Background

The unprecedented pandemic of COVID-19 has caused a significant health and socio-economic impact, particularly on vulnerable groups that are hardest hit by the pandemic, especially in health, educational and economic systems. Civil Society Organizations (CSOs) play a critical role in engaging citizens as a foundation for sustainable innovation to contain and mitigate the effects of the pandemic. They contribute to the immediate and medium-term efforts of the member countries (MCs) to prevent, contain and respond to negative impacts of COVID-19.

Objectives

- Highlight the challenges and opportunities of the role of CSOs in responding to the impact of COVID-19 in IsDB MCs
- Share success stories on innovative and transformative projects implemented by CSOs in addressing COVID-19 effects
- Explore potential partners for resource mobilization and building global alliance for the TADAMON Program
- Provide a platform for the stakeholders to scale up their interventions to address the development needs of the vulnerable groups in MCs

Opening Remarks

01:00 PM - 01:05 PM

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Panel Session

01:05 PM - 01:10 PM

Keynote Speech by Ms. Nena Stoiljkovic, IFRC's Under Secretary General for Global Relations and Humanitarian Diplomacy

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Mr. Gerd Trogemann - Manager of the UNDP Regional Bureau for Europe and Central Asia Istanbul Regional Hub, UNDP

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Ms. Sandra Ferrer - Head of Program Implementation and Quality Plan International

Mr. Khemais El Gazzah - Lead Resource Mobilization Specialist, ISFD

Mr. AlFatih Timur - CEO - Kitabisa, Indonesia

Mr. Abdi Abdullahi - Principal, Social Development, IsDB

Moderator: Mr. Syed Husain Quadri - Acting Director, Resilience and Social Development Department, IsDB

01:55 PM - 02:05 PM

Mr. Elie Bagbila - Country Director of LFTW Burkina Faso

Dr. Saleh Mubarak Bazead - CEO, NAMA Foundation

Mr. Yannick Du Pont - CEO, Spark International SPARK International

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Questions & Answers

02:25 PM - 02:30 PM

Master of Ceremony Ms. Morooj Safdar - NGOs and Civil Society Specialist

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Mr. Ali Al-Kaabi - Manager - Program Development, IsDB

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Mr. Abdurrahman Al-Mutairi - CEO, Global Handicap

Mr. Jameel Al-Ahmad - Chairperson, General Authority for Social Welfare and Rehabilitation

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03:30 PM - 03:40 PM

Mr. Ali Al-Shehry - President, Al-Khaleej Fund

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