Employer Advisory Board Meeting
Spotlight: Innovative Multicultural and Inclusion Effort
Topic: Hijab for a Day
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What is hijab?
- Visible definition: Hijab is the head covering worn mostly by Muslim women.
- The word ‘hijab’ comes from Arabic word ‘Hiijaba,’ meaning, to conceal or cover.
- An outer manifestation of an inner commitment to worship God.
- ‘Modesty is part of faith’ – Prophet Muhammad.

Why Muslim women wear hijab?
- Religion
  To please our Creator.
In Chapter 33 known as Al-Ahzab, verse 59, Allah gives the following command to Prophet Muhammad:

“O Prophet! Say to your wives, your daughters, and the women of the believers that: they should let down upon themselves their hijabs.”

Why Muslim women wear hijab?
- Culture
  To identify ourselves as Muslims.
  To prevent women objectification.

Traditional clothing of Muslim Women
- Levels of veiling

[Images of various traditional Muslim garments]
"A Day in Hijab" Event

Day 1 - Tabling

The ideal way to wear the hijab:

- Physical appearance:
  - Covering arms (e.g., long sleeves)
  - Covering legs (e.g., long pants)
  - Covering head, neck, and chest (e.g., scarf/gown)

- Behavior:
  - Respectful
  - Humble
  - Peaceful

Day 2 - Discussion

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