



## PROGRAMME

### 8<sup>TH</sup> MEETING OF THE COMCEC POVERTY ALLEVIATION WORKING GROUP (November 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2016, Crowne Plaza Hotel, Ankara, Turkey)

#### *“Forced Migration in the OIC Member Countries: Policy Framework Adopted by Host Countries”*

- 08.30-09.00 **Registration**
- 09.00-09.05 **Recitation from Holy Qur’an**
- 09.05-09.15 **Opening Remarks**  
**COMCEC Poverty Outlook**
- 09.15-09.35 Presentation: “Outlook of Poverty in the OIC Member States”  
*Mr. İbrahim Emre İLYAS, Expert*  
*COMCEC Coordination Office*
- 09.35-09.45 Discussion  
**Forced Migration in the OIC Member Countries: Policy Framework  
Adopted by Host Countries**
- 09.45-10.25 Presentation: “Overview of Forced Migration to/from OIC Member Countries”  
*Mrs. Kathleen NEWLAND, Expert*  
*Migration Policy Institute*
- 10.25-10.45 Discussion
- 10.45-11.00 **Coffee Break**  
**Policy Framework for Forced Migration in the Case OIC Member  
Countries**
- 11.00-11.40 Presentation: “Case Country Evaluations on Forced Migration: Jordan,  
Morocco, Uganda, Turkey and Sweden”  
*Mr. Brian SALANT, Expert*  
*Migration Policy Institute*
- 11.40-12.30 Discussion
- 12.30-14.00 **Lunch**

## **Policy Options for Improving Living Conditions of Forced Migrants**

There will be a moderation session under this agenda item. The participants are expected to deliberate on the policy options/advices for improving the living conditions of forced migrants in the Member Countries.

- 14.00-14.15 Presentation: “Responses of the Member Countries to the Policy Questions on Policy Framework for Forced Migration in the OIC Member Countries”  
*Mr. Mehmet Akif ALANBAY, Expert*  
*COMCEC Coordination Office*
- 14.15-15.30 Discussion
- 15.30-16.30 **Member Country Presentations**
- Sharing Experiences and Good Practices in Management of Forced Migration Views and Comments
- 16.30-16.45 **Coffee Break**
- Perspective of International Institutions and NGOs**
- 16.45-17.00 Presentation: “Experiences of UNHCR in Forced Migration in the OIC Member Countries”  
*Ms. Damla TAŞKIN, Livelihood Officer*  
*United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees (UNHCR) Ankara Office*
- 17.00-17.15 Presentation: “Turkish Red Crescent's Experience in Humanitarian Support and Social Assistance Programs for Forced Migrants”  
*Mr. Serkan YILMAZKURT, Head of Unit*  
*Turkish Red Crescent Society (KIZILAY)*
- 17.15-17.30 Presentation: “IHH Humanitarian Relief Foundation’s Experience in Humanitarian Support and Social Assistance Programs for Forced Migrants”  
*Mr. Abdulsalam AL SHAREEF, Coordinator of Services for Syrian Refugees*  
*IHH Humanitarian Relief Foundation*
- 17.30-17.45 Presentation: “Turkiye Diyanet Foundation’s Experience in Education Services and Assistance for Forced Migrants”  
*Mr. Veysi KAYA, Director of Education and Culture Services*  
*Turkiye Diyanet Foundation*
- 17.45-17.55 Discussion
- 17.55-18.00 **Closing Remarks**