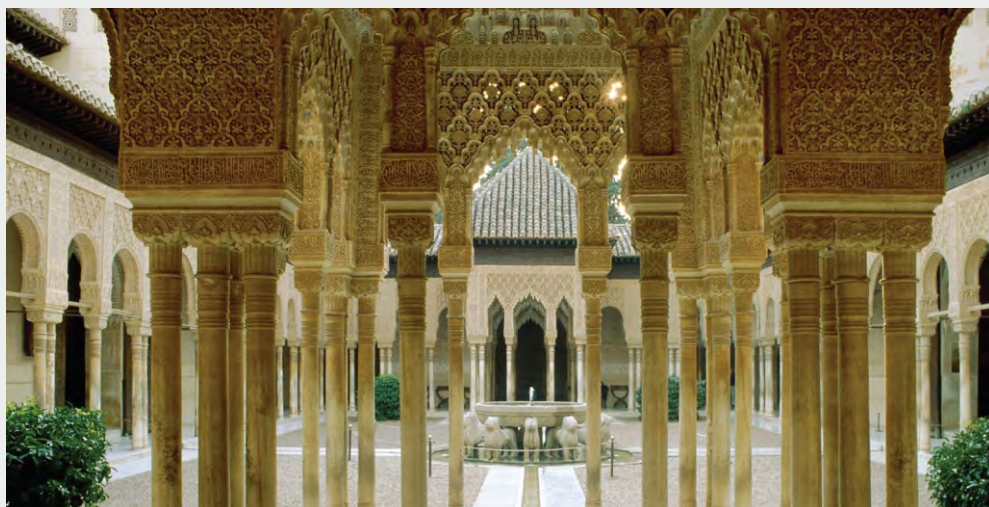
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The Chair of Civilizations Dialogue, in cooperation with Al-Imam Muhammad Ibn Saud Islamic University and Sorbonne University – Paris 1, organizes a symposium on 'The Role of Universities and Research/Cultural Centers in Civilizations Dialogue'.

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Scope:

The symposium discusses the roles being played by universities and research/cultural centers in relation to the dialogue between civilizations. The purpose of this discussion is to strengthen the bonds between nations of different cultures and to affirm the values of peace, justice, solidarity, and dignity for all mankind.

Objectives:

- 1- Emphasizing the importance of the role being played by universities and research/cultural centers in civilizations dialogue.
- 2- Diagnosing the reality of contributions of universities and research/cultural centers in civilizations dialogue.
- 3- Exploring the role being played by universities and research/cultural centers in civilizations dialogue.



4- Gathering scholars and intellectuals interested in the dialogue between civilizations to raise awareness of the concept of dialogue and instill principles of peace for universal mutual understanding.

5-Strengthening the partnership between universities and research/cultural centers in relation to civilizations dialogue.

Themes:

- 1-The methodological and academic dimensions of the civilizations dialogue.
- 2- Dialogue in universities' curricula and in their extracurricular events.
- 3- The contributions of universities and research/cultural centers worldwide to civilizations dialogue.
- 4- The expected roles of universities and research/cultural centers in promoting dialogue between civilizations.
- 5- Methods of promoting partnerships between universities and research/cultural centers in relation to civilizations dialogue.

Program and Participants :

The symposium will comprise several sessions to present the accepted papers and discuss their content by the audience of specialists and interested people in civilizations dialogue.

Participants in the symposium may include the following people:

- Presidents and rectors of universities and institutions of higher education .
- Chairs or managers of research/cultural centers specialized or interested in civilizations dialogue.
- Academics and specialists in civilizations dialogue from universities.

