

COURSE FEES

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Options	Before 2/15/11	2/15/11 & later
Physician	\$175	\$245
Allied Health	\$125	\$175
Physician-in-Training	\$50	\$100
Other	\$75	\$145

Post-Conference Roundtable Discussion

\$50

Attendees must apply to attend this special session during the online registration process. Accepted applicants will be notified via email and receive a separate payment form. Payment for this session will be due at that time.

REGISTRATION

You are urged to register as soon as you are certain of attending as we cannot guarantee educational materials for applicants who are not preregistered or prepaid by March 27, 2011.

To register for this conference, please visit the UM Continuing Medical Education website at:

<http://cme.med.umich.edu>

Registration deadline: March 27, 2011

American Express, Mastercard or Visa are accepted.

CANCELLATION POLICY

An administrative fee of \$25 will be deducted from cancellation refunds. Refund requests must be received in writing one week prior to the course, no later than April 3, 2011. No refunds will be made thereafter.

ACCREDITATION

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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

For questions concerning this conference, please contact:

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WHERE RELIGION, POLICY, AND BIOETHICS MEET:

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COURSE OBJECTIVES

- Provide an overview of the many actors and methodologies used to address issues related to bioethics
- Review pertinent issues related to end-of-life care for Muslim Americans
- Provide an overview of the challenges for applied and theoretical Islamic bioethics
- Develop a framework to facilitate collaboration between key stakeholders in Islamic bioethical deliberation
- Convene a diverse group of scholars and experts to further the dialogue related to how best meet the needs of Muslim practitioners and patients in healthcare

WHO SHOULD ATTEND

- Health professionals and trainees who serve the Muslim Community of Southeast Michigan
- Religious leaders from the American Muslim community with an interest in bioethics
- Social scientists and academics studying Islamic or Muslim bioethics
- Physicians-in-training, graduate students and others interested in bioethics, cultural challenges in medicine, and their interface with Islam

PROGRAM SCHEDULE

Sunday, April 10, 2011

- 7:45 am Registration and Continental Breakfast
- 9:00 **Welcome & Introduction**
Studying & Writing about Islamic Bioethics in America – the Challenges - Aasim I. Padela, MD, MS
- 9:25 **Keynote Address**
Bioethical Discourse in the US – History, Trends & Future - Howard Brody, MD, PhD
- 10:05 **Panel 1: Exploring the Connectedness of Technology, Religion, and Culture and Law in Bioethics**
Moderator: Faisal Qazi, MD
- *Transplanting Bioethics into Different Societies – Concerns of Culture, Religious Values, and Ethical Frameworks* - Raymond De Vries, PhD
 - *The Uneasy (and Changing) Relationship of Healthcare and Religion in Our Legal System* - Robert Vischer, JD
 - Q & A
- 11:00 **Panel 2: Islamic Bioethics Through the Lens of the Islamic Tradition**
Moderator: Taha Abdul Basser, MA
- *Controversies in Islamic Law and Ethics* - Sherman Jackson, PhD
 - *How Traditional Juristconsults Respond to Bioethical Dilemmas and the Role of Juridical Councils* - Shaykh Musa Furber
 - *The Role of a Shiite Imam in Bioethical Consultations* - Imam Hassan al-Qazwini
 - Q & A
- 12:45 pm Lunch & Break for Prayer

- 2:05 **Panel 3: Islamic Bioethics – Public & Professional Considerations**
Moderator: Hamada Hamid, MD, MPH
- *Not Quite Dead: Why Egyptian Doctors Contest the “Universal” Criteria of “Brain-Death”* - Sherine Hamdy, PhD
 - *The Role of Muslim Physicians in the Bioethics Discourse* - Ahsan Arozullah, MD, MPH
 - *What Has Religion to Do with the Practice of Medicine* - Farr Curlin, MD, MS
 - Q & A
- 3:20 Networking Break
- 3:50 **Panel 4: Bioethics and the Healthcare System**
Moderator: Najah Bazzy, RN
- *Hospital Ethics Committees & Their Role and Process: The Experience at the University of Michigan* - Andrew Barnosky, DO, MPH
 - *The Current and Potential Role of the Muslim Chaplain* - James E. Jones, MAR, DMin
 - *Advocating for Muslim Needs to Healthcare Systems* - Eide Alawan
- 5:15 **Closing Remarks & Reception**
What We Know, What We Don't Know and What We Can Learn – Applied Islamic Bioethics in Action - Hasan Shanawani, MD, MPH

Monday, April 11, 2011

- 7:45 am Continental Breakfast
- 8:35 *Bioethics in a World of Mechanical Medicine* - Joel Howell, MD, PhD
- 9:15 **Bioethics, Islam and Muslim Patient Concerns – Cases from Southeast Michigan**
Speakers: Najah Bazzy, RN; Imam Ali Sulaiman Ali, PhD; Hasan Shanawani, MD, MPH
- 11:05 **Keynote Address**
Islamic Applied Ethics and the Future Approach - Tariq Ramadan, PhD
- 11:45 **Closing Remarks & Adjournment** - Aasim I. Padela, MD, MSc
- 11:55 Lunch
- Post-Conference Roundtable Discussion**
(limited to 50 participants)
- 12:45 **Roundtable 1: Constructing Islamic Bioethics in the US**
- *The Concepts of Wilaya, Moral Obligation (Maturidi), and Precedent in Juridical Councils* - Shaykh Amin Kholwadia
 - *Is There an Islamic Bioethics* - Abdulaziz Sachedina, PhD
 - *Respondent # 1* - Sherman Jackson, PhD
 - *Respondent # 2* - Shaykh Musa Furber
 - Discussion
- 3:00 Coffee & Break for Prayer
- 3:40 **Roundtable 2: Simulating the Council in Action: When is it Appropriate to Terminally Withdraw Life Support**
- *Patient & Healthcare Professional Level Concerns* - Najah Bazzy, RN
 - *Hospital & Professional Level Concerns* - Andrew Barnosky, DO, MPH
 - Discussion
 - *Respondent # 1* - Abdulaziz Sachedina, PhD
 - *Respondent # 2* - Shaykh Mohammed Amin Kholwadia
- 5:45 Conference Adjourns

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LOCATION

Day One: Sunday, April 10, 2011

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Day Two: Monday, April 11, 2011

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PARKING

The closest parking structure to both the Biomedical Science and Research Building and Palmer Commons is the Palmer Structure. It is recommended to follow the directions on the Palmer Commons website provided below. The Biomedical Science and Research Building is located just north of Palmer Commons, on the other side of Washtenaw Avenue.

Maps and Driving Directions are available on the Palmer Commons website:
<http://palmercommons.umich.edu/directions/>

LODGING

A block of room have been reserved for this conference at the Holiday Inn Near the University of Michigan: <http://www.hiannarbor.com/>, (800) 800-5560. Please use the link below to reserve a room at the discounted group rate: <http://tinyurl.com/4n5qt8y>