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## Obstacle Course Now Lives Online



### Visit the Website for *Obstacle Course*, the newest video play by Jamil Khoury

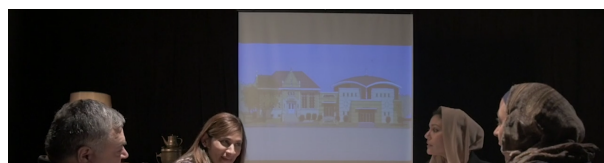
Silk Road Rising is thrilled to announce the launch of [ObstacleCourse.tv](https://www.obstaclecourse.tv)!

Set in Naperville, Illinois, this 45-minute video play, adapted from Jamil Khoury's stage play *Mosque Alert*, explores reactions to a proposed Islamic community center on the site of a beloved landmark. Allyship, municipal politics, and Islamophobia all intersect in this head-on collision between Not in My Backyard fear mongering, well-intentioned liberalism, and the peaceful practice of faith.



#### Visit the "Obstacle Course" Website Today

In February, *Obstacle Course* premiered with a series of screenings each followed by a discussion led by Jamil. Conversations focused on themes from the play including NIMBYism (Not in My Backyard), the challenges and intricacies of coalition building, and Islamophobia at the intersections of race, religion, and American identity.



Now that the *Obstacle Course* website is live, we're excited to see this work realize its potential as a powerful community building tool. If you're interested in booking a workshop or screening for your community or organization, follow [this link](https://www.obstaclecourse.tv).

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