



# MONDAY, 11 September 2017

(Regional Initiatives Meeting, closed sessions and by invitation only)

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08:00 - 17:00	Forum Registration		
	Venue: Registration Desk, Rixos	Seagate Sharm Hotel	
09:00 - 14:00	African Financial Inclusion Policy Initiative (AfPI) Sub- Regional Focal Points Meeting (closed session, by invitation only)	Pacific Islands Regional Initiative (PIRI) Experts Group of Financial Inclusion Policy (EGFIP) (closed session, by invitation only)	Financial Inclusion Initiative in Latin America and the Caribbean (FILAC) Experts Group of Financial Inclusion Policy (EGFIP) (closed session, by invitation only)
	Venue: Siwa	Venue: Aswan	Venue: Abu Simbel
10:00 - 10:30	Coffee Break Venue: Main Lobby, SHICC		
12:00 - 16:00	The Marketplace AFI PPD   CBE-SME   FinTech Venue: Small Lobby   SME SOUC	ı) Luxor	
12:00 - 13:00	Lunch Venue: Terrace, SHICC		
14:00 - 14:30	Coffee Break Venue: Main Lobby, SHICC		
14:30 - 17:00	Working Group Leadership Meeting (closed session, by invitation only) Venue: Sphinx		
10:00 - 17:00	Fletcher Leadership Program (closed session, by invitation onl Venue: The Palm, Rixos Seagate	y)	king Session

# TUESDAY, 12 September 2017

(Working Groups Meeting, open to AFI members and invited participants only)

07:30 - 19:00	Forum Registration Venue: Registration Desk, Rixos Seagate Sharm Hotel					
08:30 - 10:00	AFI Policy Working Group Convergence Venue: Red Sea & Sinai, SHICC					
10:00 - 10:30	Coffee Break Venue: Main Lobby, SHICC					
10:30 - 15:30	AFI Policy Working Group Meeting					
	Consumer Empowerment & Market Conduct Working Group (CEMCWG) Venue: Bibliotheca Alexandrina	Digital Financial Services Working Group (DFSWG) Venue: Nile Valley	SME Finance Working Group (SMEFWG) Venue: Siwa	Global Standards Proportionali ty Working Group (GSPWG) Venue: Aswan	Financial Inclusion Strategy Peer Learning Group (FISPLG) Venue: Sphinx	Financial Inclusion Data Working Group (FIDWG) Venue: Abu Simbel





10.00 10.00		
12:00 - 13:00	Lunch	
	Venue: Terrace, SHICC	
12:30 - 13:30	Press Conference	
	(By invitation only)	
	Venue: Red Sea & Sinai, SHICC	
10:00 - 16:00	The Marketplace	
	AFI PPD   CBE-SME   FinTech	
	Venue: Small Lobby   SME SOUQ   Luxor	
14:00 -17:00	AFI Board meeting	AFI Gender and Women's Financial
11.00 17.00	711 Dodra Meeting	Inclusion Committee
		(By invitation only)
	Venue: Rixos Sharm Hotel Boardroom	Venue: Galaxy
15:30 -16:00	Coffee Break	
	Venue: Main Lobby, SHICC	
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16:00 - 17:00	AFI Policy Working Group Convergence	
	Venue: Red Sea & Sinai, SHICC	
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18:00 - 20:00	Welcome reception to be hosted by Central	I Bank of Egypt
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	Venue: Beach Front, Rixos Seagate Sharm Hotel	
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# WEDNESDAY, 13 SEPTEMBER 2017

Open to AFI members and invited participants only

08:00 -20:00	Forum Registration			
	Venue: Registration Desk, SHICC (8:00 - 12:00)			
	Registration De	sk, Rixos Seagate Sharm	Hotel (13:00 - 20:00)	
08:45 - 15:30	The AFI Annual Gene	ral Meeting		
	Venue: The Summit, Sh	HICC		
15:30 - 15:45	Coffee Break			
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	Venue: Foyer, SHICC			
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			Caribbean (FILAC)	
	Venue: Bibliotheca	Venue: Siwa	Venue: Sphinx	Venue: Nile Valley
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16:45 - 18:45	Global Standards and	Policy Committee (	GSPC) Meeting (By invitation	on only)
	Venue: Rixos Seagate S	harm Hotel		
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			Rixos Seagate Sharm Hotel w	ill be provided for all
	GSPC meeting participal	nts.		
16:30 - 18:00	2017 Graduate Celeb	ration of the Fletch	er Leadershin Program fo	or Financial Inclusion
10.00 10.00	(by invitation only, for more information contact: FinancialLeadership@tufts.edu)			
	Venue: Coral Sea Holid	ay viilage		
19:00 - 21.00	<b>AFI Awards Dinner</b>			
	(By invitation only)			
	Venue: Rixos Beats Bar	, Rixos Seagate Sharm	Hotel	

# THURSDAY, 14 SEPTEMBER 2017

# 07:00 - 17:00 Forum Registration

# Venue: Registration Desk, Maritim Jolie Ville Royal Peninsula

# 09:00 - 10:50 Opening Ceremony of the 2017 AFI Global Policy Forum

# **Traditional Welcome Ceremony**

# Welcome Remarks

Mr. Tarek Amer, Governor, Central Bank of Egypt

Honorable Eng Sherif Ismail - Prime Minister of The Arab Republic of Egypt

# **Opening Remarks**

Prof. Benno Ndulu, Governor Bank of Tanzania (outgoing Chair of the AFI Board)

Incoming Chair of the AFI Board

Dr. Alfred Hannig, Executive Director, Alliance for Financial Inclusion

Mr. Abdellatif Jouahri, Governor, Bank Al-Maghrib

Dr. Abdul Rahman Al Hamidy, Arab Monetary Fund Director General Chairman of the Board

# **Keynote Address**

His Excellency Mr. Abdel Fattah El-Sisi - President of The Arab Republic of Egypt

Ringing of the gong to officially open the 2017 GPF

# Launch of the Financial Inclusion in the Arab Region Initiative (FIARI)

Signing Ceremony by AFI, GIZ, and AMF

Venue: The Summit, SHICC

# 10:50 - 11:20 Coffee Break & Photo Session for Heads of delegation

Venue: Main Lobby, SHICC

# 11:20 - 12:50 Diversity and Financial Inclusion - balancing the formal and informal sector (Formalizing the informal sector)

This opening plenary brings to the fore, international, regional and countries perspectives of balancing the formal and informal sector, showing different approaches that have been implemented with a view to share key policy and regulatory lessons.

Video Message by Dame Nemat Talaat Shafik

# Moderator:

• Mr. Tarek Amer, Governor, Central Bank of Egypt

# Panelists:

- Mr. Nestor Espenilla Jr, Governor, Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas
- Mr. Tiémoko Meyliet Kone, Governor, Banque Centrale des Etats de l'Afrique de l'Ouest (BCEAO)
- Hon. Dr. Hala Elsaid, Minister of Planning, Monitoring and Administrative Reform, Egypt
- Mr. Isaac Sidney Ferreira, Deputy Governor, Banco Central do Brasil
- Mr. Stephen Kehoe, VISA Executive Vice President Global Financial Inclusion
- Mr. Michael Wiegand, Director, Financial Services for the Poor, Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation (BMGF)
- Mr. Shawn Miles, Mastercard, Executive VP in Global Public Policy

Venue: The Summit, SHICC

# 12:50 - 13:50 Egypt experience and journey in Financial Inclusion (Showcasing the Egypt story)

This session will tackle Egypt's journey towards achieving Financial Inclusion through highlighting the various stakeholders' achievements/ reforms, challenges, policy interventions and the future looking perspective with a special focus on: (1) policy structuring for inclusion, (2) digitization and its importance in achieving change and (3) women's value in achieving exponential growth.

# Moderator:

Mrs. Shahira Amin, Independent Journalist

# Theme Setter

Mrs. May Abulnaga, Sub Governor, Central Bank of Egypt

# Panelists:

- Mrs. Ghada Wali, Minister of Social Solidarity, Egypt
- Mrs. Lobna Helal, Deputy Governor, Central Bank of Egypt
- Mrs. Mona Zulficar, Chairperson Egyptian Union for Microfinance
- Mr. Dante Campioni, Chairman Alex Bank

Venue: The Summit, SHICC

Venue: Terrace, SHICC

13:50 - 15:20 Lunch

High-level PPD Lunch (By Invitation only)

Venue: Bibliotheca Alexandrina and Sphinx

13:50 - 16:00 The Marketplace AFI PPD | CBE-SME | FinTech

Venue: Small Lobby | SME SOUQ | Luxor ADP/ Member Zone Help Desk

Venue: Main Lobby, SHICC

Members & Partners Networking

A casual session, where participants can enjoy short films/clips about financial inclusion and take opportunity to network with others

Venue: Siwa

15:20 - 16:40 Financial Inclusion and Economic Empowerment for Women.

Showcases concrete steps taken by policymakers/regulators within the AFI network under the Denarau Action Plan and their potential impact on women's economic empowerment.

Moderator

• Ms. Serey Chea, Director General, National Bank of Cambodia

Theme Setter

• Ms. Liz Kellison, Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation (BMGF)

**Panelists** 

Mr. Rogério Zandamela, Governor, Banco do Moçambique

- Dr. Tukiya Kankasa-Mabula, Deputy Governor, Bank of Zambia
- Mrs. Lobna Helal, Deputy Governor, Central Bank of Egypt
- Ms. Ceyla Pazarbasioglu, World Bank
- Dr. Maya Morsy, Chair National Council for Women in Egypt

Venue: The Summit, SHICC

16:40 - 17:00 Coffee Break

Venue: Foyer, SHICC

17:00 - 18:00

# Enabling technologies for SMEs

Showcases innovative technologies to advance financial inclusion of SMEs.

# Moderator:

 Mr. John Mwaka, CEO, SACCO Societies Regulatory Authority (SASRA) Kenya

# Panelists:

- Dr. Michael Hililan, Reserve Bank of Vanuatu (tbc)
- Mr. David Myeni, Ministry of Finance Swaziland
- Mr. Ahmad Haniff Jamaludin, Bank Negara Malaysia
- Ms. Amina Tirana, VISA
- Mr. Khalid Elgibali, Mastercard
- Mr. Ahmed Dermish, UNCDF

Venue: Nile Valley

# Cybersecurity & Financial Inclusion

Discuss the linkage between cybersecurity and financial inclusion, focusing on the appropriate roles of financial policymakers and regulators

# Moderator:

 Dr. Settor Amediku, Bank of Ghana

# Theme Setter:

 Dr. Leon Perlman, Columbia University

# Panelists:

- Dr. Sherif Hazem Salah, Assistant Sub Governor for Banking Computing Security Incident Response Center, Central Bank of Egypt
- Mr. Vijay Mauree, ITU

Venue: Suez Canal

# De-risking: the regional approaches

De-risking is a global problem, but its root cause and potential solutions can vary from regions to regions. The session showcases how AFI's regional initiatives and approaches can effectively tackle derisking.

# Moderator:

 Ms. Justine Walker, British Bankers Association

# Theme Setter:

Ms. Caroline
 Pickering, Co-Chair
 of Global Standards
 Proportionality
 Working Group

# Panelists:

- Mr. Gamal Negm, Deputy Governor, Central Bank of Egypt
- Mr. Gilbert Wongsin, Central Bank of Samoa, Assistant Governor
- Mr. Eric Barbier, TransferTo

Venue: Red Sea

# Connecting NFIS aspirations with the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs)

Highlight key components of NFIS that also contribute towards the greater UNSDGs.

# Moderator:

 Dr. Nimal Fernando, AFI Consultant (theme setter)

# Panelists:

- Mr. Azzam Shawwa, Governor, Palestine Monetary Authority
- Dr. Johnson Asiama, Deputy Governor, Bank of Ghana
- Mr. Esala Masitabua, Reserve Bank of Fiji
- Ms. Temitope Akin-Fadeyi, Central Bank of Nigeria
- Mr. Kee Beom Kim, International Labour Organization (ILO)
- Mr. Hayder Al-Bagdadi, GIZ
- Venue: Sinai

17:15 - 18:15 AFI Advisory Group meeting (By invitation only)

Venue: Board Room, Rixos Seagate Sharm-El-Sheikh Hotel

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19:00 - 21:00 Dinner hosted by the Central Bank of Egypt

Theme: Bedouin Night Venue: Sinai Desert

# FRIDAY, 15 September 2017

(2017 Global Policy Forum Day 2, open to all participants) 8:00 - 12:00 Forum Registration Venue: Registration Desk, SHICC 08:30 - 9:00 Launch of AFI Africa Office Venue: The Summit, SHICC 9:00 - 10:20 The Diversity and Challenges of Financial Inclusion in the Arab Region In this session, leaders of the Arab Central Banks discuss common challenges in advancing financial inclusion in their respective countries, and how the AFI's Financial Inclusion for Arab Region Initiative (FIARI) can help to address those challenges. Moderator: TBC Panelists: Mr. Ziad Fariz, Governor, Central Bank of Jordan Mr. Abdel Aziz Ould Dahi, Governor, Central Bank of Mauritania Mr. Hazim Abdegadir Ahmed Babiker, Governor, Central Bank of Sudan Mr. Raed H. Charafeddine, First Vice-Governor, Banque Du Liban Mr. Gamal Negm, Vice Governor, Central Bank of Egypt Ms. Ceyla Pazarbasioglu, Senior Director, World Bank Group GIZ (tbc) Venue: The Summit, SHICC 10:20 - 10:50 Coffee Break

Venue: Foyer, SHICC

10:50 - 11:50

# Leapfrogging Financial Inclusion through New Technologies /FinTech

Discuss policy/regulatory approaches to promote digital financial services for enhancing financial inclusion without compromising key mandates of ensuring financial stability, integrity and consumer protection.

# Moderator:

 Professor Njuguna Ndung'u, Educator

# Panelists:

- Mr. Ayman Hussein, Sub Governor Payment Systems and Information Technology
- Ms. Jessica Chew, Assistant Governor, Bank Negara Malaysia (BNM)
- Mr. Ma Shao Gang, People's Bank of China
- Mr. Alexandre Lazarow, Omidyar Network

# Transforming the lives of Forcibly Displaced Persons (FDPs) through financial inclusion

Explore specific regulatory challenges and solutions in meeting financial needs of FDPs.

# Moderator:

 Mr. Andreas Proksch, GIZ

# Panelists:

- Ms. Maha Bahou, Central Bank of Jordan
- Ms. Nangi Massawe, Bank of Tanzania
- Ms. Natascha Beinker, BM7
- Ms. Claire Scharwatt, GSMA
- Mr. Sofiene Marouane, MFNAFATF

Venue: Red Sea

# Financial Inclusion Data to Make Invisible Markets Visible

Discuss the role of data and measurement in diagnostics, evidence-based policy making and impact assessment in promoting financial inclusion for marginalized groups.

# Moderator:

• tbc

# Panelists:

- Ms. Temitope Akin-Fadeyi, Central Bank of Nigeria
- Mr. Chris Low, Letshego Holdings
- Ms. Celina Lee, isight2impact (i2i) data facility

Venue: Suez Canal

# Pillars of gender diversity

Highlight the ways in which achieving gender diversity in different contexts will enhance progress towards the financial inclusion of women. It will also examine challenges that impede progress towards attaining gender diversity and identify feasible solutions to increase gender diversity among AFI member institutions.

# Moderator:

 Ms. Karen Miller, Women's World Banking

# Panelists:

- Dr. Monique Nsanzabaganwa, Vice Governor, National Bank of Rwanda
- Mr. Nathan Naidoo, GSMA
- Ms. Jessica Schnabel, IFC

Venue: Nile Valley

Venue: Sinai

#### 11:50 - 12:00 Coffee Break / Transition to the Plenary session

Venue: Foyer, SHICC

#### 12:00 - 13:00 Peer-to-Peer In-country support 2.0: the AFI Approach

AFI members' increased demand for the peer-to-peer in-country approach, creates an opportunity to expand AFI's outreach of providing practical policy solutions tested in the network thus enhancing member's confidence for policy adoption. This session would therefore, bring to the fore, discussions to explore the options that AFI may usher its peer-to-peer in-country approach to the next level of sustainability, meeting increasing demands, providing effective visibility of members and enhancing cooperation and partnerships.

# Moderator & Theme Setter:

Mr. Norbert Mumba, AFI Deputy Executive Director

#### Panelists:

- Mr. Godwin Emefiele, Governor, Central Bank of Nigeria
- Dr. Alfred Hannig, AFI Executive Director
- Dr. Davaasuren Sodnomdarjaa, Chair, Financial Regulatory Commission of Mongolia
- Dr. Johnson Asiama, Second Deputy Governor, Bank of Ghana
- Mr. Lucas Llach, Vice Governor, Banco Central de la República Argentina

In this session, all Governors are kindly requested to sit at a designated Leaders' Roundtable.

Venue: The Summit, SHICC

13:00 - 14:20 Lunch

> Venue: Main Lobby, SHICC Venue: Terrace, SHICC

# 14:20 - 15:20

# Role of Islamic Finance in supporting **Financial Inclusion**

In this session, financial regulators and policymakers, researchers, and entrepreneurs will discuss the key policies and actions needed to enable financial inclusion through Islamic finance.

# Moderator:

- Mr. Habib Attia, Arab Monetary Fund Panelists:
- HE Khalil Sediq, Governor, Da Afghanistan Bank
- Dr. Louncény Nabe, Governor, Central Bank of the Republic of Guinea
- Mr. Zuhair Idris, Abu Dhabi Islamic Bank (tbc)

Venue: Red Sea

# Accelerating Progress, **Scaling Solutions**

Strong commitments to financial inclusion are widely recognized as catalysts for country level implementation and progress. Many AFI members that committed to the Maya Declaration in 2011 have either renewed their targets or achieved immense progress on the ground. This session aims to bring together AFI's 'goalkeepers' to share their key milestones as well as challenges in delivering on their commitments. Together, they will exchange views on innovative solutions and approaches that have been highly critical for their success in mitigating challenges on the ground.

# Moderator:

• Ms. SungAh Lee, Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation (BMGF)

- Mr. Loi Bakani, Governor, Bank of Papua New Guinea (tbc)
- Ms. Mathabo Gail Makenete, Deputy Governor, Central Bank of Lesotho
- Ms. Sheila Mmbijjewe, Deputy Governor, Central Bank of Kenya (tbc)
- · Mr. Luis Delgado, President of CONASSIF, Superintendencia General de Entidades Financieras de Costa Rica

Venue: Sinai

Venue: Nile Valley

# **Innovative Digital** Technologies and Microfinance -Riding the Wave

AFI Data Portal & Member Zone Help Desk

Showcase examples that have successfully leveraged technology to complement microfinance services/operations. The session also highlights the operational and regulatory interventions that need to be in place to ensure microfinance going "digital".

# Moderator:

 Ms. Nadine Chehade, CGAP

# Panelists:

- Dr. Davaasuren Sodnomdarjaa, Financial Regulatory Commission, Mongolia
- Mr. Amalendu Mukherjee, Microcredit Regulatory Authority of Bangladesh
- Mr. Chris Low, Letshego Holdings
- Mr. Nadeem Hussain, PlanetN Group

# Responsible financial inclusion

Identify key policies and tools from regulators, policymakers, financial service providers practitioners, and researchers to identify the key elements that can contribute to an increasing responsible finance.

# Moderator:

- Mr. Gregory Chen, CGAP (themesetter)
- Ms. Pia Roman, Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas

# Panelists:

- Mr. Hernán M. Colmán Rojas, Superintendent of Banks, Banco Central del Paraguay
- Ms. Lasha Gzirishvili, National Bank of Georgia
- Ms. Asmaa Bennani, Bank Al-Maghrib
- Mr. Luis Vaz, Banco de Portugal
- Mr. Eric Barbier, TransferTo

Venue: Bibliotheca Alexandrina and Sphinx

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15:20 -15:40	Coffee Break & Transition to the Plenary Session Venue: Foyer, SHICC	
15:40 - 16:40	Financial Inclusion and Climate Change - AFI Moving Forward  Explores policy/regulatory initiatives to ensure synergy between national financial inclusion and climate change, including discussion around how risks are mitigated and the role of donors/ partners in this field.	
	Moderator:  • Dr. Dalia A. Kader, Arab African International Bank Theme Setter:	
	<ul> <li>Mr. Jean Baden Dubois, Gouverneur de la Banque de la République d'Haiti, Banque de la République d'Haiti (tbc)</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Panelists:</li> <li>Mr. Denton Rarawa, Governor, Central Bank of Solomon Islands</li> <li>Mr. Shitangshu Kumar Sur Chowdhry, Deputy Governor, Bangladesh Bank</li> <li>Dr. Shehnaz Moosa, SouthSouthNorth Africa NPC (tbc)</li> </ul>	
	Venue: The Summit, SHICC	
16:40 - 17:00	Report back on the G20 Process  Moderator:  Dr. Alfred Hannig, Executive Director, Alliance for Financial Inclusion  Panelists:	
	<ul> <li>Mr. Lucas Llach, Vice Governor, Banco Central de la República Argentina</li> <li>Ms. Natascha Beinker, BMZ</li> </ul>	
17:00 - 17:30	Announcement of Maya Commitments In this session, AFI members have the opportunities to announce new and updated commitments to the Maya Declaration.	
	Venue: The Summit, SHICC	
17:30 - 18:00	Closing Ceremony of the 2017 GPF	
	Closing Remarks Governor H.E. Tarek Hassan Nour El Din Amer, Central Bank of Egypt Dr. Alfred Hannig, Executive Director, Alliance for Financial Inclusion	
	Announcement of the Quiz Winner Announcement of the host of the 2018 GPF	
	Gong handover to the host of the 2018 GPF	
	Venue: The Summit, SHICC	
18:30 - 21:00	Gala Dinner hosted by Central Bank of Egypt Theme: Pharaonic Night Venue: Rixos Beach	