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KUCHING: As part of its commitment towards communicating information and knowledge on Islam for the diverse populace of Sarawak, the Islamic Information Centre (IIC) welcomes 2014 with two public lectures.

The first lecture 'From MTV to Mecca' will be held on 7 January, 2014 at the IIC and the subsequent lecture 'The Mercy of Prophet Muhammad' on 8 January at Universiti Malaysia Sarawak (UNIMAS).

The distinguished speaker invited by IIC to give these lectures is Kristiane Backer, a well-known TV presenter, journalist and voice-over artist based in London with a pan-European career.

In 2012, Backer published her best-selling memoir "From MTV to Mecca" in the UK, and she was nominated the Global Ambassador for the Exporing Islam Foundation for her role in inter-cultural and inter-faith dialogue.

In 2010, Backer was the face of the 'Inspired by Muhammad' media campaign.

Backer is also a regular guest speaker at international events and recently presented a monthly travel show for Travel Channel and an inter-faith chat show for Ebru TV.

These lectures are made possible through IIC's strong collaboration with the Muslim Converts' Association of Singapore (Darul Arqam Singapore). The collaboration between IIC and Darul Arqam Singapore started in 2010.

The lectures are open to the public (Muslims and non-Muslims).

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