



Rosemary Suliman
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Dr Suliman is a Senior Lecturer at the School of Humanities and Languages, University of Western Sydney. She is a recipient of the "University of Western Sydney, Vice Chancellor's Excellence Award for Social Justice, 2004".

She participates in the following organisations:

- As the Melkite Eparchy contact for the national Office for the Participation of Women
- As a member of the Melkite Catholic Eparchy Pastoral Council
- As a member of the school board of Holy Saviour Catholic School
- As a committee member of St Gregory's Centre for Adult Education

Dr Suliman has delivered Lectures on:

- The Participation of Women in the Church
- The image of women in the Old and New Testament
- Jesus and women in the New Testament
- Mary, the mother of Jesus: from Annunciation to Resurrection.

She has been working in Australia in the field of Education for over thirty years. Renowned nationally and internationally for her extensive contribution in the areas of curriculum and syllabus development; training teachers in language teaching methodology; establishing new methodology for teaching Arabic in the Australian context as well as writing text books which are innovative in approach and relevant to the Australian student.

Dr Suliman is heavily involved in community and school programs on behalf of Government and private sector groups and is frequently asked to consult with schools as they work through the issues of making education more relevant and useful for disadvantaged students from minority backgrounds.

"For three decades she has been a leading light in alleviating educational disadvantage among Sydney's Arab youth through sensitive and well-grounded programs" (Professor Stuart Campbell, 2003, Head of School, Languages, University of Western Sydney).

