

# SCHEDULE DAY 1 (BY INVITATION ONLY)

## 10<sup>th</sup> March 2023

- 16:30**      **Opening by MC**
- 16:40**      **Qur'an Recitation**
- 16:50**      **Can a machine perform ijtihād? The  
Limits of 'aql according to al-Kāfī  
Dr. Amina Inloes**
- 17:25**      **The History and Contemporary Manifesta-  
tions of Ijtihad in Shi'a Islam  
Prof. Liyakat Takim**
- 18:00**      **Panel Discussion  
Q & A**
- 18:50**      **Salah Break**

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- 19:30**      **Qur'an Recitation**
- 19:40**      **Welcome Address**  
**Br. Arifali Hirji**
- 19:50**      **Address by The WF President**  
**Alhaj Safder Jaffer**
- 20:00**      **Address by the Africa Federation Chairman**  
**Alhaj Amine Nassor**
- 20:10**      **Address by the Head of AFTAB**  
**Mulla Sajjad Valji**
- 20:20**      **Address by KSIJ Dar President**  
**Alhaj Mohamedraza Dewji**
- 20:30**      **Address by the Head of WF Islamic Education**  
**Shaykh Dr. Murtadha Alidina**
- 20:45**      **Address by Chief Mufti of Tanzania**  
**Shaykh Aboubakary Zubeiry**
- 21:00**      **Dinner**

## SCHEDULE DAY 2 (SESSION 1)

### 11<sup>th</sup> March 2023

- 08:30**    **Qur'an Recitation**
- 08:40**    **Special Address**  
**Ayatollah Sayyid Ahmad Madadi**
- 09:10**    **The Role of Intellect in the Perspective of Imamiyyah Jurists**  
**Dr. Saeid Sobhani**
- 09:45**    **The Role of 'Aql in Qur'anic Exegesis: Traditional vs. Critical Rationalist Perspective**  
**Shaykh Dr. Mohammed Ali Ismail**
- 10:20**    **Break**
- 10:40**    **Panel Discussion**  
**Q & A**
- 11:20**    **An Analysis of the Place of Transmitted and Intellectual Sciences Heritage in Shi' a Thought**  
**Dr. Mohammad Ghorbanpour Delavar**
- 11:55**    **What is the role of intellect in Islamic thought?**  
**Syed Adeel Raza**
- 12:30**    **Salah Break**
- 13:10**    **Lunch**

## SCHEDULE DAY 2 (SESSION 2)

### 11<sup>th</sup> March 2023

- 13:40** Panel Discussion  
Q & A
- 14:20** Keynote Speech  
Sayyid Muneer al-Khabbaz
- 15:00** Liberating Qur'anic Exegesis and Principles of Ijtihad from Distortion: Between Contemporary Humanism and Absolute Divinity  
Prof. Ali H. Al-Hakim
- 15:35** Becoming Bani Adam – A Discussion on Humanity's Alleged Evolutionary Ancestry and Origins  
Aalima Fatemah Meghji
- 16:10** Joint Panel Discussion
- 17:10** Break
- 17:30** What are the recognised traditional methods, approaches, and perspectives?  
Shaykh Rehani Yasini Ntigwambuka
- 18:10** Q & A
- 18:45** Salah Break
- 19:20** Dinner
- 19:50** WORKSHOP  
Principles of the science of Rijal (Biographical studies of narrators)  
Dr. Saeid Sobhani

## SCHEDULE DAY 3 (SESSION 1)

### 12<sup>th</sup> March 2023

- 08:30** Qur'an Recitation
- 08:40** The Role of Time and Place in Shi'a Jurisprudence  
Shaykh Dr. Mohammed Reza Dodhiya
- 09:15** Ibn Idris al-Hilli (d. 1202) and the transformation of Shii law  
Prof. Aun Hasan Ali
- 09:50** Panel Discussion  
Q & A
- 10:30** Break
- 10:50** Keynote Speech  
Shaykh Dr. Murtadha Alidina
- 11:20** What is the philosophy underlying the use of the traditionally accepted principles and mechanics of Quranic exegesis only, as opposed to 'innovated' methods and personal opinions?  
Shaykh Swaleh Maulid Husen
- 11:55** The policy of Ahl al-Bayt (a) in dealing with the issue of Tafsir based on ones opinion (Tafsir bi al-raay)  
Shaykh Mohammed Kamran
- 12:30** Salah Break
- 13:10** Lunch

## SCHEDULE DAY 3 (SESSION 2)

### 12<sup>th</sup> March 2023

- 13:40**      **Panel Discussion**  
Q & A
- 14:30**      **The Station of Imamah in the History of Shi'ism**  
from a theological, philosophical and mystical  
perspective  
**Shaykh Dr. Mohammad Mahdi Gorjian Arabi**
- 15:05**      **Monotheistic Rationality, the Basis of**  
**New Islamic Civilization**  
**Mohammad Jafar Danesh**
- 15:40**      **A critical assessment of the accuracy of Sh al-Ku-**  
**layni in al-Kafi: His 'iddas, triplet-chains, and**  
**narrations from debated narrators.**  
**Shaykh Afzal Merali**
- 16:15**      **Break**
- 16:30**      **Panel Discussion**  
Q & A
- 17:20**      **WORKSHOP**  
**The basis of Islamic Spirituality**  
**Shaykh Dr. Mohammad Mahdi Gorjian Arabi**
- Navigating doubts in the Quran:**  
**Questions Related to Science and Women**  
**Aalima Fatemah Meghji (Ladies Only)**
- 18:40**      **Salah Break**

## **SCHEDULE DAY 3 (CLOSING CEREMONY)** **12<sup>th</sup> March 2023**

- 19:30**      **Qur'an Recitation**
- 19:35**      **Address by The WF Secretary General  
Br. Arifali Hirji**
- 19:40**      **Address by KSIJ Dar es Salaam**
- 19:50**      **Address by Africa Federation**
- 20:00**      **Address by The WF President  
Alhaj Safder Jaffer**
- 20:10**      **Appreciation**
- 20:30**      **Takeaway Tabarruk**