

# CIS Research Division Annual Report 2018

February 2019

### **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

It is with great pleasure that we present the first annual report of the Research Division for the period July 2017 to June 2018. We were able to accomplish a lot within this short period of time and we are especially proud of the launch of research clusters. The introduction of research clusters is in tandem with the trend in contemporary research which recognizes the need for collaboration of researchers possessing expert knowledge in different areas to solve a problem of common interest. Isolated research silos is an obsolescent concept which is giving way to research clusters wherein researchers with varied knowledge and expertise are able to pool in their resources more constructive-



ly to produce superior work. These research clusters will, we believe, provide the ideal ecosystem at CIS to initiate and pursue complex research questions to achieve its goal of becoming a world-class college for knowledge production and transfer while also more effectively contribute towards achieving the goals of Qatar National Vision, 2030. In the first cycle of the Research Clusters, CIS-RD has sanctioned 17 research projects. A total sum of QAR 285,000 was awarded to the

projects, of which around QAR 150,000 has been disbursed. Some of the major highlights and achievements of the first cycle projects are as follows:

- ⇒ Successfully held a conference on the topic of Circular Economy
- ⇒ Initiated discussions with Cambridge to collaborate on setting up a Center for Alternative Finance for the MENA region
- ⇒ Organized a Global conference on Awqaf
- ⇒ Produced an initial case study report for Qatar Development Bank on their transformation journey from a conventional to an Islamic banking institution
- ⇒ 3 NPRI, 7 CWSP and other grants from the industry such as QFC and QDB

During 2017 and 2018, 63 books/book chapters and 62 refereed journal articles were published by the CIS faculty. 113 events were conducted by CIS during these two years which included public lectures, conferences, seminars, symposiums and roundtables.

### **ABOUT US**

#### HAMAD BIN KHALIFA UNIVERSITY

Hamad Bin Khalifa University (HBKU), a member of Qatar Foundation for Education, Science and Community Development (QF), was founded in 2010 as a research-intensive university that acts as a catalyst for transformative change in Qatar and the region while having a global impact. Located in Education City, HBKU is committed to building and cultivating human capacity through an enriching academic experience, innovative ecosystem and unique partnerships. HBKU delivers multidisciplinary undergraduate and graduate programs through its colleges and provides opportunities for research and scholarship though its institute and centers.

#### **COLLEGE OF ISLAMIC STUDIES**

HBKU's College of Islamic Studies (CIS) was founded to become a beacon for contemporary Islamic scholarship and thought, and a platform for meaningful intellectual and cultural dialogue on Islam and Muslims. Through its five academic offerings and four research centers, the college seeks to address some of the most pressing questions facing Muslim communities today, both locally and globally. Through its offerings, the college strives to advance a better understanding of Islam and its social dimensions and to produce graduates who can contribute and excel in a rapidly changing world.

#### **RESEARCH DIVISION**

Research Division (CIS-RD) of College of Islamic Studies has been established to expand the understanding of Islamic studies; contribute to global intellectual debates on Islam as a religion, culture and civilization; and respond to contemporary challenges and societal and economic transformations within the Muslim world and beyond. The primary purpose of RD is to support the CIS faculty to pursue research and development, and scholarly and creative activities among themselves along with external industry and academic collaborations. RD exists to enhance the educational and research activities of CIS and to provide the critical mass, required to attain international recognition; pursue grants and partner with other institutions and industry. Research cluster approach under RD has been introduced and implemented specifically with this purpose in mind. Research clusters offer a fluid, interdisciplinary, flexible ecosystem for CIS research efforts and output to achieve excellence. RD provides the foundation to the CIS faculty for conducting collective scholarly activities. RD endeavors to serve the mission of CIS in transforming Qatar into a knowledge-based society by promoting Islamic values, heritage and contribution to humanity through education and research.

## ALIGNMENT WITH CIS OBJECTIVES

The activities of the Research Division should broadly cater to the following 7 strategic initiatives of CIS, thereby contributing to the achievement of the overall objectives of CIS:

## CIS Objective 1: Achieve Excellence in Education, Research, and Publication

#### **Initiatives**

Initiate and implement Research Clusters
Increase external research grants
Foster national priorities academic and research projects

### CIS Objective 2: Promote CIS Exposure and Visibility

#### **Initiatives**

Establish communications and agreements with academic publishers

Partner with major Islamic Studies Centers in the region and the world

Disseminate CIS research production

### CIS Objective 3: Cultivate and Develop Competitive Students

#### **Initiatives**

Increase student engagement in research

## **OUR ECOSYSTEM**

Research Division was initiated during the academic year 2017-18 to assess and support research and knowledge production within CIS faculty and research staff. Moreover, Research Division aspires to be a platform which contributes to global intellectual debates on Islam as a religion, culture and civilization; and responds to contemporary challenges and societal transformations within the Muslim world and beyond. Research Division through its research clusters provides an inclusive, fluid and multi-stakeholder ecosystem. It enables an

Research Division aims to increase research output at CIS including organizing events, publications, media reporting as well as writing grant proposals. With regard to publications, through research clusters, RD will encourage publications in peer reviewed indexed journals (with high impact factor) for wider dissemination.

Research Division also endeavors to project the work of the CIS faculty and researchers to external parties

Internal & External External **Funding** Collaborations \$ Research **Finance** Cluster Islam & Glo bal **PROGRAMS Affairs** Faculty Students **Studies** Data Repository Islamic Art, Architecture & Urbanism CILE CMCC QCIMR CIEF **RESEARCH CENTERS** 

through public lectures, conferences and roundtables along with the Data Repository. It will simultaneously, also endeavor to support the CIS faculty and researchers in being updated with the external research activities in their respective fields. It is hoped the that above activities along

efforts

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including industry

and

academia

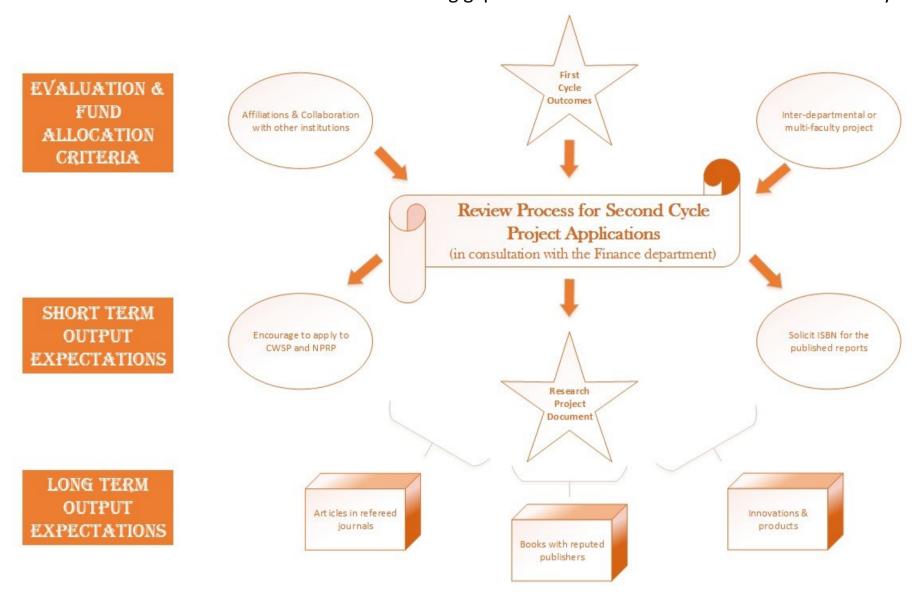
environment which stimulates learning and collaborative research while capitalizing on the existing resources of CIS and synergies, both within and with external parties. Research clusters is based on a horizontal network system as opposed to vertical hierarchical system which provides an egalitarian platform for research ensuring maximum participation from a multitude of stakeholders and local/international actors.

create opportunities for interaction and dialogue among the parties mentioned will create a virtuous loop of greater collaborative learning and research work.

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## **OUR REVIEW PROCESS**

For any project proposal to qualify for the Research Clusters, it must foremost qualify as a good research work, grounded in theory, with a base in the research literature and backed by the work done by others in the field while being incremental in nature. The research problem being addressed must be new, in alignment with the goals and scope of the relevant research cluster and fills an existing gap in the field. It has to be feasible and certainly do-able



within the timeframe and the proposed budget. The proposal is typically vetted by area experts who are expected to have the authority to comment on the soundness and feasibility of the project proposal.

While evaluating a project proposal and deciding on the allocations of funds, project deliverable quality and promptness of the applicant's RC projects in the previous cycles is given special weightage. Any affiliations and collaborations in the proposed project with other institutions or multi-faculty/ inter-departmental/ inter-disciplinary nature of the project attracts additional credit during the evaluation stage.

A comprehensive 'Research Project Document' is required to be submitted before the end of the project tenure for which the applicants are required to work with the RD team to solicit ISBN. Applicants are encouraged to take the project to the next level by taking various steps such as applying to CWSP, NPRP and others to avail funding for their projects.

In the long term, the projects from the Research Clusters are expected to have one or more of the following deliverables:

- ⇒ Articles in refereed journals
- ⇒ Books with reputed publishers
- ⇒ Innovations, patents, IP and other products

## **HIGHLIGHTS**

#### **RESEARCH CLUSTERS**

Research Cluster which was conceptualised in order to support and promote research and knowledge production within CIS faculty and research staff successfully completed its first cycle during the reporting period. In this time, 17 research projects were sanctioned under 8 research clusters. A total sum of QAR 285,000 was awarded to the projects which are expected to yield 8 books, 9 journal articles along with 12 seminars and workshops. The Research Division team will be facilitating the cluster identification and grouping process after Cycle # 2 projects are awarded and begin to operate in early 2019.

#### **PUBLICATIONS & EVENTS**

CIS-RD has taken the responsibility to produce and dessiminate reports on all the events conducted by various centers, starting with the CIEF related events since 2011 whose detailed list is shared in the appendix. This process will be replicated for the other centers in due course.



CIS-RD studies the trends in the industry and the academia along with the research activities and interests of the faculty to then identify areas of maximum relevance

and suitability, especially in the context of Qatar and its 2030 vision to arrange seminars, symposiums, roundtables and conferences which can bring the stakeholders on a single platofrm to brainstorm the issues, leading to academic reports and publications which can then be dessiminated to the wider public. CID-RD has organised/co-organised several events, a few of which are highlighted in later in this report while the detailsed list is shared in the appendix. It has also coordinated the production of CIS Dean's report.

#### **CIS DATABANK**

RD is actively involved in creating HBKU CIS repository which will be a world-class online resource for researchers and students in Islamic studies, available both in Arabic and English. This will try to fill the current void and provide a much needed databank in niche areas related to Islamic studies. The aim is to bring together all academic resources on Islamic economics and finance and eventually the other areas of Islamic studies, to provide a one-stop authentic information center for researchers, faculty members



and practitioners.
Islamic
Economics
and Finance is the first component of this project which

commenced in 2016. Currently it holds over 7000 unique records both in Arabic and English with full verified bibliographic data. Abstracts and full-text can also be found in cases. A full-fledged acquisition program through a wide research network is underway. Through this program, it will be easy to acquire authentic data from primary and secondary sources to make the databank a solid comprehensive tool. RD has worked on the databank development, dissemination platform and the user interface.

#### **RESEARCH FELLOWSHIP**

Research fellowship program has been initiated which is expected to provide assistance to research projects while at the same time give opportunities to candidates to acquire professional skills needed to pursue their career path in their chosen fields. For the current year, five positions have been approved, of which three have been filled: CIS-DataBank, CIS-Research Division and Global Affairs Program.

## **RESEARCH CLUSTERS**

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Research clusters are virtual entities within which several related projects are undertaken together. Following are the 8 research clusters which have been envisioned based on the existing programs, research centers and publicly available research outputs of CIS faculty and researchers:

#### **Islamic Finance**

- •This cluster will be dedicated to the interdisciplinary study of the Islamic banking and financial industry along with the study of relationship between the Islamic faith and economic phenomenon pertaining to the behavior of individuals, institutions, and markets.
- •This includes broadly examining Islamic perspectives on production, redistribution and exchange.

#### Religion, Science, and Education

- •This cluster will critically analyze some of the most pressing issues regarding science education in contemporary Muslim societies; to discuss ways to address these challenges; and to offer recommendations to inform the current efforts to enhance scientific literacy in contemporary Muslim societies.
- •The cluster will also examine the impact of Islamic institutions on scientific and religious literacy.

#### **Moral Economies**

- •This cluster will seek to theorize the concept of the Islamic moral economy and to address the contemporary challenges of capitalism faced by Muslims.
- •The cluster will also examine Islamic components of the moral economy, such as social and behavioral norms, and the role and functioning of Islamic economic institutions such as zakat and *Waqf*.

#### **Identity and Urban Life**

- •This cluster will host contemporary theoretical and critical discourses in relation to identity and urban life
- •Contributions will illustrate the importance of the nexus between Islamic values, Muslim identities, and urbanization.

#### Religion and Innovation

•This is a cross-disciplinary cluster, which addresses 21st century challenges and their impact on Islamic jurisprudence, and developing innovative Islamic solutions that meet the needs of Muslims in their daily lives.

#### Sustainable Development

- •This cluster tackles issues pertaining to sustainable development in Muslim states.
- •Through various projects, the cluster will shed light on the theoretical debates and practical discussions revolving around institutional dynamics, contextual barriers and other factors that affect development in its integral sense within the Muslim World.

#### Islam, Civilization, and History

- •Islamic civilization has played an extensive role in shaping the world as we see it today.
- •This cluster will explore Islamic civilizational aspects in order to develop further understanding of the Islamic contribution to human civilization.

#### Islam and Global Affairs

•This cluster will explore the solutions which Islam provides to the issues which are affecting the humanity globally.

#### **ISLAMIC FINANCE CLUSTER**



Tariqullah Khan



S Nazim Ali



Abdelrahman Yousri



Bahnaz Al Quradaghi



Abdulazeem J Abo Zaid



Hassan Yousif Mohd



Seven faculty members participated through the following four research projects in the Islamic Finance cluster:

- التطوير المقاصدي لمنتجات الصيرفة الإسلامية 😞
- ⇒ Transformation into Shariah-Compliant Development Bank: A Case Study of Qatar Development Bank
- ⇒ Islamic Sukuk: Development, Evaluation and Future Prospects
- ⇒ The Impact of Macroeconomic Indicators on Qatar Stock Exchange: A Comparative Study between Qatar Exchange Main Index and Al Rayyan Islamic Index

#### RELIGION, SCIENCE, INNOVATION and EDUCATION SUPER CLUSTER



Tariqullah Khan





Bahnaz Al Quradaghi

Khalid M Al-Qatabri



Five faculty members participated through the following three research projects in the Religion, Science, Innovation and Education super cluster:

- وصف كتاب المحلى لابن حزم 😞
- ⇒ Application of Digital Currencies and Block chain Technology in Islamic Economics and Finance
- ⇒ Islamic Finance Perspective on Digital

#### ISLAM, CIVILIZATION and HISTORY



Four faculty members participated through the following four research projects in the Islam, Civilization and History cluster:

- ⇒ Islam and Indian Religions: Selected writings of Sayyid Manzir Ahsan Gilani
- $\Rightarrow$  دراسة الأديان في الفكر الإسلامي القديم والحديث دراسة في  $\Rightarrow$  تشكل العلم ومناهجه
- ⇒ Hinduism in Muslim theological sources in Arabic
- ⇒ Proposal for the Study of the Covenants of the Prophet Muḥammad and the Early Caliphs from Non-Muslim Archives and its Relevance to Contemporary Valuational Issues

#### **ISLAM and GLOBAL AFFAIRS**







Mohd El Gammal

Hossam E Mohamed

Hossam E Mohamed

Rajai Ray



Mohd K Khalifa

Four faculty members participated through the following three research projects in the Islam and Global Affairs cluster:

- ظاهرة العنف والتطرف الديني وسبل مواجهتها: دراسة تحليلية
- ⇒ Umma and the Nation State: dilemmas in migration ethics
- السلم في العلاقات الدولية: دراسة مقارنة في اطار مقاصد الشريعة

MORAL ECONOMIES, SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT, IDENTITY and URBAN LIFE SUPER CLUSTER





Remah Gharib

S Nazim Ali

Tarek Swelim

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Abdelhak Hamiche

Five faculty members participated through the following three research projects in the Moral Economies, Sustainable Development, Identity and Urban Life Super cluster:

- ⇒ CIS-QFC Global Conference on Awqaf
- ⇒ Efficacious Architecture in Muslim Societies (Book Series)

## **PUBLICATIONS** and **EVENTS**

## During 2017 and 2018, **68 books/book chapters** and **43 refereed journal articles** were published by the CIS faculty.

#### **Selected Publishers with faculty publications**

Akkadia Press

**Brill Academic Publishers** 

Dar Hassan and Modern Library for Printing, Publishing and Distribution

**Edinburgh University Press** 

**Garnet Publishing** 

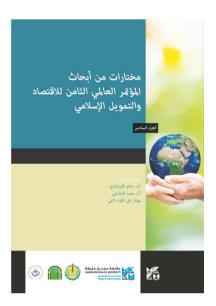
Gulf Research Center, Cambridge

Palgrave MacMillan

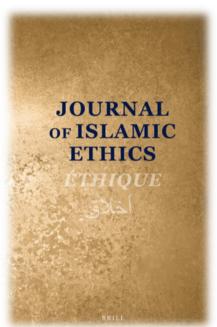
Routlege, Taylor and Francis Group

**University of Ottawa Press** 

University of Pennsylvania Press



The focus of **Journal of Islam- ic Ethics**, a CIS journal, is on
the ethical approaches embedded in Islamic philosophy,
theology, mysticism and jurisprudence as well as Islamic



civilization in general, and, more particularly, on the principles and methods (to be) fol-

## Selected SCOPUS & SCImago-Indexed Journals with faculty publications

African Geographical Review

**Breastfeeding Medicine** 

Global Journal of Comparative Law

Intellectual Discourse

**Islamic Economics** 

Journal of Islamic Studies

Journal of King Abdulaziz University: Islamic Economics

Journal of Quranic Studies

Nederlands Tijdschrift voor Geneeskunde

Pakistan Development Review

Studia Islamica

The Muslim World

lowed in applying these approaches to various sectors of contemporary social life.

These fields include: Arts, Environment, Economics, Education, Gender, Media, Medicine, Migration & Human

Rights, Politics and Psychology. The Journal will strongly focus on thematic issues on current events as well as on individual empirical case studies.

## **PUBLICATIONS** and **EVENTS**

#### **CIS-QFC GLOBAL CONFERENCE on AWQAF**



The 3 day
Global
Conference
on Awqaf was
co-organised
by CIS-RD
which

represented stakeholders from over 40 countries. brought together original research papers on Waqf written by prominent academicians in the field. With more than 25 invited international speakers, 25 invited local speakers, interactive workshops, and several information and idea sharing sessions, the conference initiated serious discussions creating a platform to brainstorm on the various issues plaguing Awqaf throughout the Muslim world. CIS-RD has been instrumental in the production and publication of the workshop report.

## HARVARD UNIVERSITY MUSLIM ALUMNI ASSOCIATION ISLAMIC FINANCE CONFERENCE



Harvard University Muslim Alumni (HUMA) Islamic finance Conference was held on 26-27th October 2017 at Boylston Hall under the patronage of HUMA and Harvard Islamic Society (HIS). Dr Nazim Ali is a patron of HUMA Islamic finance conference and has been associated for more than 20 years with the Harvard University Forum Islamic finance conference which has generated more than 500 scholarly papers.

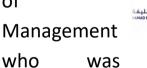
## SOAS ISLAMIC FINANCE WORKSHOP and PUBLIC LECTURE



CIS-RD had co-organised the 12th annual public lecture and workshop on Islamic finance that took place under the auspices of the Centre of Islamic and Middle Eastern Law (CIMEL) at SOAS University of London from 21-22 February 2018. The public lecture and workshop allowed a select group of around 30-35 leading Shari'ah scholars, economists, legal practitioners, bankers and academics to gather together for a day long closed-door discussion on an important contemporary theme within the field of Islamic finance. CIS-RD has been instrumental in the production and publication of the workshop report.

#### **FUTURE of LEARNING—PUBLIC LECTURE**

Mr Imran
Sayeed, a
Senior
Lecturer at
the MIT
Sloan School
of





recognized in 2013 by Computerworld as one of the Premier 100 IT Leaders gave a public lecture on the future of learning which was co-organised by CIS-RD on November 7th, 2018. He gave a wide overniew of the key technology and business models that are changing the education sector while explaining how the education system and corporate sectors in Qatar can benefit from adopting some of these trends. CIS-RD has been instrumental in the production and publication of the public lecture report.

## **PUBLICATIONS** and **EVENTS**

#### **Makerspace**



As part of the Research Division, Dr. M. Evren Tok organized the first makerspace of HBKU entitled 'Green Entrepreneurship, Business and Economy in Qatar' on March 28-29,

2018. This was made possible due to support from QNRF-CWSP, CIS and HBKU President's office as well as QDB, QBG and QGBC. One of the workshops held during the makerspace was centered on ethical and moral perspectives to green economy with the participation of Dr. Tariqullah Khan, Dr. Thamina Anwar, Dr. Adi Setia and Dr. Bruce Baker and moderated by Dr. Cristina D'Alessandro.

#### **Localizing Entrepreneurship Education in Qatar**

A 3-year NPRP project funded by Qatar National Research Fund awarded to Dr. M. Evren Tok and hosted



at College of Islamic Studies, "Localizing Entrepreneurship Education in Qatar" has commenced officially during the Summer 2018. The grant is hosted by CIS and Project Investigators from CLPP and CSE Sustainability Unit support the project along with 7 local non-academic organizations including, QBIC, QDB, Injaz, Qatar Cool, Silatech, WISE and Qatar Chamber.

## Islam and Entrepreneurship - Stories from Prophet Mohammad's Time



Finance Consultations Company on 31<sup>st</sup> December 2017.

A public lecture discussing real stories from the time of Prophet Mohammad (saw) on the topic of Islam and Entrepreneurship was delivered by Dr. Osama Al-Deraie, Managing Director and CEO of Bait Al-Mashura



#### Renegotiating Islamic matrimonial property regimes

A public lecture discussing the ongoing legal reform towards equitable matrimonial property regimes and increased choices for spouses on how to manage and distribute their matrimonial property in the Muslim



world was delivered by Professor M. Siraj Sait, Director for the Center of Islamic Finance, Law and Community at the University of East London on 9th January 2018. During the lecture, case studies were drawn from diverse muslim societies including Turkey, Kazakhstan, Indonesia, Malaysia, Morocco, Tunisia, Maldives and others.

## **RESEARCH GRANTS**



#### **Qatar National Research Fund**

Conference and Workshop Sponsorship Program

#### **7** grants including:

- 1. Global Awqaf Conference (2018)
- 2. Public Policy Entrepreneurship and Educational NEXUS
- Green Entrepreneurship Business and Economy in Qatar (MAKERSPACE)
- 4. Sustainable Development Goals Enterprises and Islamic Goal
   Qatari Perspective
- 5. Shariah Scholars Roundtable
- Science Education in the Muslim World: The Gulf in Comparative Perspective workshop, organized in collaboration with the McGill Center for Islam and Science (2017)

**3** National Priorities Research Program grants



**Qatar Financial Center** is actively involved in supporting the academic and research activities at CIS and has funded the Awqaf Global conference.



**Qatar Development Bank** offers strong support to activities in CIS, collaborating in several areas and has provided funding for Fintech Islamic Finance workshop and Makerspace workshop.

#### **Other Grants:**

**Government of Canada** funded a project on the Settlement of Immigrants in Canada.

Carnegie Corporation New York grant for Building Inclusive Society in the Middle East (2017/18)

## LOCAL PARTNERSHIPS



**Qatar Development Bank** has signed an agreement to study QDB's transformation and has sponsored our events.



Qatar Central Bank was our strategic partner at Global Conference on Awqaf. H.E. the Governor, is a key note speaker at our events and extends support to our activities.



Qatar Financial Centre Authority has signed an agreement to financially support Islamic Finance Roundtable and had co-sponsored the Global conference on Awqaf.



**Qatar Islamic Bank** had financially supported our event and collaborates with us for student training..



Ministry of Endowments and Islamic Affairs was among our strategic partners for the Global conference on Awqaf.



**Qatar National Research Fund** had co-sponsored the Global Conference on Awqaf.



**Silatech** is a strategic partner and collaborates with us on several fronts.



Qatar International Islamic Bank had financially supported our event and collaborates with us for student training.



**Barwa Bank** had financially supported our event and collaborates with us for student training.



**Qatar Stock Exchange** has been collaborating with us for student training.

Derasat Company for Research and Consulting in Islamic Banking are our strategic partners and collaborate in student training.



Bait Al-Mashura Finance Consultations had signed MoU to cooperate in the organization of events, provide training to CIS graduate students as well as advancing scholarship.



**Qatar University** was our academic partner for the Global conference on Awqaf.

## **GLOBAL PARTNERSHIPS**



SOAS School of Oriental and African Studies, University of London signed agreement to be an Academic Partner in the organization of annual Workshop on Islamic Finance and a Public Lecture on Islamic Finance.



Harvard University Muslim Alumni Association (HUMA), Cambridge agreed to be an Academic Partner in the organization of biennial Harvard University Islamic Finance Conference in Cambridge, Massachusetts.



**Durham University** are our strategic partners and collaborate with us on various research projects and events including SOAS workshop and the Global conference on Awqaf.



University of East London Center for Islamic Finance, Law and Communities was our academic partner at the Global Congerence on Awqaf.



**London School of Economics** co-organises Islamic finance workshops and public events.



**University of Chicago** 



**Islamic Development Bank** has sigined an MoU as part of which IDB's research arm, Islamic Research & Training Institute has helped co-organize events.



**CFA Society** has been in contact with us to collaborate in student training programs and organising events.



**Istanbul Sabahattin Zaim University** has signed an MoU to work on the mutual agreed areas.



**Ibn Haldun University** has signed an MoU to work on the mutual agreed areas.



**University of Notre Dame** co-organises the Madrasa Discourses Project



#### McGill University Center for Islam & Science

Co-organised a workshop on Science Education in the Muslim World (DEC 2017)



**St Anthony's College, University of Oxford** participates in student exchange programs.

## **OUR PEOPLE**



**Syed Nazim Ali** *Director* 



**Evren Tok**Assosiate Professor



Bahnaz Ali Al-Quradaghi Researcher



Saqib
Hafiz Khateeb
Research Fellow



Mudassar
Baig
Research Fellow

Ali



**Zul Hakim** *Researcher* 

## APPENDIX

## COMPLETE LIST OF CIS EVENTS IN 2017 AND 2018

The role of Magasid Al Shariah framework in developing Islamic banking Community Classes

Sustainability and Integrated Reporting for Sustainable Corporate Strategies Community Classes

Chinese Muslim Scholars Jan 24/China scholars efforts in building the human civilization symposi-

um Community Classes

Entrepreneurship and Education Nexus: Promoting Qatar National Vision 2030 & Beyond- Confer-

ence Conference

Shariah Parameters for Upholding Social Responsibility in Islamic Finance Community Classes

The Needs of Al Faqih for Social Sciences Seminar

How to make Effective Academic Presentations Conference

Aspects of Moderation and renewal in the thought of Sheikh Mohamed Rashid al – Khatib Al-

Musli

The Problematic of Arabic and Islamic Renaissance / Dr. Yousef Al Siddiqi Seminar

The Spirit of Islamic Message- Public Lecture in London Book Fair 2017 Public lecture

Mandatory WCC, "Importance of Small and Medium Size Industries to and Suitability of Islamic Fi-

nance to their Development Community Classes

AN ACADEMIC APPROACH TO THE COMPLEX AND REFINED SYSTEM OF TAFSIR REPORTS Seminar

WATER ENERGY FOOD ( WEF) NEXUS: INTERDISCIPLINARY APPROACHES Community Classes

Towards a Transnational Quranic Studies Public lecture

IS THERE AN ISLAMIC PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION Community Classes

How to make Effective Academic Presentations Community Classes

SYMPOSIUM ON THE JAPANESE SCHOLAR IZUTSU

Symposium

Arrangement For the Workshop - Risk Management (4), Market Risk between Islamic and Con-

ventional banks

HOW TO WRITE ACADEMIC PAPER Community Classes

**Community Classes** 

The Future of Islamic Studies Seminar

CIS Book Discussion Community Classes

The Prophet Muhammad as a Model for Approaching Diversity in the 21st Century Community Classes

Addressing the Disparity between Law and Justice in the Islamic Tradition Public lecture

Introduction to Islamic Finance Community Classes

The ROHINGYA CRISIS

مأساة الروهنجيا Community Classes

Shariah Governance in a Globalized World

How to write effective MA theses?

Community Classes

Recovering the Ethical in Sharia: Practices, Politics and Tradition Community Classes

Charity Week Fundraiser

ألأسبوع الخيري: محاضرة وحملة لجمع التبرعات

Plants in the Islamic sciences Community Classes

Qatar After the Blockade:

Social, Political and Economic Impacts & Prospects

#### Public lecture الفليسوف هانز جادامار و إسهاماته في دراسة الأديان

Seminar النقود الالكترونية: مقاربة فقهية

ISLAMIC FINANCE, FINTECH AND CRYPTOCURRENCIES Roundtable

AL-MAS'UDI AND HUMAN CIVILIZATION Public lecture

Golden Age Redux: Can the Past Inform the Present?

Public lecture

Science Education in the Muslim World

Workshop تعليم العلوم في العالم الإسلامي

CIS Staff and CIS Stu-

Qatar National Day dent

Qatar's New Humanitarian Paradigm: Lessons Learned and Prospects Public lecture

Renegotiating Islamic matrimonial property regimes Public lecture

Religion and the State in Muslim America Public lecture

Qatar's New Humanitarian Paradigm: Lessons Learned and Prospects Public lecture

HBKU - USC Research Collaboration Day Event

Muslim reflections on the origins of the Second Vatican Council Public lecture

Student Training

How to make effective academic presentations Program

Symposium علاقة الإسلام بالبوذية

Muslim Jewish Relations and Religious Tolerance Panel

Human rights: between the universality of the case and the peculiarities

of competing perspectives Seminar

Jabir bin Hayyan Between the East and the West Symposium

Islam and the Moral Problem of Slavery Public lecture

حلقة نقاشية قضايا نقدية في مجال دراسات الحديث

حلقة نقاشية مكانة الإنسان والحيوان في القرآن الكريم

THE PEOPLE OF THE CAVE AND

THE CANINE COMPANION Public lecture

RELIGIOUS MODERATION AND BUILDING A BALANCED PERSONALITY

Symposium الاعتدال الديني وبناء الشخصية المتوازنة

TRANSITIONAL JUSTICE AND POLITICAL

REFORM: FIQHI APPROACH Seminar

DIGITAL CURRENCY FROM SHARI'AH, ECONOMIC AND

PRACTICAL PERSPECTIVE Seminar

QFF Qatar Faculty Forum Event

Waqf: A Vehicle of Islamic Social Entrepreneurship Public lecture

Maker space -- HBKU Event

الخرافات الطبية

Medical Myths Public lecture

علاقة الاسلام باليهودية والمسيحية

**CHALLENGES TO RELIGION IN** 

ENHANCING CULTURE OF DIALOGUE Public lecture

What We Have in Common is

Stronger than What Divides Us Public lecture

Halal Tourism in the Twenty-First Century

Public lecture

The danger of dividing Syria Public lecture

Islamic Sukuk: Development,

Evaluation, and Future Prospects Seminar

Sīrah Seminar enti-

Islamophobia in the West and the Personality of the Prophet (peace be upon him) tled

Plant care in Islam Seminar

A Brief History of Arabic Calligraphy Public lecture

MAQASID DEVELOPMENT OF ISLAMIC BANKING PRODUCTS

Public lecture

ABU ZAYD AL-BALKHI: THE 'PIONEER OF PSYCHOTHERAPY Symposium

MEETING AND LUNCH WITH DR. EUGENE ROGAN//WWI: THE WAR THAT TRANSFORMED THE

MIDDLE EAST Public lecture

وصف كتاب المحلى لابن حزم

Description of Almuhalah's book Public lecture

CIS- Research Clusters: 2nd Cycle Lunch Event

The study of Religions in ancient and modern Muslim thought: Study in the formation of the sci-

ence and it is methods

Public lecture دراسة الأديان في الفكر الإسلامي القديم والحديث: دراسة في تشكل العلم ومناهجه

Ibrahim al-Zarqali's contribution to Astronomical Studies Symposium

Hinduism in Muslim theological sources in Arabic

Public lecture Public lecture

Islam and Indian Religions: Selected writings of Sayyid Manāzir Aḥsan Gīlānī

Public lecture الإسلام والأديان الهندية: كتابات مختارة للسيد منازير عيسان غيلاني

Doha bookfair Doha bookfair

Symposium ندوة مرافقة يوم السبت 1 ديسمبر 2018 م مساءً (علماء روسيا المسلمين Doha bookfair

Smart Waqaf: Engineering the Awqaf industry

Public lecture

open day info session Event

Contribution of the Japanese Scholar Toshihiko Izutsu to Islamic Studies Symposium

Student Training

Northwestern Group Visit Program

**Student Training** 

How to write an academic article?

Program

**Student Training** 

The system of religious values in charitable work Program

The systematic recruitment of Islamic mediocrity Public lecture

Islam and entrepreneurship: Stories from prophet Mohammad's time Public lecture

CIS 2018 Information Session Community Classes

The Future of Islam & Muslim-West Relations Public lecture

Public lecture المواطنة من منظور شرعي

The Status Of Humans And Animals In The Quran Seminar Other Outreach Ac-French Judges Lectures tivities Dr.Tareq swilam Aruban design issues **Community Classes** Other Outreach Ac-Countering Extremism through Islam tivities The Future of Learning Public lecture Other Outreach Activities ندوة مرافقة علماء روسيا المسلمين Other Outreach Activities حفل تدشين إصدارات المركز الجديدة CMCC conference Conference MIA Lecture Series: Dr Tarek Swelim on "Islamic Art and Architecture during the Mamluk and Ilkhanid Period" Public lecture CIS Staff and CIS Stu-**CILE: 1st Internal Training** dent CEO's roundtable - CSR Roundtable Other Outreach Ac-WISH Summit (in Collaboration with CILE) tivities IGA: Contemporary Peacemaking in the Muslim World (in Collaboration with Doha Institute) Conference Awqaf conference Conference SOAS-University of London Public lecture in Islamic finance - Redefining and retaining Sharia compliance in Islamic Finance Public lecture Harvard Muslim Alumni Islamic Finance Conference 2018 Conference Other Outreach Ac-LSE & HBKU - Fintech and Islamic Finance workshop 2017 tivities LSE, HBKU Public lecture on Islamic finance - Fintech in Islamic Finance, Sharia and regulatory as-Public lecture pects Research Division Open day Public lecture Islamic Ethics and the Trusteeship Paradigm Public lecture

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