

MICROFINANCE EGYPT



International Summit & workshops: 21 – 24 March 2016
The Nile Ritz-Carlton Cairo, Egypt

Conference day one: Wednesday, 23 March 2016

08:00	Registration and welcome refreshments
09:00	Chairman's Welcome Remarks Dr. Alberto Brugnoli Managing Partner, ASSAIF
09:10 – 09:20	KEYNOTE WELCOMING ADDRESS: Keynote presentation: Accelerating Egypt's economic growth by the development of the microfinance sector Hassan Ebrahim General Manager, Microfinance Federation
9:20 – 09:40	INTERNATIONAL KEYNOTE: Utilising microfinance as a tool to increase financial inclusion and alleviate poverty in Egypt Malcolm Harper Chairman, Micro Credit Ratings International
09:40 – 10:20	PANEL DISCUSSION: Evaluating the microfinance law to highlight the reforms required to achieve a more effective microfinance industry Gamal Khalifa Head of Microfinance, Egyptian Financial Supervisory Authority (EFSA) Hassan Ebrahim General Manager, Microfinance Federation Amro Aboeish Chairman & CEO, Tanmeyah Microenterprise Services Motaz Al Tabaa Executive Director, Alexandria Businessman's Association Dr. Shahinaz Rashad Executive Director, Egyptian Financial Supervisory Authority (EFSA)
10:20 – 10:40	Providing Advanced Payments Solutions To The Unbanked And Underbanked Sergey Butyrsky Senior Consultant, BPC Banking Technologies



10:50 – 11:20	<p>Special Presentation: Microleasing – Beyond Microcredit</p> <p>Dr. Shahinaz Rashad Executive Director, Egyptian Financial Supervisory Authority (EFSA)</p>
11:20 – 11:50	<p>Assessing the new licensing requirements for MFIs to assist institutions in obtaining the correct permits to allow them to continue operations</p> <p>Gamal Khalifa Head of Microfinance, Egyptian Financial Supervisory Authority (EFSA)</p>
11:50 – 12:10	networking break
12:10 – 12:55	<p>PANEL DISCUSSION: Managing risk effectively to protect your MFI from financial losses and enable your organisation to meet its social objectives</p> <p>Mohamed Refaat Managing Director, The Egyptian Credit Bureau “I-Score”</p> <p>Nagla Bahr Managing Director, Credit Guarantee Company</p> <p>Mounir Nakhla Managing Director, Tasaheel Finance</p>
12:30 – 13:00	<p>CASE STUDY: Investigating the importance of credit scoring and account monitoring to ensure against cross lending and improve risk management</p> <p>Mohamed Refaat Managing Director, The Egyptian Credit Bureau “I-Score”</p>
13:00 – 13:30	<p>Exploring the role of credit agencies to assess client creditworthiness to protect MFI’s from bad debt</p> <p>Nagla Bahr Managing Director, Credit Guarantee Company</p>
13:30 – 14:00	<p>Technology Trends in the MFI sector</p> <p>Vladimir Pavlov Regional Business Development Manager, Software Group</p> 
14:00 – 14:30	<p>Developing the microinsurance market to support the microfinance industry and minimise risk</p> <p>Motaz Al Tabaa Executive Director, Alexandria Businessman’s Association</p> <p>Mohammed Mostafa Abdelraoul, CEO, Orient Takaful Insurance</p>
14:00	Chairman’s closing remarks, networking lunch and end of day 1

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Conference day two: Thursday, 24 March 2016

08:00	Registration and welcome refreshments
09:00	Chairman's Welcome Remarks Dr. Alberto Brugnoli Managing Partner, ASSAIF
09:10 – 09:40	Banking Egypt's unbanked: Devising strategies to bring the country's unbanked citizens into the formal finance sector Amro Aboeish Chairman & CEO, Tanmeyah Microenterprise Services
9:40 – 10:10	Assessing the various loan collection methods to create convenient payment channels for Egypt's microfinance clients Ahmed Abdelwahab Head of Microfinance, Egypt Association for Comprehensive Development
10:10 – 10:40	THE BIG DEBATE: Allowing mobile operators to offer microfinance products to stimulate growth and improve financial outreach Hayder Al-Baghdadi Programme Director Microfinance, GIZ
10:40 – 11:10	Leveraging Technology for Microfinance Hazim Madany Chairman, Nawayah
11:10 – 11:50	SPECIAL FOCUS: Examining the Sudanese Islamic Microfinance Experience Prof Badr Eldin Ebrahim President Microfinance Unit, Central Bank of Sudan

11:50 – 12:10	Networking break
12:10 – 12:40	<p>On Stage Interview: Investigating alternative modes for capital raising for microfinance organisations</p> <p>Dr. Alberto Brugnoli Managing Partner, ASSAIF</p>
12:40 – 13:10	<p>SPECIAL FOCUS: Empowering Egypt’s women by tailoring microfinance products to suit their specific needs</p> <p>Dr. Shahinaz Rashad Executive Director, Egyptian Financial Supervisory Authority (EFSA)</p> <p>Dr. Alberto Brugnoli Managing Partner, ASSAIF</p> <p>Ahmed Abdelwahab Head of Microfinance, Egypt Association for Comprehensive Development</p>
13:10 – 14:10	<p>Examining the need for market consolidation in the microfinance sector to establish strong institutions capable of more efficient funding of MSMEs</p> <p>Motaz Al Tabaa Executive Director, Alexandria Businessman’s Association</p> <p>Amro Aboeish Chairman & CEO, Tanmeyah Microenterprise Services</p> <p>Mounir Nakhla Managing Director, Tasaheel Finance</p> <p>Ashraf Nassef CEO, First Microfinance Foundation</p>
14:10	Chairman’s closing remarks, networking lunch and end of conference