



## **Tentative Program**

### **International Conference on: The Ottomans and the Malay World: Contemporary Reflections on History, Culture and Economy**

#### **Saturday, 14 October 2023**

- 10:00 – 10:05      **Opening Speech by Emcee**  
Dr. Nurul Ain Norman (ISTAC-IIUM)
- Recitation of Qur'an & Doa**  
Br Ossman Nordin, Religious Officer (ISTAC-IIUM)
- 10:05 – 10:30      **Welcoming remarks**
- Ambassador Prof. Mahmud Erol Kılıç**, Director-General, IRCICA  
**Prof Dr. Abdelaziz Berghout**, Dean, ISTAC-IIUM  
**Prof Dr. Syed Farid Alatas**, Chairman, AsiaWE
- Book Launching Ceremony**
- Title:** The Middle East and the Malay World: Contemporary Issues and  
Future Challenges  
**Dr. Abdolreza Alami & Dr. Muna H. Bilgrami (Editors)**  
**2023, Gerakbudaya Enterprise**
- 10:30 – 10:45      **Coffee break**
- 10:45 – 11:30      **Session I**  
**Moderator: Mr. Adam Musa (ISTAC-IIUM)**  
**Speaker: Prof. Dr. İsmail Hakki Kadı**, Department of History,  
Istanbul Medeniyet University (IMU)  
**Title:** Saiyid Muḥammad bin Aḥmad Alsagoff (Nong Chik, 1836-  
1906) in Ottoman Relations with Southeast Asia

- 11:30 – 12:15      **Session II**  
**Moderator: Ms. Naheed Azhari (ISTAC-IIUM)**  
**Speaker: Prof. Dr. Ahmad Murad Merican**, International Institute of Islamic Thought and Civilisation (ISTAC-IIUM)  
**Title:** The Image of the Ottomans and Turkey in the Malay Press Before the Second World War
- 12:15 – 13:00      **Session III**  
**Moderator: Mr. Arief Arman (ISTAC-IIUM)**  
**Speaker: Assoc Prof. Dr. Mehmet Özey**, International Institute of Islamic Thought and Civilisation (ISTAC-IIUM)  
**Title:** Some Reflections of Socio-Political Changes in Turkey Vernacular Press in the Archipelago, 1920-1940
- 13:00 – 14:00      **Lunch**
- 14:00 – 14:45      **Session IV**  
**Moderator: Ms. Syahirah Sulastris Asman (AMEC)**  
**Speaker: Mr. Syafiq Mardi**, Department of Malay Studies, National University of Singapore (NUS)  
**Title:** Singapore Sepoy Mutiny 1915 and Ottoman Empire Relations
- 14:45 - 15:30      **Session V**  
**Moderator: Ms. Syazwani Elias (ISTAC-IIUM)**  
**Speaker: Mr. Tayfun Akgün**, International Institute of Islamic Thought and Civilisation (ISTAC-IIUM)  
**Title:** From the 'Ottoman Concubine' to the Sultanah of Johore: The Story of Khadijah Hanum
- 15:30 – 15:45      **Tea break**
- 15:45 – 16:30      **Session VI**  
**Moderator: Mr. Soheil Marjani (AsiaWE)**  
**Speaker: Dr. Alaeddin Tekin**, Department of History, Social Sciences University of Ankara (ASBU)  
**Title:** Beyond Pan-Islamism: Understanding the Ottoman Caliphate's Southeast Asian Policy

16:30 – 17:15

**Session VII**

**Moderator: Dr. Ismaeil Zaini (AsiaWE)**

**Speaker: Dr. Murat Yaş,** Institute of Islamic Economics and Finance, Marmara University

**Title:** History of Islamic Financial Innovation: From Ottoman Empire to Southeast Asia

**Sunday, 15 October 2023**

10:00 – 10:45

**Session VIII**

**Moderator: Dr. Hazizie Bin Sulkafle (IIUM)**

**Speaker: Dr. Nurul Ain Norman,** International Institute of Islamic Thought and Civilization (ISTAC-IIUM)

**Title:** Language, Thought & Civilisation: Analysing Intertwined Relationships between the Turkish and the Malay World

10:45 – 11:00

**Coffee break**

11:00 – 11:45

**Session IX**

**Moderator: Mr. Elchin Huseynov (Universiti Malaya)**

**Speaker: Prof. Dr. İsmail Hakkı Göksoy,** Department of Islamic History and Arts, Suleyman Demirel University (SDU)

**Title:** The Ottoman Shaykh al-Islam in the Philippines: Mehmet Vecih Efendi

11:45 – 12:30

**Session X**

**Moderator: Mr. Haroon Ali Gindo (ISTAC-IIUM)**

**Speaker: Dr. Alwi Alatas,** Department of History and Civilisation, International Islamic University Malaysia (IIUM)

**Title:** Fostering Hope: The Presence of the Ottoman Consulate in Batavia, 1882-1924

12:30 – 13:15

**Session XI**

**Moderator: Ms. Netusha Naidu (AsiaWE)**

**Speaker: Dr. Wasamon Sanasen,** Faculty of Architecture, Art and Design, King Mongkut's Institute of Technology Ladkrabang.

**Title:** The Traces of Ottoman Art in Architectures of Muslims in Bangkok and Perimeter

13:15 – 14:00

**Lunch**

14:00 – 14:45

**Session XII**

**Moderator: Mr. Osman Keleşoğlu (IIUM)**

**Speaker: Mr. Haziq Hakimi**, Comparative Asian Studies, National University of Singapore (NUS)

**Title: Hedging as Turkish Foreign Policy during the Second World War**

14:45 – 15:30

**Session XIII**

**Moderator: Ms. Syakirah Al-Husna (AMEC)**

**Speaker: Mr. Ahmed Çağrı İnan**, Department of History, University of Malaya (UM)

**Title: Turkiye-Malaysia Relations: The Impact of Turkish TV Series in Malaysia, 2017 - 2023**

15:30 – 16:15

**Session XIV**

**Moderator: Prof. Dr. Sadık Ünay DG Consultant, IRCICA**

**Speaker: Prof. Dr. Syed Farid Alatas**, National University of Singapore (NUS)

**Title: Nursi and Alatas: Intellectual Resources against Sectarianism**

16:15 – 16:30

**Closing Remarks**

**Prof. Dr. Syed Farid Alatas**, Chairman, AsiaWE

**Prof. Abdullah Abubakar Senghore**, Assistant Director General, IRCICA

16:30 – 17:00

**Tea break & adjournment**