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Town Hall on Islamophobia

Islamophobia takes many shapes and forms and is present on our campuses and in our communities on any given day. Islamophobia also intersects with racism and xenophobia in particular ways that exacerbate the oppression that particular members of our communities experience.

We recognize that there have been some recent experiences of overt discrimination on campus and in our community faced by students and community members, and we condemn these acts of Islamophobia. APUS unequivocally denounces Islamophobia, racism, and xenophobia. We offer our solidarity and support to Muslim students and members of the community at large.

Together with the University of Toronto Mississauga Students’ Union and the Muslim Students’ Association at UTM, we are hosting an open forum for students to discuss experiences of Islamophobia. The forum will also feature student activists, members of community organizations, lawyers, and community organizers, as we hope this will a space to come together and organize a broader campaign to challenge Islamophobia.

The forum will take place on November 30, from 4:30 - 7:00 pm in the main atrium of the Davis Building.

In solidarity,
The APUS Team