# Forum Program Agenda

Registration

August 23, 2025

#### **Inauguration Ceremony**

- Recitation from the Holy Qur'an
- Welcome Address by Organizer
- Keynote Address: "The Future of Islamic Finance in Europe"
- Guest of Honour Remarks

### Session 1: Evolving Landscape of Islamic Banking in the UK & Europe

- Growth trends and market overview
- Regulatory environment and challenges
- Integration of Islamic finance with mainstream banking
- Role of fintech in Islamic banking

#### Session 2: Sukuk & Shariah-Compliant Investments

- Sukuk structures and opportunities in the UK
- Islamic capital markets and ethical investment products
- Institutional investors' role in promoting Islamic finance
- ESG and Shariah compliance convergence

#### Session 3: Takaful and Financial Inclusion in the West

- Growth of Takaful in non-Muslim majority countries
- Innovative micro-Takaful models
- Financial inclusion through Islamic microfinance
- Regulatory adaptability for inclusive Islamic insurance

## **Benefits of Attending**

- Gain in-depth insights into the latest trends, developments, and challenges in Islamic banking, Takaful, Sukuk, and Shariah-compliant finance globally and within the UK context.
- Connect with key stakeholders, including industry experts, policymakers, Shariah scholars, regulators, investors, and financial institutions from the UK and around the world.
- Understand how the UK is positioning itself as a gateway for Islamic finance in Europe and explore opportunities for cross-border collaboration.
- Benefit from expert sessions, panel discussions, and case studies shared by professionals who are actively shaping the Islamic finance industry.
- Explore potential partnerships, investment prospects, and new business avenues in the rapidly growing Islamic finance market.
- Learn about the UK's evolving regulatory framework and how it supports the growth of Islamic financial institutions and products.

### Who should attend?

- Banking & Finance Professionals
- Regulators and Policymakers
- Shariah Scholars and Advisors
- Legal and Compliance Experts
- Investors and Asset Managers
- Academicians and Researchers
- International Organizations and Development Agencies
- Insurance & Takaful Professionals