

## Exercise 1 – Bringing Your Morals into the Conversation

Whether you are aware or not, your views are a reflection of your moral foundations.

You will be presented with four issues. Fill in the table below as follows:

Row 1: Using the most generic term, list what you think about most with regard to each issue. For examples: the victims, injustice, economics, national security, democracy, our global standing

Row 2: For each issue, identify the moral foundation(s) associated with the thing(s) you think about the most. Refer to the *Moral Foundations in Politics* handout as needed.

Row 3: For each issue, write a sentence you could use in the future to make the connection between your views and the morals that underlay them. Refer to the prompts below for ideas.

	Issue 1	Issue 2	Issue 3	Issue 4
<b>Row 1:</b> What you think about				
<b>Row 2:</b> Associated Moral Foundation				
<b>Row 3:</b> An sentence connecting your views to your morals				

### Bringing Moral Foundations in Political Conversations

- For this issue, I tend to think in terms of \_\_\_\_ because \_\_\_\_\_
- I think this is a matter of \_\_\_\_\_, and it's important to \_\_\_\_\_
- I think the current solution needs to change because \_\_\_\_\_ and that \_\_\_\_\_
- I believe it is important for us to \_\_\_\_\_ because it is more \_\_\_\_\_.
- I worry about how this impacts \_\_\_\_\_. I want it to be \_\_\_\_\_.
- What I'm most afraid of is \_\_\_\_\_ because that is \_\_\_\_\_