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Australian Islamic Mission is proud to announce the 'Take Action: Invest in Your Community' Tour

The Australian Islamic Mission is pleased to announce the 'Take Action: Invest in Your Community' tour will take place in Mid-June with the visit of Mr Anas Altikriti, the Chief Executive of The Cordoba Foundation, a think tank based in the United Kingdom looking at Civilisational Dialogue and Cooperation.

The tour will include several community functions, workshops, public lectures and a dinner. Mr Altikriti will be speaking on the following topics amongst other things:

“Islam and the West: Alliance of Civilisations” and “The Challenges for Islam: Modern Mindsets for a Modern World”

About Anas Altikriti:

- Founder and CEO of The Cordoba Foundation (www.thecordobafoundation.com)
- Negotiated release of Western hostages in Iraq in 2005.
- Leading figure of Global Anti-War movement (organised and led the demonstration of 2 million in London in February 2003 against Iraq war).
- TV presenter, media commentator, contributor to a number of international media outlets (The Guardian, Al-Jazeera, South African Mercury and others), Blogger and Twitterer (@anasaltikriti).
- Provided his views to the Australian media on the July 7 bombings including Mike Carlton's 2UE morning program.

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About AIM: Established in 1973, AIM is a religious, charitable, social, cultural, and educational, non-profit organisation. Some of its objectives are to present the message of Islam to all Australians, to offer viable alternatives to our society's prevailing problems, to promote family values in accordance with Islamic teachings, and to promote the human values that Islam emphasises: fraternity, equality, justice, mercy, compassion, and peace. For enquiries about Mr Altikriti's program and interviews please contact the Secretary, Chaaban Omran at info@aim.org.au