The Annual Islamic Development Bank (IDB) Global Forum on Islamic Finance is a platform for strategic policy dialogue for developing the Islamic financial services industry. The objective of this year’s forum is to discuss the role of Islamic finance in achieving the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs).

Participants will take a global perspective and focus on the major challenges facing the Islamic financial sector for achieving the SDGs in specific countries.

IDB Group’s Islamic Research and Training Institute (IRTI) and Islamic Financial Services Department (IFSD) are organizing the Forum in partnership with Bank Indonesia.

A total of 18 seminars, round table discussions, workshops and mini-forums will take place on 16 May 2016 at the Jakarta Convention Center as part of IDB Group’s 41st Annual Meeting, 15-19 May 2016 in Jakarta, Indonesia.

In addition, three other events will take place as follows:

• A seminar on Islamic microfinance, 14-15th May, Bogor, Indonesia
• A round table on technical cooperation bodies, 15 May, Congress Palace of Jakarta
• A seminar on the Arab Coordination Group’s contribution to development in South-East Asia, 17th May, Jakarta Convention Center

Details about these events appear at the end of the list.

Registration is now open. Space is limited and events fill up quickly so please register soon to ensure your place.