



PROGRAMME

11TH MEETING OF THE COMCEC TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATIONS WORKING GROUP (March 15th, 2018, Crowne Plaza Hotel, Ankara)

“Governance of Transport Corridors in the OIC Member States: Challenges, Cases, and Policy Lessons”

08.30-09.00 Registration

09.00-09.05 Recitation from Holy Qur’an

09.05-09.15 Opening Remarks

09.15-09.40 Transport and Communications Outlook of the OIC Member Countries

- Presentation: Dr. İsmail Çağrı ÖZCAN
Senior Expert, COMCEC Coordination Office

09.40-09.50 - Discussion

09.50-10.25 Conceptual Framework for Governance of Transport Corridors and Global Trends

- Presentation: *Mr. Geert SMIT*
Manager, ECORYS

10.25-10.50 - Discussion

10.50-11.05 Coffee Break

11.05-11.45 Current Situation of Governance of Transport Corridors in the OIC Member States and Lessons Learnt from the Selected Case Studies

- Presentation: *Mr. Geert SMIT*
Manager, ECORYS

11.45-12.30 - Discussion

12.30-14.00 Lunch

14.00-14.10 Roundtable Discussion on the Policy Recommendations to Improve Governance of Transport Corridors in the OIC Member Countries

There will be a policy roundtable under this agenda item. The main inputs of the roundtable will be the findings of the analytic study and the member states’ responses to the policy questions circulated by the COMCEC Coordination Office. At the beginning of the session, CCO will make a short presentation introducing the responses of the Member Countries to the policy questions as well as the Room Document.

- Presentation: *“Member Countries’ Feedbacks on the Policy Environment Concerning Governance of Transnational Transport Corridors”*
Mr. Selçuk KOÇ
Director, COMCEC Coordination Office

14.10-15.15 - Policy Discussion

15.15-15.30 Utilizing the COMCEC Project Funding

- Presentation: *Mr. Burak KARAGÖL*
Director, COMCEC Coordination Office

15.30-15.45 - Discussion

15.45-16.00 Coffee Break

16.00-17.00 Member States' Presentations

- Presentation(s)
- Discussion

17.00-18.00 Private Sector/International Organizations Perspectives

17.00-17.15 - Presentation: *"Financing, Planning and Programming of Transnational Transport Corridors: UNESCAP Central Corridor Case"*

Mr. Bekhzod RAKHMATOV
Associate Economic Affairs Officer
UNESCAP

17.15-17.30 - Presentation: *"The Benefits of Corporate Governance of Transnational Transport Corridors: SEETO Example"*

Mr. Dejan LASICA
General Manager
South-East Europe Transport Observatory (SEETO)

17.30-17.45 - Presentation: *"World Bank's Experiences in Governance of Transnational Transport Corridors"*

Dr. Hisham FOUAD
Senior Transport Specialist
World Bank

17.45-18.00 - Discussion

18.00-18.10 Closing Remarks and Family Photo