

Multi-Faith Forum

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Amanda is an Ordained Minister in the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) whose passion is creating space for diverse individuals and groups to grow in vibrancy and justice. She sees religious diversity as a great gift of our democracy and seeks to support and protect this vital piece of the fabric of our community. Amanda graduated from Brite Divinity School, is an alumnus of the Beatitudes Society, and served in congregational ministry in Denver before joining The Interfaith Alliance of CO in 2014. She is a sought after speaker and writer on the topics of interfaith understanding, advocacy and civic engagement. Amanda has three teen and tween children, two dogs, ten chickens and a very patient husband. She spends her off time running marathons and centering her spirit through yoga.



Monir Ludin

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Monir has been an active member of the Muslim community of Colorado since 1989. He is married to Linda and has four grown daughters. As part of his involvement in the community, in the past he has been involved with Colorado Muslims Society (the largest Islamic Center in Colorado) in various capacities including chair of the Education Committee, member of the Executive Committee and as member of the Board (Shura) of the center.

He has also acted as a member of the board of the Colorado Muslim Council whose mission is to foster cooperation, collaboration and communication among the various Muslim organizations in Colorado.

Monir has been and continues to be a member of the Steering Committee of **Muslims**Intent on Learning & Activism (MILA), which aims at getting Muslims involved in community service, interfaith dialogue and self-education. He is a certified Muslim speaker of the Colorado Muslim Speakers Bureau.

Monir was the chair of the Steering Committee of the Abrahamic Initiative June 2010 to September 2015. Abrahamic Initiative's mission is to foster mutual understanding and appreciation among Abrahamic faiths through education, dialogue and social action.

In his professional life, Monir uses his expertise in global business to help companies expand their sales into global markets. He is the founder and CEO of Pike Worldwide a business consulting company.



Dilpreet Jammu's Bio

Mr. Jammu was born in India and raised in Canada. He holds a Bachelors Degree in physics from the University of Prince Edward Island and a second Bachelors degree in electrical engineering from the University New Brunswick, as well as Executive Education at Wharton School of Business.

Mr. Dilpreet has an impressive business background. He has nearly three decades of international and domestic strategic business planning, and he is currently CEO at Sona Capital, a Private Equity and Capital Advisory firm that focuses on helping growth companies to achieve their funding goals.

As a co-director of the Khalsa School Denver, he teaches religion, history and the Punjabi language to Sikh children. Dilpreet is currently the Chairman of The Interfaith Alliance of Colorado and also President of the Colorado Sikhs. He sits on the Fiscal Oversight Committee at the Douglas County School District, and is past Vice-Chairman for the Long Range Planning Committee..

Mr. Jammu is a strong believer in religious liberty. In January 2016, a member of the Colorado Sikh community was denied a driver's license because of his turban. Mr. Jammu and Colorado Sikhs partnered with the Department of Justice and with Homeland Security to first change the policy in Colorado and then for thirty seven (37) other US States. This ruling impacts not only Sikhs, but all faith communities.



Rabbi Stephen Booth-Nadav

Rabbi Stephen Booth-Nadav received rabbinic ordination and a Masters of Hebrew Letters from the Reconstructionist Rabbinical College in Philadelphia. He has served congregations in Lansing, Michigan and Denver. Currently he is the Director of Wisdom House Denver: A Center for Multifaith Engagement and Spiritual Inquiry, and the Chaplain at Kavod Senior Life. Later this year he will receive an honorary Doctor of Divinity degree in recognition of his 25yrs. of service as a rabbi.

Other activities include:

- Religious Advisory Council, Denver University.
- Building Abrahamic Partnerships training at Hartford Seminary
- Mindfullness Leadership Training and Institute for Jewish Spirituality (both 2yr. programs)
 - Certification in Jewish Wilderness Spirituality

Rabbi Steve is seeking "poster child" status for the "sandwich generation" as he cares for both his 88yr. old mother and his 14yr. old daughter.