IDENTITY CLOSING AND THE ABSENCE OF A CULTURE DIFFERENCE IN MUSLIM COMMUNITIES: ANALYTICAL STUDY OF IT’S DIMENSIONS AND PSYCHOLOGICAL SIGNIFICANCE

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ABSTRACT_ The study aimed to link the identity closing and the absence or lack of respect for a culture of difference in our Islamic communities. And get to know the dimensions of this problem and its implications or psychological effects, through a methodology based on the description Analytical qualitative. As part of this study included an analysis of the concept of identity and its importance and correlates, and The concept of ego identity closing and rates or levels of identity verification: (achievement, moratorium, foreclosure, diffusion). also the problem of identity in Arab-Islamic frame. Finally the importance of understanding the patterns of religiosity and its role in the construction of identity. The study also, showed negative effects of identity closing, like as the spread extreme religious fundamentalism, and the false sense of notability and the tendency to ideological exclusion to the different other. The study conclude some conclusions related The formulation of cultural or civilized identity of the Islamic communities.