

SOCIAL JUSTICE TOOLKIT

Your starter kit for tools, resources, and tips for essential social justice topics

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MUSLIM IDENTITIES & ISLAMOPHOBIA

Developing Common Language:

[Defining Islamophobia](#) (UC Berkeley Center for Race & Gender)

Quick Reads to Get You Started:

["Islamophobes, Homophobes, And Shooters: Why There's No Difference"](#)

Author: [Omar Alnatour](#) ([Huffington Post](#))

["10 Things We Can Learn From Our Three Winners"](#)

Author: [Omar Alnatour](#) ([Huffington Post](#))

["Love in the Time of Mania: Six Ways Americans Are Defying Islamophobia"](#)

Author: [Nur Lalji](#) ([Yes! Magazine](#))

["Ibtihaj Muhammad makes U.S. history, wears hijab in Olympics"](#)

Author: [Dan Wolken](#) ([USA Today](#))

["Rejecting Islamophobia as a Queer Latina in the Wake of the Orlando Shooting"](#)

Author: [Delma Catalina Limones](#) ([Truthout](#))

["How 70,000 Muslim Clerics Are Standing Up To Terrorism"](#)

Author: [Willa Frej](#) ([Huffington Post](#))

["Since 9/11, Racism and Islamophobia Remain Intertwined"](#)

Author: [Steve Rose](#) ([Huffington Post](#))

["No Welcome Mat"](#)

Author: [Susan Milligan](#) ([U.S. News & World Report](#))

["An Identity Reduced to a Burka"](#)

Authors: Laila Al-Marayati and Semeen Issa ([Muslim Women's League](#))

["Fighting the Demonization of Ordinary American Muslims—Like Me"](#)

Author: Ali Albassam ([Amnesty International](#))

["Maligned and Misunderstood: Muslim Students Speak Out"](#)

Author: [Cindy Long](#) ([NEA Today](#))

Educational Videos to Stimulate Your Mind:

["Islamophobia and Civil Society Bullies"](#)

UC Berkeley Center for Race and Gender (IRDP)

Educational Downloadables to Decorate Your Space:

"2015 By the Numbers: Anti-Muslim Attacks in America" ([web](#)) ([PNG](#))

"Anti-Muslim Violence & the 2016 U.S. Presidential Elections" ([web](#)) ([PNG](#))

Organizations to Support:

[American Civil Liberties Union \(ACLU\)](#)

[Islamic Networks Group](#)

[Muslims for Progressive Values \(MPV\)](#)

[Muslim Alliance for Sexual and Gender Diversity \(MASGD\)](#)

[Muslim Women's League](#)

[Our Three Winners](#)

[United Muslim Relief](#)

Awesome Sources to Stay Engaged in the Topic:

[Council on American Islamic Relations \(CAIR\)](#)

[Charter for Compassion International](#)

[Euro-Islam.Info](#)

[Islamic Research and Documentation Project \(IRDP\)](#)

[Islamophobia Studies Journal](#)

[MuslimGirl.com](#)

[U.S. Committee for Refugees and Immigrants](#)

Tips for Allies:

"[5 Ways Journalists Can Avoid Islamophobia In Their Coverage](#)"

Author: [Gabriel Arana](#) ([Huffington Post](#))

"[Compassionate Action Steps for Non-Muslims](#)"

[Charter for Compassion International](#)

Tools for Allies:

"[Islamophobia Pocket Guide](#)"

([Council on American Islamic Relations, CAIR](#))

"[1001 Inventions](#)" Tools and Resources for Educators

"[Toolkit for Dressing in Solidarity](#)" Lesson Plan

"[Debunking Stereotypes about Muslims and Islam](#)" Lesson Plan

[Teaching Tolerance](#) ([Southern Poverty Law Center](#))

"[Muslim Women Beyond the Stereotypes](#)" Curriculum

"[Muslim Contributions to Civilization](#)" Curriculum

[Islamic Networks Group](#)

"[Islamophobia Lesson Plan](#)"

Author: Fakhra Shah (Mission High School, San Francisco, CA) Featured [here](#)

"[4 Scholarships for Muslim Students](#)"

[College Raptor](#)

[LGBTQI Resources for Muslim Communities](#)

([Muslims for Progressive Values](#))

