



Nigeria Muslim Forum (UK)

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Assalamu Alaikum wa Rahmatullah,
Brothers and Sisters,

INVITATION TO THE 2008 SPRING CONFERENCE

You are cordially invited to attend this year's Spring Conference organized by the Nigeria Muslim Forum (UK). It is scheduled to take place at as follows:

Date: 3rd of May 2008
Venue: Madinah Mosque and Islamic centre, 2 Barlow Road, Levenshulme, Manchester M19 3DJ (Free parking available)
Time: 10:00am – 5:30pm
Theme: 'SHARI'AH IN NON MUSLIM SOCIETY: THE MYTH, THE REALITY'

As usual, the Conference is planned to be a one-day event. Activities scheduled for the day include Lectures, Workshop and General Discussion Session. The Sub-themes of the Conference are:

- Beyond the stereotype: Improving the understanding of Shar'iah among British Community.
- Upholding the Values of Shariah by Individual Muslim in non Muslim Societies.
- Shari'ah and Good Governance.
- Application of Shari'ah in a Globalised World

Feeding: Adequate arrangements food and drinks have been made.

Children Activities: Very exiting children activities have been arranged, including Quiz competitions.

Additional information can be found on the conference website:

<http://www.nmfuk.org/springconference2008.htm>

May Allah (SWT) enable you and your family, as well as other brothers and sisters in your locality to attend, ameen.

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Directions to the Venue

(The Madinah Mosque and Islamic Centre, Levenshulme, Manchester)

By Public Transport: Train or Bus to Manchester, then Bus or Taxi to Madinah Mosque and Islamic Centre, 2 Barlow Road, Off Stockport Road, (Opposite to Barclays Bank, just after NETTO Superstore) Levenshulme, M19 3DJ. Bus No 192 goes from City Center (Piccadilly Gardens) to Stockport Road.

By Car:

- **From London:**

Leave London and join the M1 at the M1/J1 junction direction [M1] The North. Continue on M1 until you reach junction 19 of the M1. Leave the M1 at junction M1/J19 and straight ahead into M6 direction Birmingham. Continue on M6 until you reach Junction 19. Leave the motorway and at the roundabout take the third exit on to A556 (Signposted Manchester Airport). Follow signs for Manchester Airport and join the M56 motorway (signposted Manchester). Keep forward and at Junction 3, keep on the left hand lanes then branch left at junction 3 (signposted Stockport, Didsbury, Sheffield, Leeds). Continue forward onto the M60 motorway, and leave the M60 at junction 1. Continue forward and at the roundabout take the second exit onto the A5145 (signposted Stockport West). At roundabout take the second exit onto the A5145 (signposted Manchester [A6]). Continue forward and at traffic signals turn left onto the A6 and continue pass the Shell Levenshulme Service Station. After a few yards from the Service Station turn right onto Barlow Road. The venue is on Barlow Road – it is opposite the Barclays Bank, just after NETTO Superstore.

- **From Birmingham, Leicester, Nottingham and other Cities:**

Head towards M6 and use the direction given above (for London).

For further information and directions from other cities, visit either the AA site at http://www.theaa.com/travelwatch/inc/planner_places_redirect.jsp or the RAC site at <http://www.rac.co.uk>

Please note that there is provision for free parking within the Conference Venue

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Spring Conference 2008 – Programme of Events

TIME	EVENT/TOPIC	CHAIRMAN	PRESENTER/SPEAKER
10:00am – 11.00am	Arrival and Registration	Br Waziri Mala	Br Adam Gumel
11:00am – 11:10am	Opening Du'a and Qur'an Recitation	Br Waziri Mala	Imaam, The Madinah Mosque
11:10am – 11:20am	Opening address by the Amir, NMF (UK)	Br Waziri Mala	Br Muhammad Jameel Yusha'u
11:20am – 12:05pm	Lecture I: Application of Shari'ah in a Globalised World	Br Hamsat Daudu	Dr Kabir Kabo Usman
12:05pm – 12:15pm	Short Break		
12:15pm – 1:00pm	Lecture II: Beyond the Stereotype: Improving the Understanding of Shar'iah among the British Community	Dr Mohd Sani Ibrahim	Br Imtiaz Hassan
1:00pm – 2:00pm	Lunch & Zuhr		
2:00pm – 2:30pm	Statement of NMF Affairs	An LOC member	Br Mahmud Dodo
2:30pm – 4:00pm	Workshop: Upholding the Values of the Shari'ah by the Individual Muslim in non Muslim Societies	Dr Falalu Danwata	Dr Omer El-Hamdoon
4:00pm – 4:10pm	Short Break		
4:10pm – 4:55pm	Lecture III: Shari'ah and Good Governance	Dr Ibrahim Hassan	Br Ibrahim Yahya
4:55pm – 5:05pm	Communiqué of the Conference	Dr Ibrahim Hassan	Communiqué Committee
5:05pm – 5:10pm	Vote of Thanks and Closing Remarks	Dr Ibrahim Hassan	Ahmad Ali Pate
5:10pm – 5:15pm	Closing Prayer	Dr Ibrahim Hassan	Br Mahmud Mohd Garba
5:15pm – 5:30pm	Photo Session		
5:30pm	Departures		