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Dear Prof.,

#### INVITATION AS A SPEAKER AT THE "IIUM GLOBAL e-FORUM"

The International Islamic University will be organizing the **IIUM GLOBAL e-FORUM "Black Lives Matter: Global Responses"**. Hence, it is with great pleasure that we invite you to be one of the panelists in the programme. The details of the "IIUM GLOBAL e-FORUM" are as follows:

Day/Date	: Wednesday/ 19 <sup>th</sup> August2020
On line Platform	: Zoom https://iium.zoom.us/j/96419789684?pwd=c2U1S Fh0dVFZN3dtZU8ySUxzOHh3dz09
Title	: Black Lives Matter : Global Responses

#### The e- Forum Discussion Format is as follows

- The panel will be opened and led by a Moderator who will deliver an opening statement and introduce panelists, set the framework and guide the discussion. The moderator will also be responsible for concluding the discussion and providing a summary of the main issues discussed.
- The e-forum will be held for 1 hour discussion. The length of time for each presenter is 15 minutes. There will be 3 panelists presenting on the topic with different insights.

We are sure, with your vast experience and wisdom, participants will gain valuable knowledge and insights.

Your sacrifice of time and efforts to make this programme a success is most appreciated. Thank you.

Sarden of Knowledge and Virtue

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## BLACK LIVES MATTER: GLOBAL RESPONSES



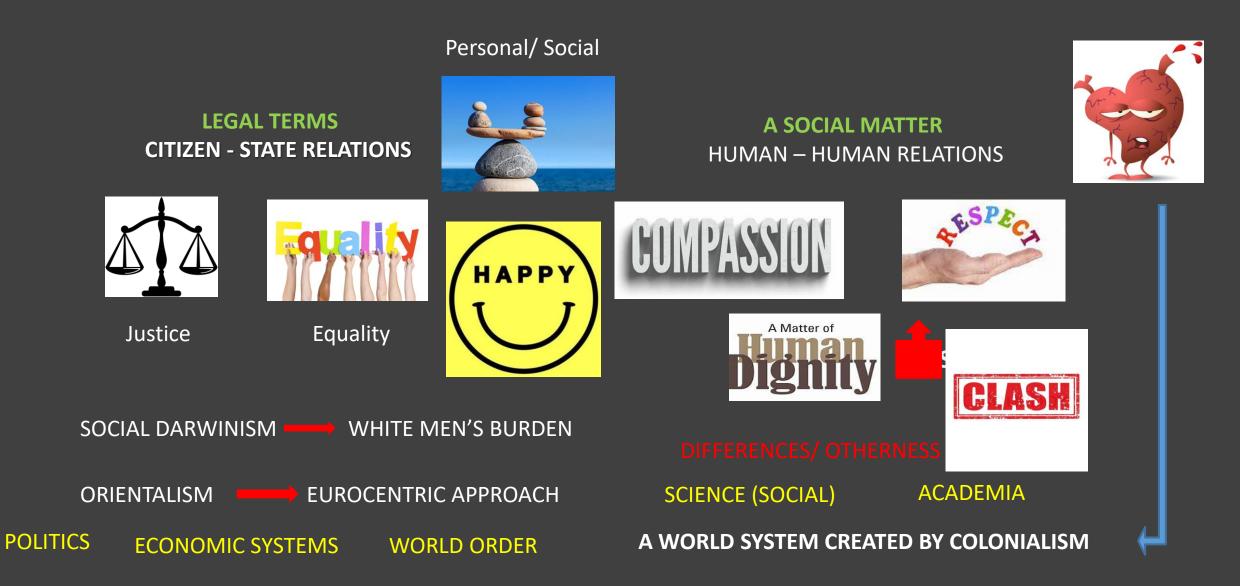
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## Scope

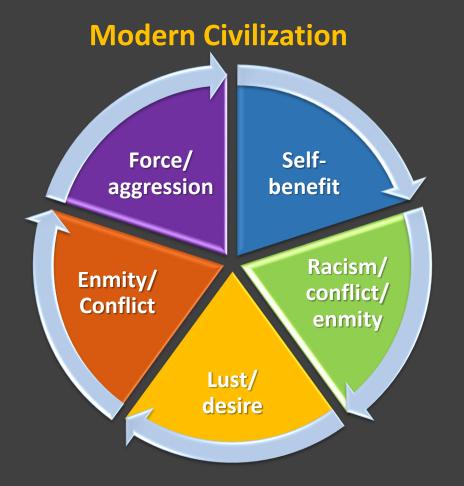
# BLACK IVES MATTER

- What is an Islamic view on Black Lives Matter?
- How is it relevant to Muslims around the globe?
- Does this crisis relevant to the Western world alone?
- How is the situation in the Muslim world?

#### Point One: UNDERSTANDING



## Importance of Foundations



A hundred Sorts of Diseases

The Qur'anic Civilization Justice/ Support balance Security/ Love/ well-being compassion Virtue

Wheel of Happiness

(Said Nursi, "Risale-I Nur" and "Damascus Sermon")

### Point Two: Scope and Span of Racism

#### • Always



#### Outsiders:

Discriminations based on skin colour, tribe, geographical location, gender, language, social status



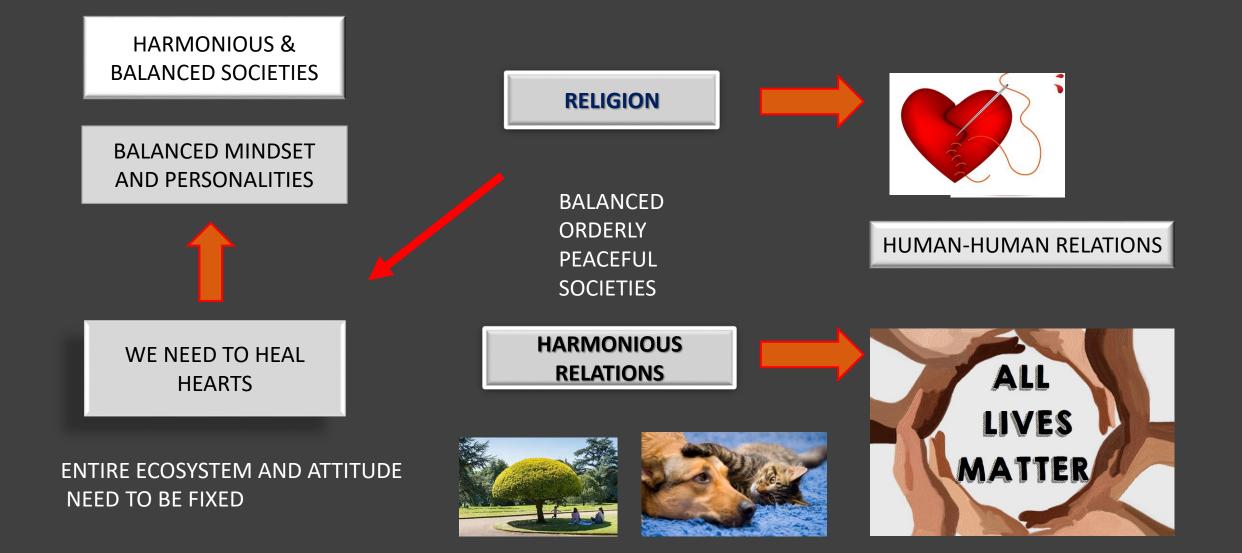
#### • Everywhere



#### Difference:

Religion, culture, skin colour, ethnicity, language, race, gender, worldview, citizenship, passport

## Point Three: The Way Forward



#### **IIUM GLOBAL E-FORUM**



19<sup>th</sup> August 2020 Malaysia/ 9.00 pm USA/ 9.00 am Tanzania/ 4.00 pm



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