

Transforming Narratives

Strengthening Belonging



## Community Engagement

Organizing public events and partnering with multiple local and national civic groups

Building a virtual museum of Muslims in the United States

## Student Success and Leadership

Training and mentoring students for professional leadership

Raising social awareness for innovative solutions and ethical actions

## Collaborative Research

First national university-based research hub on Muslim Americans, established in 2022, undertaking pioneering research and developing national and international collaborations

Producing and disseminating knowledge on Muslim experiences in the United States

## Center Leadership



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A Research Hub for Producing Knowledge on Muslim Americans

What are we doing now? What have we done?

## Research

### Muslims in Europe and the US: Mapping Paths Forward

An international workshop with diverse scholars along with Abdal Hakim Murad

### Refugee Oral Narratives

Sponsoring Afghan refugee artist Mohammad Yousof Asefi and Najim Asefi

## Outreach



### Ramadan Illumination

Installation with Muslim Students Association of crescent moon to celebrate Ramadan

## Learning

### Local Muslim Histories

Awarded three undergraduates research fellowships to document Muslim communities in Arizona

### Faith and Football

A discussion with former NFL players Hamza Abdullah and Matt Ware during the Super Bowl

### Muslim American Placemaking

Undertaking comparative research on Muslim sacred spaces and third places

### Muslim Minorities in Democratic Societies

The launch of a multi-year project on Muslim minorities in collaboration with scholars across the US and Europe

### Muslims in Global Phoenix

An interfaith Eid dinner supported by a grant from AZ Humanities

### The Rhythm of Culture

An educational performance of traditional Arab music by Karim Nagi

### Muslims in the Media

Partnering students in Arizona, Sweden and India to create an interactive media toolkit supported by a grant from ACLS/Luce

### Muslim Women and Leadership

Building a national mentoring program connecting students with emerging professional leaders