

# **6<sup>TH</sup> INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON**

# ISLAMIC BUSINESS

(ICIB-2023)

Islamic Business, Finance & Economy in the Era of Digitalization

The Riphah Centre of Islamic Business (RCIB) of the Riphah International University, Islamabad is pleased to announce the 6th International Conference on Islamic Business (ICIB-2023) scheduled to be held in February 2023.

## **About ICIB**

The International Conference on Islamic Business (ICIB) is a forum to discuss the potential and challenges in developing models and processes for present day business management in line with the tenets of the Shariah to make the institutions socially useful.



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# **KEY AREAS OF DISCUSSION**

- Moving towards nationwide conversion to Islamic banking and Financial in the light of the Federal Shariah Court's judgment on Riba: Opportunities and challenges.
- Financial Inter-mediation through FINTECH for realizing the objective of Islamic finance.
- Regulatory Sandbox for promoting Shariah compliant crowd funding and Fintech for achieving magasid al-Shariah
- Islamic Financial industry growth prospects while moving to VBI and CSR in the era of FINTECH.
- Islamic economy and Financial in the era of digitalization for shared growth in Islamic countries.
- Role of moral economy, social Financial, green Financial (Green Sukuk etc.), and ethical Financial in an Islamic economy.
- Digital banking legal, regulatory and corporate governance frameworks to realize social inclusion.
- Relating Financial to the real economy, trade, and business in the era of digitalization.
- Potential and governance concerns of Block chain and Crypto currencies in Islamic business and Financial.
- Role of Artificial Intelligence (AI) in promoting Financial inclusion and Islamic business and Financial.
- Digitalization, Fintech and Crowd funding in Islamic micro and social financial (Zakat, Waqf), and their role in promoting entrepreneurship and achieving alleviation.

- FINTECH and implementing the AAOIFI and IFSB Standards for governance, risk management and Shariah compliance.
- Case Studies and Illustrations to various clauses of Shariah, governance, accounting and ethics standards issued by AAOIFI and IFSB, and the procedures adopted for various contracts and techniques based on these Standards.
- Sustainable, Responsible and Impact Investing (SRI) and Environmental, Social and Governance (ESG) based Islamic finance solutions.
- Green finance, Islamic finance and realizing the sustainability related goals.
- Contributions from the central bank and commercial banks in promoting digital finance in a Riba free economy.
- Issues in Shariah governance in Islamic Financial Institutions.
- Issues and potential solutions in accounting for various Islamic modes of
- Product development and innovation, and redesigning of existing Islamic financial products and services in the era of digitalization.
- Human resource challenges and workforce dynamics in digitalized Islamic business environments.
- Marketing challenges in digitalized business environments in Islamic perspective.
- Role of women in digitalized Islamic business environments.

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