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Featured Speaker and Honoree

Dr. Sarah Sayeed

*Chair and Executive Director
Civic Engagement Commission of New York City*

“Building Trusting Community Relationships”

In conjunction with the 20th anniversary of the [Institute for Global Leadership](#), Dr. Sayeed will be honored with the Life Leadership Service Award by [Virginia Swain, Founder and Director](#)

[Dr. Sarah Sayeed](#) has been dedicated to an inclusive public square for two decades.

She was appointed by New York City Mayor Bill de Blasio to lead the Civic Engagement Commission and be a member of the first American municipal Taskforce on Racial Inclusion and Equity in New York City. Dr. Sayeed was previously a Senior Advisor on Muslim Engagement in the Mayor’s Office. Her public service extends from years of grassroots experience with the Interfaith Center of New York and Women on Islam, Inc.

Dr. Sayeed is a graduate of Princeton University and the Annenberg School for Communication at the University of Pennsylvania.

Dr. Sayeed holds a certificate in Reconciliation Leadership from The Institute for Global Leadership.

Date: Thursday, October 21, 2021

Time: 1:00 - 3:00 pm

Venue: Online via Zoom

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The Institute honors Dr. Sarah Sayeed’s significant contribution to the interdisciplinary practice of Reconciliation Leadership, a program for practical idealists from all cultures, disciplines, and career paths in service to reconcile protracted conflict and restore faith in leadership and in America. The scholarship recognizes Dr. Sayeed’s practice of “leadership from the inside out,” her application of Reconciliation Leadership to build communities and to write papers on Reconciliation Leadership she co-authored with Virginia Swain in 2005 and 2006 for conferences convened by the Columbia University Human Dignity and Humiliation Studies: [A Leadership and Practice to Reconcile Challenges in a Post–September 11th World](#) and [Reconciliation as Policy: A Capacity–Building Proposal for Renewing Leadership and Development](#).

“Thank you for this honor. In my address I will speak about the work in which I have been engaged for more than 20 years, building bridges, strengthening community cohesion, and connecting communities to government. I will also speak about my personal journey as a Muslim woman, a peacebuilder and protector of human rights.”

— Dr. Sarah Sayeed