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Mustafa Akyol

Turkish political commentator, author and columnist

Islam without Extremes: A Muslim Case for Liberty

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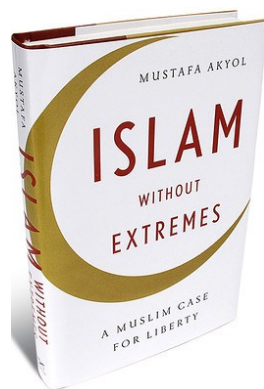
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Akyol was born in Ankara in 1972. He graduated from Istanbul Nisantasi British High School and from the International Relations Department of the Bosphorus University. He completed his master thesis on the Kurdish question at the History Department of the same university.

Since 2002, he has been a regular commentator in the Turkish media. He is currently a regular columnist for *Hurriyet Daily News*, Turkey's foremost English-language daily. He writes a regular column for a Turkish-language daily, *Star*, as well. He also appears regularly on Turkish TV, on political discussion shows.

He has spoken on many platforms, including the Council on Foreign Relations, Brookings Institution, Heritage Foundation, Mont Pelerin Society, Cato Institute, Acton Institute, Discovery Institute, Mises Institute and many universities around the world.

For more information, visit his website: <http://thewhitepath.com>
In Turkish, "Akyol" literally means "the white path," hence the name of the website.



Limited seating, lunch provided

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