



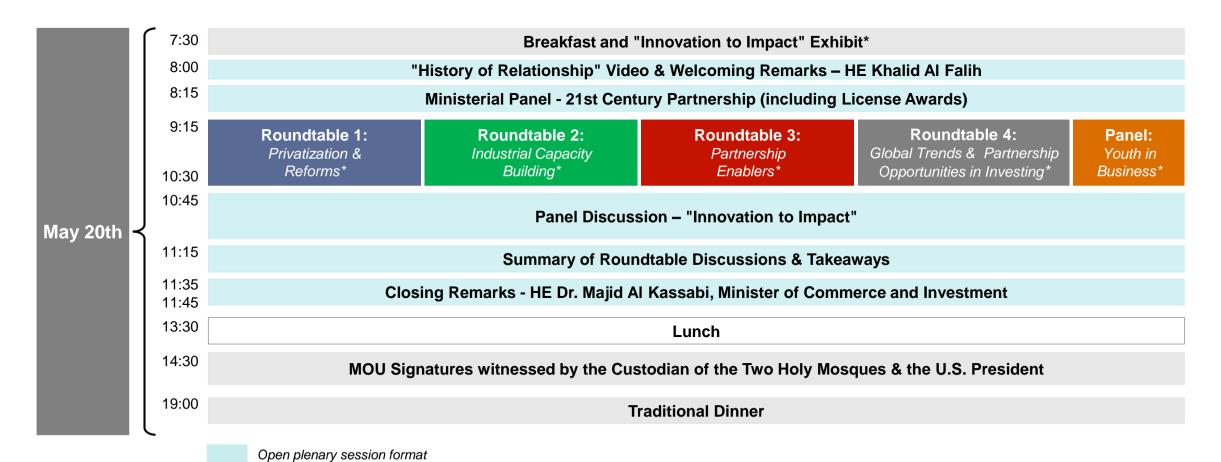


## Partnership for Generations

# Saudi-U.S. CEO FORUM 2017

#### **Agenda**







\*Additional details in following slides Note: Panel discussion on "Youth in business" for accompanying delegations only to run in parallel to roundtables



#### Ministerial Panel – 21st Century Partnership



#### **Format**

Plenary Session

- Total length: 45 minutes
- Remarks and Moderated Q&A

#### **Objectives**

- Outline Saudi Arabia's national transformation across all levels of society and economy, highlighting the progress made and the opportunities and challenges
- Discuss key enablers for successful Saudi U.S. partnership and give audience opportunity to ask specific questions
- Introduce Forum governance structure

#### **Plenary Overview**

Introduction:

- Share the developments and aspirations for bilateral relationships
- Outline key changes that Saudi Arabia is undergoing with respect to its economy, its regulations, its culture, in order to drive towards the new Vision

**Discussion:** 

- Open discussion with Q&A between panelists, moderator and audience.
   Topics to be covered:
  - Privatization & Reforms
  - Industrial Capacity Building
  - Partnership Enablers
  - Global Trends & Partnership Opportunities in Investing

#### **Key Panelists**



Saudi Government
HE Dr. Majid Al Kassabi
Minister of Commerce and Investment



Saudi Government
HE Khalid Al Falih
Minister of Energy, Industry and Mineral Resources



Saudi Government
HE Mohammed Al Jadaan
Minister of Finance



Saudi Government
HE Yasir Al Rumayyan
Managing Director, Public Investment Fund



Saudi – U.S. CEO Forum Co-Chair Lubna Al Olayan CEO, Olayan Financing Company



Saudi – U.S. CEO Forum Co-Chair Andrew Liveris Chairman & CEO, Dow Chemical



Moderator
Francine Lacqua
Anchor, Bloomberg TV



#### Roundtable 1 – Privatization & Reforms



#### **Format**

Roundtable discussion

- Total length: 75 minutes
- Open discussion driven by facilitator



Facilitator
Dr. Ihsan Bu-Hulaiga
Principal Consultant, Joatha Consulting

#### **Session Objectives**

- Discuss Saudi Arabia's major privatization program to kick-start new sectors and diversify the economy
- Discuss short and medium term opportunities for Saudi - U.S. companies to partner, invest and further develop relationships/cooperation
- Discuss prevalent privatization models
- Discuss key priority areas for Saudi Arabia to reform in order achieve the desired participation from U.S. companies in these efforts

#### **Guiding Questions**

- What progress has been made in Saudi Arabia towards the privatization targets to date?
- What are the key learnings from different models of privatization in other countries that best suit the needs of Saudi Arabia and local and foreign companies?
- What role can financial institutions play in the privatization process?





#### Roundtable 2 – Industrial Capacity Building



#### **Format**

Roundtable discussion

- Total length: 75 minutes
- Open discussion driven by facilitator



Facilitator
Dr. Heinz Pley
Partner & Managing Director, BCG

#### **Session Objectives**

- Outline strategic sectors for capacity building, and key enablers required
- Discuss the role of U.S. companies in supporting Saudi Arabia's industrial capacity building
- Identify global best practices and learnings to enable successful industrial capacity building

#### **Guiding Questions**

- What are your thoughts regarding Saudi Arabia's industrial capacity building plans and prioritized sectors?
- What different roles can Saudi and U.S.
   companies play in developing these opportunities?
- How can the Saudi government create a more conducive environment for investors and a competitive advantage to advance industrial capacity?





#### Roundtable 3 - Partnership Enablers



#### **Format**

Roundtable discussion

- Total length: 75 minutes
- Open discussion driven by facilitator



Facilitator
John Defterios
Emerging Markets Editor, CNN

#### **Session Objectives**

- Discuss current business and investment flows and the desired target state
- Outline steps required in order to boost investment and business flows between Saudi Arabia and the U.S.
- Share key learnings and success stories from other markets

#### **Guiding Questions**

- How do you see Saudi Arabia's business environment today and efforts that can be made to further improve it?
- What are the main reforms/changes that Saudi Arabia should prioritize to foster international partnerships?
- What steps can be taken to enable Saudi investments into key U.S. sectors that would bring most benefit to both countries?





### **Roundtable 4 – Global Trends & Partnership Opportunities** in Investing



#### **Format**

Roundtable discussion

- Total length: 75 minutes
- Open discussion driven by facilitator



Facilitator
Nadine Hani
Senior Business News Presenter,
Al Arabiya

#### **Session Objectives**

- Discuss new frameworks to understand the future of investment
- Share experiences on long-term investment to create real value for the next generation
- Understand the key capital flow and trade opportunities between US and Saudi Arabia
- Lay the ground work for new deals and signing between the US, Saudi and global investors
- Join the international advisory board of the Future Investment Initiative by the Public Investment Fund on 24-26 October

#### **Guiding Questions**

#### Views from North America & Asia

- What global investment trends are having the largest impact currently?
- What are the most significant risks facing institutional investors in the short term?
- How is the role of SWFs evolving globally? What are the key emerging partnership models (and their success factors) between asset managers and institutional investors?

#### Views from Saudi Arabia

- What are the **key opportunities** that Saudi Arabia and the U.S. can explore? What are the key barriers to overcome?
- How can the private sector support in strengthening the Saudi U.S. investment partnership?





#### **Panel Discussion – Youth in Business**



#### **Format**

Plenary Session

- Total length: 60 minutes
- Remarks and Moderated Q&A

#### **Objectives**

- Outline Saudi youth's role in achieving Vision 2030
- · Discuss key challenges facing youth to be engaged in Saudi and U.S. economy
- Identify key requirements for youth to be involved in the business world and adapt to the evolving job market
- Discuss how the Saudi U.S. partnership efforts can enable greater youth participation
- Share youth success stories from Saudi Arabia and the U.S.

#### **Plenary Overview**

Introduction:

- Highlight the importance of the role of youth in business
- · Short opening statements by each panelist

Discussion:

- Open discussion with Q&A (35 mins) topics to be covered:
  - Engaging and attracting Saudi and U.S. youth into the labor force
  - Perspective of Saudi youth on the business environment
  - Views on how youth can embrace the Saudi U.S. partnership

#### **Key panelists**



Panelist
Rami Al Turki
CEO. Al Turki Holdina

#### Panelist

May Abu Ghazalah Head of Marketing, ALBAIK



Panelist
Adwa Al Dakhail
CEO, Direct Influence Company



Panelist
Guy Diedrich
Global Innovation Officer. Cisco



Moderator
Francine Lacqua
Anchor, Bloomberg TV



#### Panel Discussion - "Innovation to Impact"



#### **Format**

- Plenary Session
- · Short videos and exhibits

- Total length: 45 minutes
- Remarks and moderated Q&A

#### **Objectives**

- · Share the outcomes of the "Innovation to Impact" event
- · Highlight Saudi and U.S. commitment to innovation
- Provide success stories of innovation
- Provide a platform to interact with Youth and Innovators

#### **Plenary Overview**

Introduction:

 Summary of the outcomes of the "Innovation to Impact" event – MIT President (15 mins)

**Discussion:** 

 Discussion on personal experiences and learnings – Saudi and U.S. Youth and Innovators (30 mins)

#### **Key panelists**



U.S. Academia Representative
Rafael Reif
President. MIT



Alison Monroe, KAUST student
Anthony Bennett, KAUST student
Christopher Beaudoin, KAUST student
Dalal Alezi, KAUST student
Mohammed Alsobay, KGSP alumnus
Yasmeen Najm, KGSP alumna
Abdulaziz Alghunaim, Silicon Valley
entrepreneur
Hisham Al Falih, Silicon Valley entrepreneur



Moderator
Malak Fares
Business Presenter, Sky News Arabia



## Panel Discussion – Summary of Roundtable Discussions & Takeaways



#### Format

 Plenary presentation by each moderator

- Total length: 20 minutes
- Summary of roundtable takeaways

#### **Objectives**

- Provide a concise and informative summary of the key discussion points from each roundtable
- Highlight key insights from each roundtable and clear opportunities for mutual progress

#### **Plenary Overview**

**Presentations:** 

- Conducted by each roundtable's selected representative to report back the key takeaways (5 min each):
  - Roundtable 1: Privatization & Reforms
  - Roundtable 2: Industrial Capacity Building
  - Roundtable 3: Partnership Enablers
  - Roundtable 4: Global Trends & Partnership Opportunities in Investing

#### Key speakers

One representative for each roundtable to be identified and communicated ahead of the session



Roundtable 1:
Sarah Al Suhaimi
CEO, Tadawul (Saudi Stock Exchange)



Roundtable 2:
Ghassan Al Shibl
CEO, Saudi Research Marketing



Roundtable 3:
Darren Woods
Chairman & CEO, ExxonMobil



Roundtable 4:
David M. Rubenstein
Co-Founder & Co-CEO, The Carlyle Group



Moderator
John Defterios
Emerging Markets Editor, CNN





#### **Closing Remarks**





HE Dr. Majid Al Kassabi

Minister of Commerce and Investment



