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6 PM – 8 PM

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Canadian Policies, Myanmar Displacement & Student Engagement

Keynote speakers:

Gloria Nafziger, Amnesty International Canada

Irfan Nakhuda, Islamic Relief Canada &

Aelya Salman, Student Refugee Program Coordinator, WUSC Keele

Discussion chair: **John Carlaw**, York U Syria Response and Refugee Initiative

This panel discussion will consider some of the limitations of Canadian refugee policy, the current refugee crisis in Myanmar and ways students can get involved in refugee sponsorship and education on campus. What barriers to asylum do refugee claimants face? Why does Canada cap the number of refugees Canadians can sponsor and what are the effects of those caps? What is the current situation in Myanmar and for the Rohingya in the region? Please join us for this important discussion.



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