



The Hammamet Conference 2014 Programme 12 – 16 November

Bridging the Gap between Leaders and Societies

Wednesday 12 November

19.00 Gather at reception

19.30 Dinner at Barbarrouse Restaurant, Hammamet Fort

Thursday 13 November

09.00 Meet at reception, depart from the hotel

10.00 – 12.00 Group 1: Young Arab Voices Debate

Attend a live Young Arab Voices debate. Motion: "This house believes that national security is more important than human rights".

Group 2: Women's Role in the "Leadership Challenge", hosted by Oxfam

Meet women working with an Oxfam organised women's leadership centre, including women who recently ran for election. Learn how this is supporting Women's development and leadership in Tunisia.

Group 3: Discussing the Tunisian Parliamentary and Presidential Elections

Meeting with local young political activists from the four main parties in Tunisia and members of the Tunisian Youth Parliament, the TUN'ACT Association. They will discuss the impact and implications of the post-parliamentary elections, and pre-presidential elections.

Group 4: Using the English Language through Radio Programmes Hear how radio programmes are being used to improve English language teaching and learning throughout Tunisia in a visit to a national radio station.

13.00 Lunch

Afternoon Return to hotel

19.00 Reception at the Tent

Canapes and welcome speeches

Nigel Belingham, British Council

Keynote speech: Tewfik Jelassi, Minister of Higher Education

Tunisia

20.00 Conference Opening Dinner

Friday 14th November

07.00-08.30 Breakfast

08.30 Participants assemble in Plenary Room

09.00 Formal Conference Opening and Welcome

Baroness Prashar CBE, British Council Lord Lothian, Conference Co-Chair Atia Lawgali, Conference Co-Chair

09.15 Insight Session 1

Bridging the Gap in North Africa

Monica Marks, St Antony's College, University of Oxford

09.30 Bridging the Gap: The Challenges for Leaders Panel Discussion

Chair: Atia Lawgali Lord Risby (UK)

Mohammed El-Sawy (Egypt)

Monica Marks

10.30 Coffee Break

10.50 Discussion Groups

CLOSED SESSION

Group A: Compromise, Consensus and Dialogue for Inclusive

Leadership

Chair: Giuma Atigha (Libya) Introducer: Marc Kidson (UK) Introducer: Reem Wael (Egypt)

Group B: What Kind of Leaders Do We Want?

Chair: Charles Clarke (UK) Introducer: Naomi Sakr (UK)

Introducer: Abdenasser Djabi (Algeria)

Group C: Realising the Potential of the People

Chair: Manal Warde (Tunisia)

Introducer: May Abdel Asim (Egypt)

Introducer: Hassan Tariq (Morocco)

12.10 Lunch

12.30 (approx.) Mosque visit

14.00 Discussion Groups CLOSED SESSION

Group C: Compromise, Consensus and Dialogue for Inclusive

Leadership

Chair: Giuma Atigha (Libya) Introducer: Iman Abou Atta (UK) Introducer: Imad Mesdoua (Algeria)

Group A: What Kind of Leaders Do We Want?

Chair: Charles Clarke (UK)
Introducer: Ivan Lewis (UK)
Introducer: Ahmed Attiga (Libya)

Group B: Realising the Potential of the People

Chair: Manal Warde (Tunisia)
Introducer: Michael Sani (UK)
Introducer: Mohamed Kadry (Egypt)

15.20 Coffee Break

15.40 Insight Session 2 Followed by Q&A

Breaking the Barriers to Youth Inclusion

Chair: Hiba Shibani (Libya) Gloria La Cava, World Bank Mouheb Garoui (Tunisia)

16.20 The Politics of Atmosphere, The Atmosphere of Politics:

Radio Reporting the Maghreb in the 21st Century

Andrew Hussey and Geoff Bird

17.00 Session Ends

18.30 Meet in reception, depart from hotel

19.00 Book Launch: The Challenge of North Africa

Drinks reception and short speeches

Chair: Andrew Hussey Claire Spencer (UK)

Youssouf Amine Elalamy (Morocco)

20.00 Dinner

Saturday 15 November

07.00-08.30 Breakfast served in Alcazar restaurant

08.45 Participants assemble in Plenary Room

09.00 Insight Session 3

Education in North Africa

Chair: Martin Rose Jelel Ezzine (Tunisia)

Dr Moushira Elgeziri (Egypt)

09.30 Insight Session 4 Followed by Q&A

Participatory Policy Making Process

Chair: Karima Admane (Algeria)

Nejib Jeridi, Westminster Foundation for Democracy

10.00 Insight Session 5 Followed by Q&A

Culture and Development Chair: Rokia Achmal (Morocco) David Knox, British Council (UK)

Hakeem Onibudo (UK)

10.30 Coffee Break

10.50 Discussion Groups

CLOSED SESSION

Group B: Compromise, Consensus and Dialogue for Inclusive

Leadership

Chair: Giuma Atigha (Libya) Introducer: Baroness Suttie (UK) Introducer: Raja Farhart (Tunisia)

Group C: What Kind of Leaders Do We Want?

Chair: Charles Clarke (UK) Introducer: Gihan Badi (Libya)

Introducer: Souheil Guessoum (Algeria)

Group A: Realising the Potential of the People

Chair: Manal Warde

Introducer: Houeida Anouar (Tunisia) Introducer: Amina Ikli (Morocco)

12.10 Lunch

13.45 The Media: The Ultimate Tool for Change? Panel Discussion

Chair: Kirsty Lang (UK) Maya Ksouri (Tunisia)

Karim Amellal (Algeria) Michael Binyon (UK) 14.45 Innovation and Action: Review of the Workshops Panel Discussion Chair: Lord Lothian Giuma Atigha (Libya) Charles Clarke (UK) Manal Warde 15.45 **Coffee Break** 16.15 The Hammamet Ideas Forum Chair: Christine Wilson (UK) 17.15 **Closing Statements** Atia Lawgali, Conference Co-Chair Lord Lothian, Conference Co-Chair Baroness Prashar CBE, British Council 17.45 Sessions end 19.30 **Dinner at Moroccan Restaurant**

Fatma Kheir (Egypt)