

Program Schedule:

- 5:30 PM Door Opening & Refreshments
- 6:00 PM Program Commencements
- 6:15 PM Speeches
- 7:35 PM Questions and Answers
- 8:20 PM Closing Remarks
- 8:30 PM Social & Refreshments

SPEAKERS' PROFILES

Pastor Wagdi Iskander

(Representing Christianity):



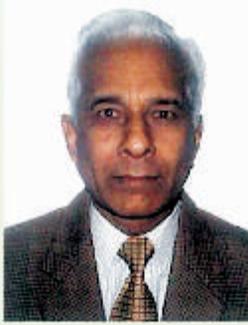
A life of international experience, Wagdi Iskander currently ministering at the Arabic Baptist Church in Calgary.

Wagdi ordained since 1991 with Doctorate in

Ministry from Langley Theological Seminary, Masters Degree from Canadian Southern Baptist Seminary in Cochrane and Bachelor Degree in Theology from Prairie Bible Institute.

An international speaker across the world, Iskander has a focus on outreach and evangelism. With decent, Iskander comes with a wealth of knowledge and an experience with truth.

Sohan Singh Parmar (Representing Sikhism):



Sohan Singh Parmar retired from the Indian Airforce in 1993 as Squadron Leader. He immigrated to Canada in 1994.

He is serving as President of Indian Ex-Serviceman Immigrant

Association since 2006, which is a volunteer based association serving to Indian immigrants in Calgary.

Mr. Naseem Mahdi - Toronto (Representing Islam):

An inspiring presenter and scholar, Naseem is the Missionary In-Charge and Senior Vice President of the Ahmadiyya Muslim Jama'at, Canada.



Graduate of Islamic Studies, with keen interest in World religions, Naseem has served Ahmadiyya Muslim Community in Switzerland, Austria, Italy and Canada.

Recipient of Gov. General's Award for Community service, Chief Editor of the Ahmadiyya Gazette, a strong proponent of interfaith dialogue, each year, Naseem travels across Canada participating at multi-faith events.

Mayor George Lattery (Special Guest):



Mayor George Lattery was born and raised in Drumheller. He is married with four children and four grandchildren. George and his wife Sandra moved to Strathmore in 2004.

His vision for Strathmore is to be proud and feel safe and embrace economic growth. He feels we have a wonderful community and wants the citizens to be stakeholders in the community and become involved.

Mayor Lattery currently represents the Town of Strathmore on the United Way Committee, Names Advisory Committee, Calgary Regional Partnership, Subdivision Committee, Disaster Services Committee and Financial Audit Committee.

Jewish Representative:

A Jewish speaker is also expected to represent Judaism and express his viewpoints in this conference on the proposed theme.

Organizer

Ahmadiyya Muslim Community, Calgary

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Ahmadiyya Muslim Community

The Ahmadiyya Muslim Community is a religious organization, international in its scope, with members in over 190 countries. This is the most dynamic denomination of Islam in modern history, with worldwide membership exceeding hundred of millions.

The Ahmadiyya Community was established in 1889 by Hadhrat Mirza Ghulam Ahmad (1835-1908) in a small and remote village, Qadian, India.

He claimed to be the reformer of the latter days, the Awaited One of the world community of religions (the Mahdi & the Messiah).

The Community is an embodiment of the benevolent message of Islam - peace, universal brotherhood, and submission to the Will of God -in its pristine purity.

It encourages interfaith dialogue, provides information to remove misunderstandings about Islam. It advocates peace, tolerance, love and understanding among followers of different faiths.

It firmly believes in and acts upon the Qur`anic teaching: "*There is no compulsion in religion*" (2:257). It strongly rejects violence and terrorism in any form and for any reason.

Ahmadiyya Muslim Community has been holding many Interfaith Symposia and Conferences across Canada.

The Community firmly believes and always promotes its famous Slogan;

“Love for All Hatred for None”

Special Invitation

You are cordially invited to the first World Religions Conference in Strathmore on January 15th between 5:30 to 8:30 PM at Strathmore Golf Club 80 Wheatland Trail, Strathmore.

Religious scholars from major religions of the World, representatives of the city and the province, and members of various communities are expected to attend this Conference.

Participants will have an opportunity to ask the questions during and after the conference.

Admission is free for the public.

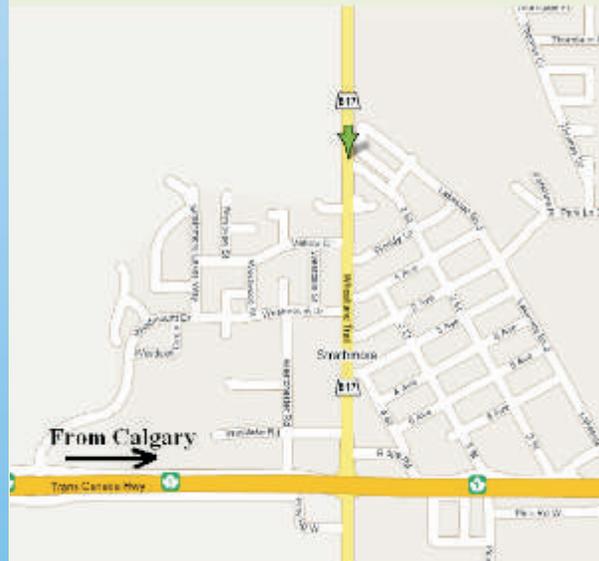
Registration is recommended by one of the following means:

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Strathmore Golf Club, 80 Wheatland Trail, Strathmore

1st World Religions Conference Strathmore



Role of Religion in Society

Tuesday, January 15th, 2008
(5:30 PM - 8:30 PM)

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Strathmore, AB

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