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Gender and Islam: Local to the Global Perspectives

THE HEADSCARF, SYMBOLIC EXCLUSION
AND
THE "ARABO-MUSLIM" IN FRANCE

Dr. Shazia Iftkhar's research and teaching interests lie in the areas of race/ethnicity, gender and religion in relation to citizenship and nation as well as in questions of communication, identity and the public sphere. Current research critically examines national debate around the Muslim headscarf in France, examining narratives on French identity and secularism, and the place of Islam in France, in news coverage and interviews.

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