



DRAFT PROGRAMME

THE 24TH MEETING OF THE COMCEC FINANCIAL COOPERATION WORKING GROUP (September 17-18, 2025, Ankara)

“Promoting Sustainable and Environmentally Friendly Islamic Financial Instruments to Combat the Adverse Effects of Climate Change and Natural Disasters in the OIC Member Countries”

September 17th, 2025

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| 09.00 - 09.30 | Registration |
| 09.30 - 09.35 | Recitation from the Holy Qur'an |
| 09.35 - 09.45 | Opening Remarks |
| 09.45 - 10.05 | Financial Outlook of the OIC Member Countries
- Presentation: COMCEC Coordination Office |
| 10.05 - 10.15 | Discussion |
| 10.15 - 10.55 | Presentation of the Draft Research Report
- Presentation: Prof. Dr. Mehmet ASUTAY
Consultant, Durham University |
| 10.55 - 11.25 | Discussion |
| 11.25 - 11.40 | Coffee Break |
| 11.40 - 12.20 | Lessons Learnt from the Selected Case Studies and the Policy Options
- Presentation: Prof. Dr. Mehmet ASUTAY and Assoc. Prof. MÜCAHİT ÖZDEMİR
Consultants, Durham University and Bursa Uludağ University |
| 12.20 - 12.50 | Discussion |
| 12.50 - 14.30 | Lunch |
| 14.30 - 16.00 | Experiences of the Member States, International Institutions, and the Private Sector
- Saudi Arabia
- Türkiye
- International Finance Corporation (WB-IFC)
- Albaraka Türk

Discussion |
| 16.00 - 16.15 | Coffee Break |
| 16.15 - 17.00 | Utilizing the COMCEC Project Support Programs
- Presentation by COMCEC Coordination Office

Discussion |

September 18th, 2025

09.30 - 10.15 Main Challenges and Success Factors in Utilizing Islamic Financial Instruments to Address Climate Change and Natural Disasters in the OIC Member Countries

- Presentation: Prof. Dr. Mehmet ASUTAY
Consultant, Durham University

10.15 - 12.00 Policy Debate Session: Formulation of Policy Recommendations for the 41st COMCEC Ministerial Session

A policy debate session will be held on policy recommendations to encourage the utilization of Islamic financial instruments to address climate change and natural disasters in the Member Countries.

Discussion

12.00 - 12.15 Closing Remarks and Family Photo