



# MEIRA Newsletter

Your weekly IR publication

20 July 2023

MEIRA Annual Conference Special Issue

– After the summer break, we'll be back in your inbox on 17 August –

## MEIRA Updates

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Dear MEIRA community,

Happy Islamic New Year.

Allow us to add our hearty congratulations to the new Wimbledon champions. Anyone who follows sport will know that we have two new young champions. In fact, at 20, the Spanish winner is the third youngest male of all time! What always intrigues me is the commentary and assumptions made pre-match, let alone following the match live when so many other factors can come into play - it looked breezy out there, definitely nervy in a taut and topsy-turvy final in which the considerable age gap was possibly a bigger factor than people believed after almost 5 hours of tennis on top of 2 weeks of intense competition. In any case, who would have guessed the result, now knowing, of course, that no-one escapes from Alcaraz!

Before we close for summer, a reminder that we still have 3 important items for your immediate attention please:

**1. IR Market Survey, now live - deadline 20 July 2023**

Do please take the time to respond - it shouldn't take more than 15 minutes - and we will share the findings with you at our annual conference on 13 November in Manama City.

**2. Annual conference and awards, 13 November 2023**

Again, if you are a member or a partner of MEIRA, this 15th anniversary celebration is part of your annual subscription. Why haven't you registered yet? If you aren't a member or partner of MEIRA, join us, it will be worth it! We are adding to the conference agenda and you can expect to be joined by your IR peers for this one big IR day in the year, just one day, so join us.

**3. MEIRA IR Awards - submissions by 15 August 2023**

What better way to benchmark your reporting, be it through the annual report, your sustainability report or both? Do send us your entry for this important part of the IR calendar, the shortlists for which we will share with you in October. It isn't just about the IR awards, it's about your IR, improving this year-on-year and having a go by using your peers as a useful comparison according to your market cap.

Shout if the team can possibly assist you in any way - we're always available online - so, let's do this. After that, we can all go on a well-deserved break before returning refreshed for the final MEIRA leg of the year, to the stars and beyond, Team MEIRA!

Best wishes,

Team MEIRA

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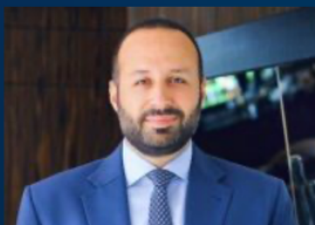
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