

8.30 Registration and Breakfast

9.00 Chairman Welcome

Speaker: Alex MacDonald-Vitale, Chairman, MEIRS

9.10 Introduction Keynote

Speaker: Yaser Al Quhidan, CFO, Tadawul

9.30 **MEIRS** Talk Overview of the Global Environmental, Social and Governance (ESG) Landscape

Speaker: Parichat Charoenkitnapa – Vice President, Global Investor Relations Advisory, BNY Mellon

9.45 **MEIRS** Talk The Role of Institutional Investors in Corporate Governance

Speaker: Alissa Amico – Managing Director, Govern

10.00 **MEIRS** Talk Middle East Capital Flow Analysis

Speaker: Andreas Posavac – MD Governance & Corporate Advisory, IPREO

10.15 **MEIRS** Talk New Western Regulation Impacting Investor Relations

Speaker: John Gollifer – General Manager, UK IR Society

10.30 Coffee Break

11.00 Changing Investor Relations landscape in Developed Markets – Consequences and lessons to learn in the Middle East

Speakers:

- Jasmine Arora - Head EMEA Primary Markets - Equity and Debt, London Stock Exchange
 - Sandip Bhatt – Chief Investment Officer, Damac Invest
 - Omar Darwazah – Director, Investor Relations, Corporate Business Development & Investments, OCI NV
 - Moderator: Oliver Schutzmann - Board Member, MEIRS
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11.45 Reporting - Are we there yet?

Speakers:

- Redwan Ahmed - Head of Investor Relations, DP World
 - Barry Dunne - Director, MerchantCantos
 - Jaap Meijer - MD Research, Arqaam Capital
 - Marcus Sultzer - CEO Asia-Pacific, EQS Group
 - Moderator: Stephen Drake, Partner, PWC
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12.30 Lunch

8TH MEIRS CONFERENCE & AWARDS
2016 | **Forward Shift in MENA:**
A New Vision Beyond Oil

13.30	Room 1 - Panel: Debt Investor Relations Speakers: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Stuart Anderson - Managing Director & Regional Head Middle East, S&P Global Ratings• Yin Yee Chan – Investor relations Officer, Emirates NBD• Shrimati Damal - CFO, Majid Al Futtaim• Abdul Kadir Hussain – Head of Fixed Income Asset Management, Arqaam Capital• Moderator: Michael Grifferty - President, Gulf Bond & Sukuk Association
	Room 2 - Panel: The Future of IR Speakers: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Ahmad Aweidah - CEO, The Palestine Exchange• John Gollifer - General Manager, The UK IR Society• Alex MacDonald Vitale - Chairman, MEIRS• Alison Owers - CEO, Orient Capital• Moderator: Ryan Lemand - Head of Asset Management & Wealth Management, ADS Securities
	Room 3 - Industry round table: Telco's Moderator: Andreas Goldau - Investor Relations, Ooredoo
	Room 4 - Industry round table: Real Estate, Construction, Infrastructure Speakers: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Craig Plumb - Head of Research - Real Estate/Property, Jones Lang LaSalle• Nicholas Paton, CFA – Equity Research Analyst, HSBC• Moderator: Chris Wilson - Head of Investor Relations, Aldar Properties
14.30	Investors and C-Suite: Conflicting priorities? Speakers: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Greg Fewer - CFO, Aldar Properties• Paul Gay – CFO, Almarai• Osman Raie – Head of Equity Sales and Trading MENA, HSBC• Jane Valls - Executive Director, GCC Board Directors Institute• Moderator: Mustafa Alrawi- Business Editor, The National
15.15	Coffee Break
15.30	Can Middle East Capital Markets compete with rising Saudi Arabia? Speakers: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Dr. Fadi Khalaf - Chairman and Secretary General, Arab Federation of Exchanges• Tareq Alangari - Investor Relations Professional, Saudi Arabia• tbc• Moderator: David French - Senior Financial Correspondent, Thomson Reuters
16.15	Closing Speech
19.00	Networking Reception
20.00	Awards Gala Dinner
Thursday 22nd September	
8.30	Bloomberg and MEIRS IR Breakfast Speakers: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Amin El-Kholy, Head of Asset Management, Arqaam Capital• Dr. Ryan Lemand, Managing Director - Head of Asset Management & Wealth Management, ADS Securities