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Shaikha Sabeeka bint Ibrahim Al Khalifa  
Wife of the King of Bahrain

## Human Trafficking at the Crossroads

Private-Public Partnership to Fight Human Trafficking

2-3 March 2009  
The Ritz Carlton Hotel & Spa  
Manama, Kingdom of Bahrain

### PROGRAMME

#### Monday, 2 March 2009 (Day 1)

9:30 - 10:30 Opening Session: Welcome Messages and Keynote Addresses

**Moderator:** Ms. Eman Marhoon, TV Host and Producer

**Welcoming remarks:**

- **H.E. Dr. Nezar Sadiq Al Baharna**, Minister of State for Foreign Affairs, Kingdom of Bahrain

**Keynote addresses:**

- **Her Highness Shaikha Sabeeka bint Ibrahim Al Khalifa**, Wife of the King of Bahrain
- **H.E. Suzanne Mubarak**, President of SMWIPM  
"A Way Forward"
- **Mr. David Arkless**, President, Corporate & Government Affairs, Manpower Inc. and Special Envoy of the campaign "End Human Trafficking Now"  
"Business Leader's Perspective"
- **Mr. Antonio Mario Costa**, Executive Director of UNODC  
"Milestones Achieved"

11:00 - 12:45 First Plenary Session: National Strategies against Human Trafficking

**Moderator:** John Defferios, Host, CNN Marketplace Middle East

**Panellists:**

- H.E. Margerita Cedeño de Fernández, First Lady of the Dominican Republic
- H.E. Anuar Gargash, Minister of State for Foreign Affairs, United Arab Emirates
- H.E. Sheikh Abdul Aziz bin Mubarak Al Khalifa, Head of the Inter-governmental task force, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Kingdom of Bahrain

- Baroness Mary Goudie, Member of the House of Lords, United Kingdom. Co-chair of the Women Leaders' Council (UN.GIFT) and Member of the Board of Vital Voices Global Partnership
- H.E. Yasutoshi Nishimura, Parliamentary Vice-Minister for Foreign Affairs, Japan
- Mr. Shafik Gabr, Chairman & Executive Director, Artoc Group for Investment and Development

**14:00 - 15:30 Second Plenary Session: Legal Framework and Criminal Justice Response**

**Moderator:** Ricardo Karam, TV Host and Producer

**Panellists:**

- H.E. Olivier Weber, Ambassador-Designate in Combating Organized Crime, France
- Ms. Anja Ebnoether, Assistant Director, Geneva Center for the Democratic Control of Armed Forces
- Ms. Maria Grazia Giammarinaro, Policy Officer, European Commission
- Mr. Graham Maxwell, Deputy Chief Constable of South Yorkshire Police and Director of Human Trafficking Centre
- Ms. Joy Ngozi Ezeilo, United Nations Special Rapporteur on Trafficking in Persons, especially Women and Children

**15:30 - 17:00 Third Plenary Session: Engagement of Businesses Against Human Trafficking**

**Moderator:** Ms. Gisele Khoury, Al Arabiya

**Panellists:**

- H.E. Rachid Rachid, Minister of Trade, Egypt
- Mr. Roger Plant, International Labour Organisation
- Mr. Khalid Janahi, Ithmaar Bank, Kingdom of Bahrain
- Mr. Jeffrey Avina, Corporate Social Responsibility, Microsoft Middle East
- Ms. Nili Safavi, Det NorskeVeritas, Risk Management and Certification Company

**Tuesday, 3 March 2009 (Day 2)**

**09:00 - 10:30 Fourth Plenary Session: Prevention Strategy & Support**

**Moderator:** John Defferios, Host, CNN Marketplace Middle East

**Panellists:**

- Ms. Ndioro Ndiaye, Deputy Director General, IOM
- Dr. Aleya Hammad, Founding Member and Member of the Board, SMWIPM, Co-chair of the Women Leaders' Council (UN.GIFT)
- Ms. Lakshmi Bhatia, Director, Social Responsibility, GAP Inc.
- Ms. Vinita Aggarwal, Director, Ministry of Women & Child

- Development, Government of India
- Marietta Diaz, Migrant Workers Protection Society (MWPS Bahrain)

**10:45 - 12:00 Session on the Media & Art/Culture (parallel session)**

**Moderator:** Ms. Zohreh Tabatabai, International Labor Organization

**Opening remarks:** Shka. Dr. Rana bint Isa Al Khalifa, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Kingdom of Bahrain

**Panellists:**

- Mr. Michael Cory Davis, Director
- Mr. Justin Dillon, Director
- Mr. Mahmoud Kabil, Actor
- Mr. Ricardo Karam, TV host and Producer
- Ms. Helena Smith, Guardian
- Ms. Yosra, Actress

**Outcome:** Media Declaration

**10:45 - 12:00 Drafting of the Solemn Declaration (parallel session)**

**Moderator:** Dr. Gertrude Mongella, President of the Pan African Parliament

**12:30 - 13:30 Closing Session**

**Moderator:** Ms. Eman Marhoon, TV Host and Producer

**Pronouncement of the Manama Declaration:** H.E. Suzanne Mubarak, President, SMWIPM

**Closing remarks and future commitments:**

- H.E. Miguel d' Escoto Brockmann, President, United Nations General Assembly
- Ms. Marianna V. Vardinoyannis, Member of the Board, SMWIPM
- Mr. Samih Sawiris, Chairman, Orascom Holding
- Ms. Yosra, Actress