Manchester Review Focuses On Muslim Women – Myth Vs Reality

Host Jack Peak talks with Diana Hossain and Fatma Antar, both professors at Manchester Community College. Hossain, a convert to Islam, teaches English as a second language. Antar, born a Muslim in Egypt, is an economics professor.

Hossain and Antar talk about their personal experiences as Muslim women in America, raising children, working professionally and their involvement in the community, according to a news release.

“They explore the myths and explain the reality of Muslim womenhood,” the release said. “There are challenges, including bullying of Muslim children in school and discrimination in the workplace.”

This is the second episode of Manchester Review dealing with Islam in the Manchester area and throughout the nation.

“ar the goal,” according to the news release, “is to familiarize viewers with the real Islam, destroy some of the myths and stereotypes and promote religious tolerance.”

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—Jesse Leavenworth

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