



VIRGINIA THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY
WASHINGTON THEOLOGICAL CONSORTIUM
CERTIFICATE IN MUSLIM-CHRISTIAN STUDIES

Engaging in a World of Difference – Study Tour to Istanbul, Turkey
June 1-12, 2013

REGISTRATION FORM

FIRST NAME

LAST NAME

ADDRESS

CITY/ZIP CODE

WORK PHONE

HOME/CELLPHONE

E-MAIL

POSITION/JOB TITLE

CONTACT PERSON (in case of an emergency)

CONTACT INFORMATION (best way to reach person)

EACH PARTICIPANT MUST VERIFY THEY HAVE INSURANCE THAT COVERS LIABILITY IN CASE OF AN ACCIDENT. YES, I HAVE INSURANCE_____

SIGNATURE.....

DATE

GENERAL INFORMATION:

Calendar (Tentative)

Trip Dates: June 1-12, 2013

June 1: Leave for Istanbul

June 2-11: Study and Field Trips

June 12: Return Flight to US

Costs & Financial Aid

The estimated cost for the study tour to Turkey is \$2,500. This amount will cover the cost of a round-trip ticket from Washington to Istanbul, all transportation within Istanbul, accommodation, meals, and entrance fees to various cultural/historical sites. The cost does not include any tuition charged by home institutions. Students may apply for financial aid at their home institutions.

Location & Housing

The participants will stay at the guesthouse of the Foundation, located in the historic central district of Istanbul.

Application Procedure

Step 1: In order to earn credits, students from member institutions from the Washington Theological Consortium should register for the course through their home institutions.

Step 2: All of the participants should fill the registration form (available at <http://www.washtheocon.org/> and email it to Salih Sayilgan at <mss249@georgetown.edu>. In addition, the participants are required to mail a \$500 non-refundable deposit to the following address: 113 Healy, Box 57-1250, Washington, DC, 20057.

Application deadline:

Registration for the course at the home institution: December 30, 2012

\$500 non-refundable deposit and program registration: February 1, 2013

\$1000 (First Payment): March 1, 2013; **\$1000 (Second Payment):** April 1, 2013

Checks made payable to Mehmet Salih Sayilgan.

Space is limited to 12 participants; apply early to secure your spot!

Contact:

The field study will be directed by Dr. Richard Jones and Salih Sayilgan

Dr. Richard J. Jones is Al-Alwani Chair in Muslim-Christian Relations in the Washington Theological Consortium. He is past president of American Friends of the Episcopal Church of Sudan and has been involved in local Christian-Muslim relations for 30 years. He is the author of *How to Talk with your Muslim Neighbor* (Forward Movement Publications, 2004) and a life of Jesus for young Muslim readers entitled *Jesus, Son of Mary*

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Salih Sayilgan holds an MA degree in Religious Studies from the University of Alberta and is currently pursuing a Ph.D. in Religion and Culture at the Catholic University of America. He is a residence chaplain along with his wife Zeyneb Sayilgan at Georgetown University.

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