

2019 MEIRA Annual Conference & Awards Dinner – Agenda

Wednesday 25th September – Annual Conference

8:30	Registration and Breakfast
9:00	<p>Welcome from the Chair</p> <p>Speaker: Andrew Tarbuck, Chair, Middle East Investor Relations Association</p>
9:10	<p>Keynote Address</p> <p>Speaker: H.E. Dr. Obaid Al Zaabi, Chief Executive Officer, Securities and Commodities Authority</p>
09:35	<p>Investor Panel – Buy-side Matters: What's changed?</p> <p>Speakers:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> > Robert Hahm, CFA, Chief Executive Officer, Mashreq Capital > Muhammad Jafar Khan, CFA, Deputy Head MENA & GCC, ADIA > Richard Lee, Senior Portfolio Manager - MENA Equities, Emirates NBD Asset Management <p>Moderator: William Tohme, CFA, Regional Head - MENA, CFA Institute</p>
10:25	Coffee break
10:55	<p>MEIRA Talk – Bonds and Sukuk: Debt IR Matters Too</p> <p>Speakers:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> > Michael P. Grifferty, President, The Gulf Bond and Sukuk Association (GBSA) > Redwan Ahmed, Head of Investor Relations, DP World
11:15	<p>Panel – Sustainability Matters: The world is changing, should we too?</p> <p>Speakers:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> > Faisal F. Altimyat, Senior Officer Investor Relations, Al Rajhi Bank > Monaem Ben Lellahom, Group CEO & Founding Partner, Sustainable Square > Belinda Scott, VP and Head of Corporate Sustainability, First Abu Dhabi Bank <p>Moderator: Manuel Leanza, Head of Sales for Investment & Advisory, Refinitiv</p>
11:55	<p>Panel – Diversity Matters: responses to new challenges</p> <p>Speakers:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> > Rana Abuelgassim, Director - Global Investor Access - MENA, HSBC > Fahima Al Bastaki, Executive VP – Head of Business Dev. Division, Dubai Financial Market & Board Member of Dubai Women's Establishment > Daniela A. Șerban, President, Romanian Investor Relations Association <p>Moderator: David Lloyd-Seed, Chairman, UK IR Society</p>

12:45	Lunch
14:00	<p>MEIRA Talk – Alignment with IR matters: crisis communications International IRO: Michel Karimunda, Senior Investor Relations Officer, Nordea Bank Interviewer: Anca Cighi, Senior Director, FTI Consulting</p>
14:20	<p>Panel – Careers Matter: how to make the most of your IR Speakers:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> > Fida Azar, Manager of Investor Relations and Communications, Arab Palestinian Investment Company > Rayan Al-Karawi, Group Head of Investor Relations, Fawaz Alhokair > Sara Shadid, Head of Investor Relations, Amanat <p>Moderator: Debbie Nathan, Director, Investor Relations & Communications, Carter Murray</p>
15:00	<p>MEIRA Talk – The future of IR: engagement matters Speakers:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> > Redwan Ahmed, Head of Investor Relations, DP World > Sofia El Boury, Head of Investor Relations, First Abu Dhabi Bank > Michael Hufton, Founder & Managing Director, ingage <p>Moderator: Oskar Yasar, Managing Partner, Broome Yasar</p>
15:30	End
<i>Wednesday 25th September – Awards Dinner</i>	
19:00	Networking reception
20:00	Gala Dinner starts
20:30	Annual Report, IR Website and IR Best Practice Awards Ceremony
22:30	Gala Dinner ends