



Comparing Islamic and Secular worldviews

Session Two

The Modern worldview

Points for discussion



i) Opposition to Religion

- Factors that brought about opposition to religion
- Humanism and Individualism
- Diluting of religion
- Gradual process of secularization



2) Philosophy

- Meaning of philosophy
- Original purpose of philosophy
- How philosophy changed in the modern world.
- Philosophers who changed the course of philosophy



3) Science

- Scientific Reductionism
- Connection between scientists and priests
- Government support of science
- Moral responsibility of scientists