



The Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan



For  
Development  
in the  
Arab Countries

### **AGENDA**

## **“Good Governance for Development in The Arab Countries Launching Conference”**

6-7 February 2005  
King Hussein Bin Talal Convention Center- Dead Sea



**Sunday – February 6, 2005**

<b>11:00 – 11:30</b>	<b>Opening Session</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Speech of the Head of the Initiative Organizing Committee: HE, Dr. Salaheddin Al Bashir, Minister of Justice, Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan</li><li>○ Speech of The Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan: HE Mr. Faisal Akef Al Fayez, Prime Minister of Jordan.</li><li>○ Speech of the Arab League: HE Mr. Amr Moussa, Secretary General of the Arab League.</li><li>○ Speech of the Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD): HE Mr. Donald Johnston, the Secretary-General of the OECD.</li><li>○ Speech of the United Nations Development Programme(UNDP): HE Dr. Rima Khalaf Hunaidi, Assistant Secretary-General and Assistant Administrative Regional Director, Regional Bureau of the Arab States (RBAS), UNDP</li></ul>	
<b>11:30 – 12:00</b>	<b>Coffee Break</b>	
<b>12:00 – 14:30</b>	<b>Official statements and declaration of the Partnership</b> <p><b><u>Chairman:</u> He Mr. Faisal Akef Al-Fayez, Prime Minister of the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan</b></p> <p><b>Official statements of Arab and OECD state representatives:</b></p>	
<b>14:30-16:00</b>	<b>Lunch hosted by the Prime Minister of Jordan in honor of the participating delegations – King Hussein Bin Talal Convention Center- Main Hall</b> <p><b>Keynote address by HE Dr. Marwan Mouasher, Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of State for Prime Ministry Affairs and Government Performance Monitoring. Public Sector Reform Programme and Good Governance in Jordan.</b></p>	
<b>16:00 -17:30</b>	<b>Parallel Panels I, II, III</b>	
<b>PANEL I CIVIL SERVICE AND INTEGRITY</b>	<b>PANEL II : ROLE OF THE JUDICIARY AND ENFORCEMENT</b>	<b>PANEL III : E-GOVERNMENT, ADMINISTRATIVE SIMPLIFICATION AND REGULATORY REFORM</b>

**OPENING REMARKS: HE DR.**  
**AHMAD MASAADAH, JORDAN**

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**HE MR. RASHID TALBI EL**  
**ALAMI, MOROCCO**

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- Fadhel Moussa (*Tunisia*)
- Robert Beshel(*The World Bank*)
- Pia Marconi, (*Italy*) TBC
- Jane Ley, (*US*)

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**MR. ERIC WOERTH, SECRETARY**  
**OF STATE, FRANCE**

- Rick Messick(*The World Bank*)
- Keith Henderson (*IFES*)
- Tarek Ziade (*Lebanon*)
- Joe Gangloff (*US*)
- Hervé Grange (*France*)

**OPENING REMARKS: HE Ms.**  
**NADIA ASSAEED, JORDAN**

**ARAB CO-CHAIR:**  
**Mr. Nabil Alyousuf , (UAE-**  
**DUBAI)**

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**MINISTER LUCIO STANCA,**  
**ITALY**  
**MR. ERIC WOERTH, SECRETARY**  
**OF STATE, FRANCE**

- Chawki Gaddes (*Tunisia*)
- Kuk Hwan Jeong (*Korea*)
- Jacques Sauret, (*France*)
- Dennis Cole, (*Canada*)

<b>17:30 – 18:00</b>	<b>Coffee Break</b>	
<b>18:00 – 19:30</b>	<b>Parallel Panels I, II, III</b>	
<b>PANEL I CIVIL SERVICE AND INTEGRITY</b>	<b>PANEL II : ROLE OF THE JUDICIARY AND ENFORCEMENT</b>	<b>PANEL III : E-GOVERNMENT, ADMINISTRATIVE SIMPLIFICATION AND REGULATORY REFORM</b>
<b>Open floor discussion</b>	<b>Open floor discussion</b>	<b>Open floor discussion</b>
<b>20:30 – 22:30</b>	<b>Dinner hosted by the Minister of Justice and the Head of the Initiative Organizing Committee in honor of the participating delegations- Movenpick Dead Sea Hotel</b>	

Monday – February 7, 2005

<b>9:30 – 11:00</b>	<b>Parallel Panels IV, V, VI</b>	
<b>PANEL IV THE ROLE OF CIVIL SOCIETY AND MEDIA IN THE REFORM OF THE PUBLIC SECTOR</b>	<b>PANEL V GOVERNANCE OF PUBLIC FINANCE</b>	<b>PANEL VI PUBLIC SERVICE DELIVERY (Partnership between private and Public sector)</b>
<b><u>OPENING REMARKS:</u> HE MS. ASMA KHADER, JORDAN</b>	<b><u>OPENING REMARKS:</u> HE MR. MOHAMMAD ABU HAMMOUR, JORDAN</b>	
<b><u>ARAB CO-CHAIR:</u> H.E. MR. IBRAHIM DAHER, LEBANON</b>	<b><u>ARAB CO-CHAIR:</u> H.E. MR. YOUSUF BOUTROS GHALI, EGYPT</b>	<b><u>ARAB CO-CHAIR:</u> H.E. MR. ZOUHAR M'DAFFAR, TUNISIA</b>
<b><u>OECD CO-CHAIR:</u> MR. PATRICK RENAULD, HEAD OF THE DELEGATION TO LEBANON, EUROPEAN COMMISSION (MR. JOSEPH PIAZZA D'OLMO)</b>	<b><u>OECD CO-CHAIR:</u> MR. HELMER VOSSERS, NETHERLANDS</b>	<b><u>OECD CO-CHAIRS:</u> MS. WENDY THOMSON, UK MR. OMER DINCER, TURKEY</b>
- Rami Khoury ( <i>Jordan</i> ) - Larbi Jaidi ( <i>Morocco</i> ) - Katju Holkeri ( <i>Finland</i> ) - Karim Alrawi ( <i>Canada</i> )	- Naser Al Saneh ( <i>Kuwait</i> ) - François Lacasse ( <i>Canada</i> ) - Mike Casella, ( <i>US</i> ) - Bertin Martens ( <i>EU</i> )	- Kamal Shehadi ( <i>Lebanon</i> ) - John Blackton ( <i>USA</i> ) - Olavi Kongas ( <i>Finland</i> ) - José Maria Sousa Rego, ( <i>Portugal</i> )

<b>11:00 – 11:30</b>	<b>Coffee Break</b>	
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<b>13:00 – 15:00</b>	<b>Lunch hosted by the United Nations Development Programme (UNDP- POGAR) in honor of the participating delegations – King Hussein Bin Talal Convention Center- Main Hall</b>	
<b>14:30 – 15:30</b>	<b>Discussion session – Head of the Initiative Organising Committee and civil society and the media representatives</b>	
<b>15:00 – 16:30</b>	<b>Closing Session</b> - Recommendations - Declaration of the Initiative	