New Zealand Partner Victoria University of Wellington Prof. Colleen Ward is presenting an Alliance of Civilizations Symposium at the upcoming 7th Biennial International Conference of the International Academy for Intercultural Research in Singapore, July 24-28.

The panelists will discuss subjects such as Muslims and non-Muslims in the Netherlands, the role of NGOs in building inclusive neighborhoods, attitudes towards Muslim immigrants, and positive adjustment in Muslim Youth.

Prof. Ward, who is the president of the International Academy of Intercultural Research, will also speak on “Rethinking ‘Integration’: Big Questions, Little Answers” in her presidential address. Professor Ward is the Director of the Centre for Applied Cross-cultural Research and Professor in the Psychology Department.

The theme of the 7th Biennial International Conference of the International Academy for Intercultural Research is “Leadership in the Multicultural World: Exploring New Frontiers of Leadership Theory, Method and Practice.”