

Draft Agenda for this Workshop

26 June 2013

09:00 – 09:30 **Registration of participants**

09:30 – 10:15 **Inaugural Session: Recitation of Holy Quran**

Opening Speeches

- H. E. Prof. Savaş Alpay, Statistical, Economic and Social Research and Training Centre for Islamic Countries (SESRIC)
- H. E. Dr. Serdar Çam, Turkish Cooperation and Development Agency (TİKA)
- H. E. Dr. Ahmet Tıktık, Islamic Development Bank (IDB)

10:15 – 10:30 *Tea/Coffee Break*

10:30 – 12:00 **Keynote Plenary**

- Ms. Helene Giacobino (J-PAL) - Impact Evaluation for Social Inclusion
- Mr. Nabil Dabour (SESRIC) - Human capacity development and new approaches for poverty alleviation
- Dr. Bashir Fadlallah (ISFD) - ISFD's Poverty Reduction Programmes in IDB Member Countries

12:00 – 13:30 *Lunch & Prayers Break*

13:30 – 14:45 **Agriculture & Food Security**

- Mr. Clemens Breisinger (IFPRI) - Food Security is Central for Economic Development in OIC Member States
- Ms. Guldzhakhan Kurbanova (FAO) - Agriculture and Food Security: Lessons Learned and Future Challenges
- Mr. Mikael Kalle (IFAD) - Contractual Farming for Poverty Alleviation
- Mr. Nadi Serhan Aydin (SESRIC) - The State of Agriculture and Food Security in OIC Countries: Opportunities for Cooperation

14:45 – 15:00 *Tea/Coffee Break*

15:00 – 16:15 **Financial Inclusion, Entrepreneurship & Business Development**

- Mr. Nicholas Colloff (OXFAM) - Oxfam's Work in Empowering Smallholder Farmers
- Mr. Tawfig Mohamed Khalid (Bank of Khartoum) - Microcredit Program of the Bank of Khartoum
- Ms. Helene Giacobino (J-PAL) - Microcredit: Miracle or Disaster?

16:15 – 16:30 *Discussion*

16:30 – 18:00 Parallel Breakout Sessions

- Detailed Discussions on Agriculture and Food Security
- Detailed Discussion on Financial Inclusion, Entrepreneurship & Business Development

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09:00 – 10:00 Group Presentations

10:00 – 10:40 Infrastructure Development for the Poor

- Mr. Ko Sakamoto (Asian Development Bank) - Making infrastructure more inclusive: The Asian experience with Transport
- Mr. S. M. Monirul Islam (IDCOL) - Financing Renewable Energy Initiatives in Bangladesh

10:40 – 11:00 *Tea/Coffee Break*

11:00 – 12:45 Human Development

- Dr. Rudy S. Prawiradinata (BAPPENAS - Indonesia) - Poverty Reduction Effort through Community Empowerment Program (PNPM Mandiri)
- Mr. Caner Esenyel (Ministry of Family and Social Policy - Turkey) – Social Assistance Programs and CCT in Turkey
- Mr. Huseyin Hakan Eryetli (SESRIC) - The State of Health in OIC Countries: Challenges and Prospects for Cooperation
- Mr. Muhamed Zulkhibri (Chief Economist Complex - IDB) - Evaluating the Relevance of Conditional Cash Transfers in IDB Poverty Programme

12:45 – 14:15 *Lunch & Prayers Break*

14:15 – 15:45 Parallel Breakout Sessions

- Detailed Discussion on Infrastructure Development for the Poor
- Detailed Discussion on Human Development

15:45 – 16:00 *Tea/Coffee Break*

16:00 – 17:00 Group Presentations

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09:00 – 10:40 Final Plenary Session Conclusions & and Presentation of Final Recommendations of the Workshop

10:40 – 11:00 Closing Remarks