



# NEWSLETTER

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## WEEKEND READING LIST

- Qatar strengthens sustainable transformation, updates sovereign green assets register ([Zawya](#))
- PwC: Middle East on track to achieve \$4.68 trillion GDP by 2035 ([Economy Middle East](#))
- How Saudi Arabia is building a well-being economy ([Arab News](#))
- How AI and technology are modernizing the earnings call ([IR Impact](#))

## EVENTS

2025 | MEIRA ANNUAL CONFERENCE

**Elevating Impact: The New Era of IR in the Middle East**

SEPT.24-25 | MUSCAT

Registration

A MESSAGE FROM OUR SPONSOR - OQ

A promotional banner for the MEIRA 2025 Annual Conference. It features a portrait of Azzan Al Abdullatif, Chief Portfolio Officer, wearing a white thobe and ghutra. The background is a gradient of green and blue with a wavy line design. Text includes the MEIRA logo, '2025 | MEIRA ANNUAL CONFERENCE', 'MEGA SPONSOR | OQ', and a quote from Azzan Al Abdullatif.

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AL ABDULLATIF**  
CHIEF PORTFOLIO  
OFFICER

"We are pleased to be a key partner for MEIRA in hosting their Annual Conference for the first time in Muscat. The MEIRA conference provides a unique opportunity to showcase the development and progress of Oman's capital market, while also highlighting OQ's diversified portfolio of companies listed on the Muscat Stock Exchange."

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### CORPORATE ACCESS - REGISTER NOW

The **MEIRA Corporate Access** initiative provides you with a **unique chance to engage face-to-face** with as many as fifty of the region's **most prominent publicly listed companies** during the 2025 MEIRA Annual Conference.

Spread across both days of the event, the Corporate Access programme has been designed to deliver **focused, high-quality interactions** that are tailored to your interests and objectives, made possible through the **support of Arqaam Capital and HSBC**.

[Register here](#)

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### THE AGENDA

The Agenda for the 2025 MEIRA Annual Conference is **now live**.

In the words of Paolo Casamassima, MEIRA CEO: *"The Agenda for the 2025 MEIRA Annual Conference **has been carefully crafted in direct response to the valuable feedback** we*

received at last year's Conference. We are committed to meeting the high expectations that such a gathering generates, ensuring the *issues that matter most to our community are addressed*

*on stage, and that the content adds **real value and insight for all attendees.***"

Download the agenda now and don't miss the opportunity to find out first-hand everything that will be happening at this premier event!

Agenda

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**Wednesday, September 3** | How to plan and deliver a High-Impact Investor Day ([Link](#))

**Wednesday, September 10** | New frontiers for ESG in IR ([Link](#))

**Thursday, September 4** | Financial valuation & modelling - Building the right fundamentals ([Link](#))

**Wednesday, September 17** | Is your shareholder base helping or hurting your valuation? Redefining IR: strategy, ownership & value ([Link](#))

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