



SATURDAY, 24 OCTOBER 2026

Pre-Forum

2 sessions · 9:00 → 22:00 Doha time

- Plenary

● Investment Policy Dialogue

● Investing in AI

● Sustainable Finance and Business

● Climate, Environment and Oceans

● Investment Promotion and Special Economic Zones

● Entrepreneurship and SMEs

● Investment in Tourism and Culture

● Partner and special sessions

● Social events and networking

TIME DOHA	VENUE Other venues
9:00	9:00-18:00 Registration
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9:00											9:00-9:15 Flag Raising Ceremony
9:30											
10:00	10:00-11:00 Opening Ceremony										
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11:00											
11:30	11:15-12:00 Rebuilding Global Value Chains for Growth and Resilience	11:15-12:45 Sustainable Stock Exchanges Executive Dialogue	11:15-12:15 Global Investment Promotion Conference: From Climate Priorities to Investment: Accelerating the Energy Transition Project Pipeline		11:15-12:45 International Investment Facilitation Policies: Creating Partnerships for Sustainable Development	11:15-12:15 From Minerals to Value: Mobilizing Investment for Economic Transformation					
12:00											
12:30	12:15-13:00 The Future of Investment in the Gulf Region			12:00-13:00 Investment in Tourism and Sustainable Infrastructure							
13:00	13:00-13:15 Special Announcement						13:00-14:00 UNIDO/Qatar Foundation on Industrial Policy	13:00-14:45 INVITATION ONLY Investment Ministerial		13:00-14:45 Lunch	
13:30					13:30-14:30 Driving Investment in Emerging Markets: The Role of GEMS Statistics				13:15-15:00 INVITATION ONLY Investment Promotion Agencies Luncheon		
14:00				13:45-14:45 High-Level Dialogue on SIDS							
14:30											
15:00	15:00-15:45 Investing in Energy Security for a Sustainable Future	14:45-16:15 High-Level Dialogue on the Future of Global Carbon Markets	14:45-15:45 Investing in Space: The Final Frontier	15:00-15:45 Exploring Culture-related High-growth Areas	15:00-16:30 Investing in Peace: From Policy Foundations to Capital Impact	15:00-16:00 The ASEAN Forum: Regional Integration and Investment Nexus	15:00-18:00 Family Office / Impact Investing TBC				
15:30											
16:00	16:00-16:45 Building Critical Minerals Investment Partnerships		16:00-18:00 High-Level International Investment Agreements Conference	16:00-16:45 Scaling Up Investment in Climate Adaptation and Resilient Infrastructure in SIDS							
16:30		16:30-18:00 Implementation of Globally Recognized Sustainability Disclosure Requirements								16:30-18:00 Investing in Future Communities	
17:00	17:00-17:45 Investing in AI			17:00-18:00 TBC Sovereign Wealth Funds Roundtable	17:00-18:00 Investment in the Eurasian Economic Union Region	17:00-18:00 Emerging Ocean Economic Sectors: Investment Opportunities for SIDS in a New Ocean Governance Context					
17:30											
EVENING											
● 18:30-22:00 Networking Reception VENUE Networking Village ● 19:30-22:00 Gala Dinner & IPA Awards VENUE Offsite venue											

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8:30								8:30-9:30 Investing in Future Communities Breakfast Roundtable: Youth Voices, Real Models		
9:00					9:00-9:45 Empretec Top 100 Launch					
9:30										
10:00	10:00-10:15 Welcome Remarks									
10:30	10:15-11:00 Investing in Art and Civilization									
11:00										
11:30	11:15-12:00 Investing in the Future of Tourism and Culture		11:15-12:15 Investment in AI Infrastructure	11:15-12:15 Global Investment Promotion Conference: Digital Investment Frontiers: Attracting the Industries of Tomorrow	11:15-12:15 Future-ready Talent for SMEs and Start-ups: Crafting Resilient Business Models for a Digital and Sustainable Era	11:15-12:30 Integrating Global Value Chains Amid a Rapidly Changing Environment: The Case for Aligning Trade and Investment Policies				
12:00	12:15-13:00 Investing in the Future of Skills and Knowledge Economy	12:00-13:00 US-Qatar Business Council		12:15-13:15 Global Investment Promotion Conference: Promoting and Facilitating Investment in the Era of AI	12:15-12:30 Announcement on the Launch of the Insight Group on Entrepreneurship and Development					
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13:00		13:15-14:15 Green Investments in the Port Sector	13:15-14:15 Foundation Models and Technological Advancement	13:45-14:30 The Role of the Private Sector in Financing Development in Developing Countries			13:00-14:45 INVITATION ONLY Ministerial on Entrepreneurship: Investing in the Future Builders			
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14:30		14:45-16:15 Sustainable Investment in Tourism	14:30-15:30 AI Agents and Application	14:45-16:45 Risk Sharing in a Turbulent Era: Collaboration and Innovation		15:00-16:15 Navigating Geoeconomic Shifts: Towards Resilient International Investment and Partnerships			15:00-16:00 Redefining Trust in Global IP Governance	15:15-15:45 Spotlight Session on How to Build a Unicorn from Anywhere
15:00	15:00-15:45 Partnerships for the Planet: Climate, Nature and Prosperity									
15:30			15:45-17:00 Enhancing International Cooperation in AI Investment		16:00-17:00 Women-led Businesses and the Art of Scale: Celebrating Women Entrepreneurship Excellence (Including the Women in Business Awards)					
16:00	16:00-17:00 Beyond GDP for Sustainable Progress									
16:30										
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17:30	17:15-18:00 High-Level Closing									