Organisers Patrons <mark>Speakers</mark> <mark>Guests</mark>



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HRH Nazrin Muizzuddin Shah	Ruler of the state of Parek, Malaysia. (Royal Patron WMLF)	 Honorary Fellow of colleges in both Oxford University and the University of Cambridge. Trustee of: The Oxford Centre for Islamic Studies. Royal Fellow of: The Malaysian Institute of Defense and Security; The Malaysian Institute of Strategic and International Studies; The Institute of Public Security of Malaysia. Royal Patron of: The Institute of Diplomacy and Foreign Relations of Malaysia; The Malaysia International Islamic Financial Centre (formerly, a Financial Ambassador). Colonel-in-Chief of the Regiment of Royal Engineers and of the Royal Medical Corps in the Malaysian Armed Forces.
Lord Sheikh of Cornhill.	(European Patron WMLF)	Previously owned a company given 12 major awards in a record 3-year period. Founded the Conservative Muslim Forum in 2005 (previous role of Chairman and currently, President.) Patron of several Muslim and non-Muslim organizations.
Datuk Seri Mohammed Iqbal Rawther	Group Executive of Farm Group. Board member of Binary university. (WMLF chair)	 Professional certificate from the Institute of Education, University of Birmingham; and the Harvard Business School. Fellow of: The Chartered Institute of Bankers (FCIB); The Malaysian Institute of Management. Chairman of: The Business Advisory Council of United Nations Economic and Social Commission for Asian and the Pacific (UNESCAP); The Malaysian Institute of Management. Involvement in regional and international organizations including: ASEAN Business Forum (Vice-President); Malaysia-Japan Economic Association (Honorary Secretary); Malaysia-Gulf Countries Business Council (Deputy President).

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Tan Sri Dato Dr Michael Yeoh Oon Kheng	Secretary- General (WMLF Asian Secretariat)	A social entrepreneur, influencer and thought leader. Bachelor of Economics, majoring in Accounting from Monash University, Australia. Attended programs at Harvard Business School and the Aresty Institute of Wharton School. Conferred Doctor of Laws honoris causa by the University of Nottingham, UK. Co-Founder and CEO of the Asian Strategy and Leadership Institute (ASLI). President of: The International Strategy of Institute; the Economic Club of Kuala Lumpur. Chairman of: Executive-Vice Chairman of Kingsley Advisory and Strategic Initiatives Sdn Bhd (KASI); the World Chinese Investment and Economic Forum; the ASEAN Leadership Forum; the Advisory Board of the Kingsley Leadership Academy. Fellow of: The U.K. Institute of Directors, the Malaysian Institute of Management. Member of the International Institute of Strategic Studies London.
Dr Husna Ahmad OBE	CEO of Global One 2015. Secretary General of the World Muslim Leadership Forum. (WMLF European Secretariat)	 PhD in Environmental Law from the School of Oriental and African Studies, London University. CEO of Global One 2015, a women-led, faith-based international development organisation. Former Group CEO of Faith Regan Foundation. Board Member of: BOND, Faith in Water, and Palmers Green Mosque (the MCEC). Co-ordinator of the Alliance of NGOs and CSOs for UN South-South Cooperation. Part of the UN Task Force's Faith-Based Advisory Council. Honorary Fellow of the Edward Cadbury Centre for the Public Understanding of Religion.
Dr Andrew Davis	Reader in the Public Understanding of Religion at the University of Birmingham. Director of the Edward Cadbury Centre.	 Biblical Scholar and Literary Critic on reception and history of the Bible in society. PhD in biblical ethics. Led major funded projects on Christianity and social engagement and on global religious freedom. The Cadbury Centre for the Public Understanding of Religion was established in 2014 to enhance public understanding of religious beliefs. It undertakes research to empower faith communities.

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Sheikh Saleh Abdullah Kamel	Chairman Dalla al Baraka Group	President of: Dallah Al Baraka Group; Islamic Chamber of Commerce, Saudi Arabia Chairman of: Al Baraka Banking Group; Egyptian Saudi Finance Bank, Egypt; Al Amin Bank, Bahrain; Albaraka Bank Lebanon; Arab Media Company, Saudi Arabia and Arab Radio & Television, Cayman Islands; General Council for Islamic Banks and Financial Institutions. Non-Executive Chairman of: Al Baraka Banking Group, Aseer Founding Member of: Faisal Islamic Bank, Sudan and Egypt; Saudi Livestock Trade & Transport Co., National Saudi Shipping Co., and Saudi Arabian Public Transport Co. Director of: Dallah Albaraka Group and Al Baraka Banking Group B.S.C. Recipient of several international awards, ranging from Gulf Businessman Award in 1993 to Islamic Banker of the Year from Islamic Development Bank in both 1995 and 1996.
Adeem Younis	Chair Penny Appeal.	Education includes: Bachelor's degree in Graphic Design at the University of Leeds. Founder of Single Muslim Ltd. Chairman of the Board of Trustees at Penny Appeal.
HE Ahmed Nadhir	Garissa County Manager	 Mr. Sheikh leads a team of over 1,500 staff members who are health workers attached to 90 health facilities in an area with an estimated population of over one million people. Mr. Sheikh sits in the Sub Technical Working Group of World Bank's Transforming Health Systems for Universal Care Project and DANIDA's Universal Health Care Projects. He was a runner-up in the 2013 General elections in which he vied for the position of Deputy Governor for Garissa County. He was sponsored by The National Alliance Party (TNA) led by President Uhuru Kenyatta. Mr. Sheikh Nadhir is a firm believer in social responsibility and service to the society which is a motivation for his involvement in philanthropic activities. Through Al-irfan Islamic institute which he is among the founders and chair of its board since 2001.

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<mark>Aisha Al Qassar</mark>	*More info needed*	
Aisha Patel	Al Imdaad Foundation.	*More info needed*
Imam Ajmal Masroor	British Imam, broadcaster and politician.	Local imam leading Friday prayers for: Goodge Street mosque, Palmers Green mosque, West Ealing mosque and Wightman Road mosque in
		Haringey. Member of the Muslim Council of Britain. Chairman and Director of Communities in Action; Chairman of ChildrenPlus; runs the Barefoot
		Institute. Frequently appeared on major news channel networks such as CNN as a social, political and religious commentator.

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Alia Alzougbi.	Artist and Producer.	 BAFTA-nominated dynamic artist, educator & cultural producer. Her practice is based on storytelling techniques and traditions and, as well as performing, she curates and produces cultural events. Has been chairing the National Theatre's 'We Need to Talk' sessions since 2017. She is also currently curating the British Museum's launch weekend for the new Albukhary Gallery of Islamic Arts.
Amjad Saleem	*more info needed*	
Dato Seri Anwar Ibrahim	President of the People's Justice Party (Malay: Parti KeAdilan Rakyat) and Leader of the Pakatan Harapan coalition.	Education includes: The University of Malaya, where he read Malay Studies; Masters in Literature through National University of Malaysia. Previous roles include: Minister of Culture, Youth and Sports, Minister of Education, Minister of Finance, Deputy Prime Minister of Malaysia. Helped initiate the Reformasi Movement.
Dr Azza Karam	Senior advisor on social and cultural development at the United Nations Population Fund (UNFPA).	 Previous senior policy research advisor at the United Nations Development Program in the Regional Bureau for Arab States; Special Advisor on the Muslim World and Director of Women's Programmes, at Religions for Peace. Previous President of the Committee of Religious NGOs at the United Nations. Founded the first Global Women of Faith Network during her tenure at Religions for Peace, while also advising on interfaith development work in Muslim-majority countries.

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Prof Fachruddin Mangunjaya	Chairman of Center for Islamic Studies, Universitas Nasional, Jakarta, Indonesia.	 Author and Muslim environmentalist. Member Drafting Team Islamic Declaration on Global Climate Change, Istanbul 2015. Visiting Fellow, Istitute of Islamic Understanding Malaysia (IKIM) 2018-2019 Chairman of Center for Islamic Studies, Universitas Nasional, Jakarta, Indonesia; Associate Lecturer at Faculty of Biology Universitas Nasional, and Post Graduate Program on the subject of Environmental Politic at Faculty of Political Science, Universitas Nasional, Jakarta www.drfachruddin.com
MC Faaria Ahmad	Programme Manager at Think Global.	Previous Head of Corporate Services at Faith Regen Foundation. Chair of the trustee board and Founding member at MADE.
Fadi Itani	CEO of the Muslim Charities Forum.	 'Fadi Itani is the CEO of the Muslim Charities Forum, the network of British Muslim Charities, he is the former Deputy Director General of Qatar Charity UK and was the Global Director for Communications and External Relations at Islamic Relief.' 'He also served as the CEO of Zakat House, a hub for small charities to lay foundations and grow sustainably and responsibly and was seconded to the Humanitarian Forum as the Public Affairs Director.' 'He was awarded the "Good Citizenship Award" and the "Mayor of Islington's Civic Award" for servicing the community and the Mayor of London Award for his services to the people of London'.
Professor Francis Davis	Professor of Public Policy.	Francis Davis is Professor of Public Policy at the University of Birmingham and a Fellow of the Helen Suzman Foundation in South Africa. A Zambian by birth, recent key notes include international conferences in Karachi, US and Brussels while his media credits include The Economist, The Times, BBC Radio 4 and BBC World TV. A former Cabinet level advisor he is on the board of several large health organisations and recently co-op chaired the Mayor of West Midlands Faith Summit

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Professor Francis Campbell	British Diplomat.	BA in Political Science and Scholastic Philosophy - Queens University, Belfast.
		Member of HM Diplomatic Service at FCO. Previously worked at United Nations Security Council in New York, the European Union and the FCO in London.
		Worked as advisor, then Private Secretary to Tony Blair. Previous Senior Director of Policy at Amnesty International. Served as Deputy High Commissioner in Pakistan.
		Previous Head of the Policy Unit in the FCO and Director of Innovation at UK Trade and Investment.
Gugah Praharawati	*need more info*	
Dr Hisham Hellyer	A scholar and author focusing on politics, religion, and security studies in the West and the Arab world.	Following the 2005 London bombings, he was appointed as Deputy Convenor of the UK Government's Taskforce on tackling radicalisation. Appointed as a Professor at the Centre for Advanced Studies on Islam, Science and Civilisation in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia. included in the annual global list of 'The 500 Most Influential Muslims' in the world.
Sheikh Ibrahim Lethome	(need more info)	
Dr. Ingrid Mattson	Muslim religious leader and	PhD in Near Eastern Languages and Civilizations from the University of Chicago.
	professor of Islamic Studies.	 Previous Professor of Islamic Studies and Christian-Muslim Relations. Previous Director of the MacDonald Center for the Study of Islam and Christian-Muslim Relations at Hartford Seminary. London and Windsor Community Chair in Islamic Studies at Huron University College at the University of Western Ontario. Former President of the Islamic Society of North America (ISNA). Provided consultations to the George W. Bush and Barack Obama Administrations.

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<mark>Dr Ismail Bardhi</mark>	Islamic theologian.	BA from the Theological Faculty, Sarajevo, Bosnia and Herzegovina, and the M.A. and Ph.D. in Qur'an interpretation from the University of Ankara in Ankara, Turkey. Professor of Islamic Ethics, Qur'an and Qur'anic Exegesis at the Faculty of Islamic Sciences of the Republic of Macedonia. Founder of the Publishing House "Logos-A" in Skopje, Republic of Macedonia. Chairman of the Board of the Center of Islamic Civilization Foundation (FOCIC). A fluent speaker of Albanian, Macedonian, Serbian-Croatian, Turkish, Arabic, and English.
Iqbal Nasim	Chief Executive at National Zakat Foundation.	Master of Science (MSc) in Voluntary Sector Management, from Cass Business School. Master of Arts (MA) University of Cambridge in Economics Cambridge Vice President and President of the Islamic Society. Winner of the national Muslim Student of the Year award 2005. Founding member of the Oxbridge Muslim Alumni
Jehangir Malik OBE	Chief executive of Muslim Aid.	Ex-chief executive of Olympic legacy charity International Inspiration, and, prior this, he was at Islamic Relief Worldwide as national fundraising director before spending his last six years at the charity as its UK director. Awarded an OBE in 2010 in recognition of his 20 years of contribution to the humanitarian cause.
Dato Seri Jamil Bidin	CEO of the Halal Development Corporation Malaysia.	Education includes: Degree in Accountancy and a Master's Degree in Business Administration (Finance). Previous roles of Chief Executive Officer of Putera Capital Bhd and Managing Director. Chief Executive Officer of Halal Industry Development Corporation Sdn Bhd. Director of Projek Lintasan Kota Holdings Sdn Bhd. Director of Putera Capital Bhd.

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Jemilah Mahmood ICRC	Under Secretary General for Partnerships at the International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies (IFRC).	Education includes: MD and Masters in Obstetrics & Gynaecology from the National University of Malaysia; and is a Fellow of the Royal College of Obstetricians and Gynaecologists, United Kingdom. Former lecturer in obstetrics and gynaecology at the Medical Faculty of the National University of Malaysia Previous Chief of the World Humanitarian Summit secretariat at the United Nations.
	Professor of	Founder of MERCY Malaysia.
Jocelyn Cesari	Religion and Politics.	Senior Fellow at Georgetown University's Berkley Centre where I direct the 'Islam in World Politics' program.
	Director of Research, Edward Cadbury Centre, University of Birmingham.	also teach on contemporary Islam at Harvard Divinity School and direct the Harvard interfaculty program 'Islam in the West'. Research focuses on religion and international politics, Islam and globalization, Islam and secularism, immigration, and religious pluralism
Dr. Mahera Ruby	Teaching Fellow University College	Multiple publications in academic journals.
	London (UCL).	Currently co-directing the ESRC-funded research project on 'Becoming literate through faith: language and literacy learning in the lives of new Londoners'.
<mark>Mahmoud Hesham El</mark> Burai	Managing Director of the Dubai Real Estate Institute.	Previous Senior Director of Real Estate Sector Development at the Real Estate Regulatory Authority of Dubai. Vice President of the International Real Estate Federation, FIABCI UK.
		On Board of: The Association of Real Estate License Law Officials (ARELLO), the International Real Estate Society (IRES) and the Middle East North Africa Real Estate Society (MENARES).
		Selected to be the only member from the Middle East North Africa (MENA) region on the United Nations Global Compact/RICS steering committee mandated to apply Global Compact Principles to the real estate industry.

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Mohammad Asfour	Regional Head of the MENA Network. World Green Building Council.	A passionate green global citizen; Mohammad, Chaired the WorldGBC MENA Network and the Jordan Green Building Council. He served as a Senior Adviser at the USAID Energy Sector Capacity Building Program and as the Environment, Water and Energy Sector Lead at the USAID Jordan Economic Development Program. 'Mohammad, was appointed as an adviser to the Board of Trustees at the Princess Sumaya University for Technology.' 'Mohammad received his BA in Business from the University of Jordan and his Masters in Positive Leadership and Strategy from the IE Business School in Madrid.'
Dr Mairo Mandara	Country Representative Nigeria, for the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation.	 Medical training at the University of Jos; Practiced at the Ahmadu Bello University Teaching Hospital in Zaria, northern Nigeria. Consultant obstetrician and gynecologist. Previous Health Systems Advisor, Earth Institute, University of Columbia. Previous Nigeria Country Adviser for the Packard Foundation. Founding member and the pioneer Chair of the National Health Committee of the Federation of Muslim Women Association in Nigeria (FOMWAN). Chairs The Population and Reproductive Health Initiative. Country Representative Nigeria, for the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation.
Sheikh Mehdi Gurra	*Need info*	
Mehdi Hasan	British Journalist.	 Studied PPE at the University of Oxford. Previous roles include: Deputy Executive Producer on Sky's Sunrise, Editor of News and Current Affairs at Channel 4, and Senior Editor of Politics at the New Statesman. Political Editor of The Huffington Post website. Presenter of the Al Jazeera English shows: The Café, Head to Head and UpFront.[6] Hosts the Deconstructed podcast on the investigative journal The Intercept.

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Mevlüt Cavusoglu	Turkish Foreign Minister	International Relations degree at Ankara University; Masters in economics from Long Island University; studied for his doctorate at Bilkent University and was a research fellow at London School of Economics. Previous Minister of Foreign Affairs. Founding member of the Justice and Development Party (AKP). Previous President of the Parliamentary Assembly of the Council of Europe from 2010 to 2012. Member of the Grand National Assembly of Turkey, where he represents Antalya Province.
<mark>Dato Seri Mohammad</mark> Azmin Ali	Minister of Economic Affairs Malaysia.	Education includes Bachelor's degree in Economics and Mathematics and a Master's degree in Education and Economics from the University of Minnesota. Previous Special Officer to Dato' Seri Anwar Ibrahim, the then Minister of Education. Previous Private Secretary to Anwar. Previously held the Office of Menteri Besar (Chief Minister)
The Rt Hon Penny Mourdaunt MP.	Secretary of State for International Development.	Education includes: Degree in Philosophy from Reading University. Previous roles include: Head of Broadcasting under William Hague; Head of Foreign Press for George W. Bush's presidential election campaign; served on the European Scrutiny Committee, Defence Select Committee. Parliamentary Private Secretary to the Secretary of State for Defence, Rt Hon. Philip Hammond MP; Multiple ministerial roles within UK politics.
Qari Ziyaad Patel	Trustee of Al Imdaad Foundation.	 Previous roles include: chairman of the Representative Council of Learners, was also a member of the Youth sector of the Schools governing body and was an executive member of the African National Congress Youth League, Ladysmith region. Education includes: Degree in Information Science from the University of Johannesburg; Diploma in Humanitarian Assistance from the University of Liverpool; Advanced Diploma in the Management of Humanitarian Interventions from the Institute for International Political Studies, Milan, Italy.

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Grand Mufti of UAE, Sayyid Ali Al Hashim.	Renowned Muslim jurist and scholar.	Senior advisor to the president of Dawlat al-Imara al- `Arabiyya al-Muhtahida (United Arab Emirates).
<mark>Sehija Dedovic</mark>	CEO of Nahla.	 Founded and formed Nahla, a Bosnian NGO, with other young women. Activities include: education, research and services for Bosnian women. Over 5000 women a year benefit from Nahla's various programmes.
<mark>Sharjil Ahmad</mark>	Head of Islamic Finance and Investments.	Head of Islamic Finance and Investments at BLME. Previous roles include: work at Bank of London and The Middle East, and at the Islamic Bank of Britain (Al Rayan Bank). Previous consultant at Islamic Conferences Group. Education includes a variety of degrees, postgraduate degrees and qualifications from Karachi University, Anglia Ruskin University, Durham University. Chartered Institute for Securities & Investment, Birkbeck University and the University of Oxford.
HE Shaukat Aziz.	Pakistani economist and former Prime Minister of Pakistan.	Education include: BS degree in Economics from Gordan College, Master's at The Institute of Business Administration in Karachi, MBA in Business Administration. Previous roles include: Finance Minister of Pakistan, numerous positions in Citibank. Aziz's macroeconomics policies hailed as ending the "era of stagflation" by providing political stability and economic progress.

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Shelina Janmohamed	British Writer.	Author of <i>Love in a Headscarf (2009),</i> a memoir of growing up as a British Muslim woman.
		Influential commentator on British Islam – written articles for <i>The Times, The Guardian, The National, The Muslim</i> <i>News</i> and <i>Emel</i> magazine focusing on Islam, women in Islam, and current affairs.
		Vice President of Ogilvy Noor, world's first Islamic Branding & marketing consultancy agency. <i>The Times</i> and the UK Equality and Human Rights Commission as one of the UK's 100 most influential Muslim women.
Rt Hon Stephen Timms MP	MP for East Ham.	Previous roles include: Financial Secretary to the Treasury; Chief Secretary to the Treasury.
		Education includes: Degree in Mathematics at the University of Cambridge; MPhil in operational research.
		Before entering Politics, Timms worked in the telecommunications industry for 15 years.
<mark>Dato Vaseehar Hassan</mark>	Chief Executive of Dallah Al Baraka (Malaysia) Holdings Sdn Bhd.	Previous roles include: Former Chairman HRB Bank Malaysia; Previous Chairman of Utama Merchant Bank Berhad and Alkhair International Islamic Bank Berhad. Chairman of the Board of Unicorn International Islamic Bank Malaysia Berhad.
		Non-Executive Director of Utama Banking Group Berhad Member of the International Advisory Panel of the World Islamic Economic Forum.
		Education includes: Bachelor of Commerce in Accounting from Loyola University; Post-graduate Diploma in Industrial Administration and a Masters in Business Administration in Finance from the University of Aston; Doctoral Research at Vrije Universiteit, Amsterdam.
Zahra Ahmad		