

2025 CALL FOR PROPOSALS



For the **2025 Black Muslim Psychology Conference [BMPC]** in Chicago, IL, July 19 -20, 2025. This year's theme is **SelebeYoon: The Crossroads | 10th Anniversary Celebration**

OVERVIEW

For the past decade, the Black Muslim Psychology Conference (BMPC) has been a transformative gathering space for Black Muslims to explore mental health, spirituality, identity, and liberation. What began in 2015 as a response to racial injustice, Islamophobia, and the urgent need for culturally relevant mental health frameworks has evolved into the premier Black Muslim wellness conference in the nation. This is a **CALL FOR PROPOSALS** for scholarly presentations, interactive workshops, panel discussions, or artistic/creative performances that reflect on **SelebeYoon – The Crossroads, a space where past, present, and future meet and where decisions, transformations, and new possibilities emerge.** *At this critical moment in our collective journey, what lessons must we bring forward, what paths must we forge, and what healing must take place for us to build the future we envision?*

Please note: At BMPC, we use and understand the term "psychology" in a broad sense - a term that includes overall mental health, emotional wellness, and spiritual soundness. **Therefore, we welcome and encourage submissions from participants with a range of backgrounds:** psychiatrists, psychologists, social workers, and other mental health clinicians, but also artists, writers, historians, sociologists, Imams, chaplains and spiritual leaders, community workers and activists. **Proposals must include a 500-word abstract** or summary of the content you would like to present, and must directly address at least one of the 4 conference sub-themes (health and healing, religious leadership and development, youth and emerging adulthood, art and activism) in order to be eligible for inclusion in the program. Please review the **PROPOSAL SUBMISSION GUIDE** for detailed suggestions on how to submit a winning proposal. Questions, requests for additional information, and other inquiries should be sent to info@blackmuslimpsychology.org.

IMPORTANT DATES

APRIL 28, 2025

Proposal submission
deadline

MAY 5, 2025

Acceptance
notification

MAY 19, 2025

Confirmation and early
bird registration

JUNE 2, 2025

Regular registration

JULY 19 - 20, 2025

BMPC2025 kicks
off in Chicago!

SUBMISSION LINK

bit.ly/bmpc2025cfp

SUBMISSION GUIDE

blackmuslimpsychology.org/cfp

QUESTIONS?

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