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“ETHICS FORWARD” – RADIO SHOW

(Airing on 106.5 FM on Tuesday at 6pm, Wednesday at 10am, and Thursday at 8am)

**INTERVIEW OF DR. RIFFAT HASSAN, PROFESSOR EMERITA, UNIVERSITY OF LOUISVILLE,
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In “*Ethics Forward*” Professor Avery interviews people from a variety of positions (scholars, activists, practitioners) about ethical issues in individual life and communities. He interviewed Professor Hassan about the foundations of Islamic ethics and how those get translated into action both in a religious context and in a broader context, including divergences between and within texts, individual conscience, and traditions. Since Professor Hassan is both scholar and practitioner, Professor Avery moved on to talk about *The Salaam Network* and why interfaith understanding and relations are so important, particularly in the context of the escalation of Islamophobia in the U. S.

“*Ethics Forward*” is a 50-minute radio program. Professor Avery divided his extensive interview of Professor Hassan into two parts. Part 1 aired on Tuesday, May 29 at 6:00 p.m., Wednesday, May 30 at 10:00 a.m., and Thursday, May 31 at 8:00 a.m. Part 2 aired on Tuesday, June 5 at 6:00 p.m., Wednesday, June 6 at 10:00 a.m., and Wednesday, June 7 at 8:00 a.m. The links to Parts 1 and 2 are given below:

Part 1: <https://soundcloud.com/wfmp-forward-radio/riffat-hassan-works-and-days?in=wfmp-forward-radio/sets/ethics-forward>

Part 2: <https://soundcloud.com/wfmp-forward-radio/riffat-hassan-on-jihad-and-dialogue?in=wfmp-forward-radio/sets/ethics-forward>

