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**Saturday  
12<sup>th</sup> DEC  
2pm - 6.30pm**

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CAMPACC Campaign Against Discriminating Communities

**IHRC and SACC presents  
ISLAMOPHOBIA  
CONFERENCE 2015**

**The Changing Face of Racism**

**Speakers:**  
Arzu Merali  
Azeezat Johnson  
Hatem Bazian  
Katy Sian  
Les Levidow  
Malia Bouattia  
Ramon Grosfoguel  
Roshan Muhammed Salih

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**Arzu Merali** is a writer and researcher born and based in London, UK. She focuses on human rights, Islamic feminism, decoloniality and the grammars of human dignity. She is one of the founders of Islamic Human Rights Commission and formerly an editor of the webjournal Palestine Internationalist.



**Azeezat Johnson** is a PhD candidate in the Department of Geography at The University of Sheffield, and a committee member of CREN, a Critical Race and Ethnicities Network based across the Universities of Leeds, Sheffield and York.



**Hatem Bazian** is a co-founder and Professor of Islamic Law and Theology at Zaytuna College, the 1st Accredited Muslim Liberal Arts College in the United States. In addition, Prof. Bazian is a lecturer in the Departments of Near Eastern and Asian American and Asian Diaspora Studies at the University of California, Berkeley.



**Dr Katy P. Sian** is a Lecturer in Sociology at the University of York. She completed her PhD in 2009 at the University of Leeds in the School of Sociology and Social Policy. Katy is the author of, *Conversations in Postcolonial Thought* (2014) New York: Palgrave; *Unsettling Sikh and Muslim Conflict: Mistaken Identities, Forced Conversions, and Postcolonial Formations* (2013) Lanham: Lexington Books; and co-author of, *Racism, Governance, and Public Policy: Beyond Human Rights* (2013) London: Routledge.



**Les Levidow** helped to set up the Campaign Against Criminalising Communities (CAMPACC) in early 2001. Previously he was involved in other campaigns against criminalisation. He also has opposed the Israeli Occupation through various UK campaigns such as Jews for Boycotting Israel Goods (J-BIG) and the British Committee for the Universities of Palestine (BRICUP).



**Malia Bouattia** is the Black Students' Officer of the National Union of Students. Prior to being elected as Officer in 2014 she sat on the NUS' National Executive Council whilst studying at the University of Birmingham for an MPhil in Postcolonial theory and languages, and during her time there founded the Black Women's Forum UK, West Midlands Pan African Students' Union and the West Midlands Palestine societies forum.



**Ramon Grosfoguel** is a professor in the Department of Ethnic Studies at the University of California at Berkeley and a research associate of the Maison des Science de l'Homme in Paris. He has published extensively in the fields of Political-Economy of the World-System, International Migration and Decolonial Studies.



**Roshan Muhammed Salih** is the editor of British Muslim news website 5Pillars and is a documentary maker for Press TV. He has been a journalist for 17 years and in the past has worked for London Weekend Television, Islam Channel, Al Jazeera and others.