



Greetings!

I am Dr. Ilham Nasser, and I am in charge of the **Conference on Social and Interpersonal Forgiveness** that we will be holding in Amman on the topic of social and interpersonal forgiveness.

We have received a number of questions and inquiries about the conference, the topics it will focus on, and other related matters. We wanted to make this video to respond to as many as we can of these questions.

There are four very important points to keep in mind if you are considering submitting an abstract to this conference and participating in it.

First, the conference will be free of charge. This means that if you would like to attend the conference, there will be no registration fee. Anyone can attend the conference.

Second, the conference focuses on **social and interpersonal forgiveness**, rather than reconciliation or political forgiveness. Our focus is specifically on society and communities, as well as on interpersonal forgiveness between individuals themselves and among people within their communities.

The conference will focus on several topics. If you are interested in participating as a presenter and submitting a research paper, the deadline for submitting a 500-word abstract is **October 30, 2026**.

Submission Link: <https://forms.gle/dBmwJ3xUC8VYRYiF6>

The conference will be held in **Amman from March 29 to 31, 2027**.

If you are submitting an abstract, please make sure that your proposal addresses and focuses on social and interpersonal forgiveness, as well as other topics that may be relevant to these areas. We have identified the topics we would like to focus on in our conference announcement (<https://salaminstitute.org/call-for-conference-abstracts-conference-on-social-and-interpersonal-forgiveness/>), and the conference will be organized around these themes. Therefore, it is very important to pay attention to these themes and carefully read the information published by the Salam Institute.

The conference will be held in active collaboration with **the University of Jordan** and will take place at the university campus.

If you are among those who have already submitted an abstract, we have received your submissions. The proposal should be related to field research, a study, or a theoretical paper addressing social or interpersonal forgiveness or related topics.

Unfortunately, our financial capacity to support conference participants who will present papers is limited. We expect to be able to support approximately **20 to 25 participants**. While this is a limited number, we hope that this support will help many individuals who are interested in participating in the conference but may face financial barriers to attending.



To select the abstracts that will be accepted, an academic review team will examine all submissions. As is common practice at academic conferences, the team will use academic criteria to assess the abstracts.

For example, we will consider whether the submission presents a new idea, whether it is relevant to the conference theme and related topics, and whether it demonstrates an appropriate academic approach.

If the submission is based on field research, we would like to see the research methodology used by the researcher. If it is a theoretical paper and presents theoretical innovation, we will also consider the research sources and the ideas presented by the participant.

A review team of approximately two to three academic reviewers will examine the submissions, and we will then develop the final list of participants whom we will invite to present at the conference.

Please remember that the deadline is **the end of October this year**. After the review process, we will notify those whose abstracts have been selected and received a high evaluation. We expect to inform selected participants before the end of the year.

So, please keep these points in mind::

- Participation in the conference is **free of charge**.
- We expect to provide financial support to approximately **20 to 25 paper presenters**, to help with their travel to Amman and participation in the conference.
- The conference focuses on **social and interpersonal forgiveness**, along with related topics that we have identified in our various publications and conference materials.
- The conference will be held in active collaboration with, and with our appreciation for the support of, **the University of Jordan in Amman**.
- The conference will take place from **March 29 to 31, 2027**.
- Abstracts submitted by those wishing to participate as presenters will be evaluated using **academic review criteria**.

If you have any additional questions, please contact us at ilham@salaminstitute.org or nibal@salaminstitute.org.

Thank you very much, and we hope to see you in Amman.