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 5 - 7 December 2024

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Conference Agenda

برنامج جودة الحياة
QUALITY OF LIFE PROGRAM



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Day One – 5 December

Main Stage

Opening Ceremony

4:00 - 4:50 pm

Literature, Publishing & Translation Commission CEO's Speech:

Dr. Mohammed bin Hasan Alwan

Quality of Life Program CEO's Speech:

Mr. Khalid bin Abdullah Al-Baker

Break - Prayer

5:00 - 5:30 pm

First Topic: Concepts and Theories of Quality of Life from a Philosophical Perspective

5:30 - 6:20 pm

Speakers

Dr. Kelly James Clark

Ms. Antonia Case

Moderator

Mr. Abdullah Al-Muhailan

Quantifying the Quality of Life: How Did We Get to This Point? How Do We Go Beyond It?

6:30 - 7:20 pm

Speaker

Dr. Robert Bernasconi

Moderator

Mr. Abdullah Al-Muhailan

Second Topic: Quality of Life in Philosophy: A Historical Perspective

7:30 - 8:20 pm

Speakers

Dr. Michael Chase

Dr. Ghaidan Al-Sayed

Moderator

Dr. Hamad Al-Anqari

Break - Prayer

8:30 - 9:00 pm

Panel Discussion

9:00 - 9:50 pm

Speakers

Prof. Abdelaziz Berghout

Dr. Kelly James Clark

Moderator

Mr. Abdullah Al-Muhailan

Stage 1

Workshop: Diverse Philosophies and Quality of Life

5:00 - 5:50 pm

Speakers

Dr. Ahmed Al-Madlough

Mr. Tarif Al-Sulaiti

Mr. Abdulrahman Al-Ammar

Moderator

Mr. Abdulrahman Al-Nakhifi

Session By



Workshop: Humanity and Philosophy in Need of Each Other: How They Come Together in Communities of Philosophical Inquiry as Practised at Bassera

6:00 - 6:50 pm

Speaker

Dr. Roger Sutcliffe

Session By



First Debate: Is Virtue the Voice of Our Inner Conscience?

7:00 - 7:50 pm

Second Debate: Individualism and Its Fundamental Role in Success

8:00 - 8:50 pm

Stage 2

Workshop: Writing Philosophically/Thinking Philosophically

5:00 - 6:20 pm

Speaker

Dr. Noureddine Sefi

Session By



Workshop: What is the Need of Philosophy?

6:30 - 7:50 pm

Session By



Workshop 101

Introduction to the Philosophy of Ethics

7:00 - 8:20 pm

Speaker

Dr. Ahmed Alenaizan

Philosophers of Tomorrow

Workshop: A Friend with Leaves and a Friend with Fur

3:30 - 4:50 pm

Speaker

Ms. Shaima Qassam

Session By



Workshop: Scribbling or Art?

5:00 - 6:50 pm

Speaker

Ms. Lujain Banjar

Session By



Workshop: Is It Possible Not to Choose?

8:30 - 9:50 pm

Speaker

Dr. Mohammed Hanna

Session By



Day Two – 6 December

Main Stage

Third Topic: The Mind: Mechanisms of Philosophical Thinking for Achieving Quality of Life

2:00 - 2:50 pm

Speakers

Prof. Ezz Al-Arab Lahkim Bennani
Prof. Abdelaziz Berghout

Moderator

Dr. Badr Alddin Mustafa

Workshop:

3:00 - 3:50 pm

Literature, Arts and Quality of Life

Speaker

Ms. Amana Bukhamseen

Quality of Life: Question & Hopes

Speaker

Dr. Nouredine Sefi

Happiness as a Path to Quality of Life

Speaker

Dr. Manal Al-Labbad

Session By



Workshop: Cognitive Linguistics - Mind, Language, Reality

4:00 - 4:50 pm

Speaker

Prof. Nawal Al-Helweh

Moderator

Ms. Islah bin Hilal

Session By



Workshop: Public Philosophy: Why Philosophy for Everyone?

5:00 - 5:50 pm

Session By



Teaching and Learning Philosophical Thinking in Saudi Arabia: Review of Achievements, Challenges and Aspirations

6:00 - 7:50 pm

Speakers

Ms. Nasrin Ghandoura
Ms. Dalia Tounsi

Session By



The Body: Health, Sports, Recreation and Disability

8:00 - 8:50 pm

Aesthetic Pleasure and the Happy Life: Music According to Al-Farabi

Speaker

Dr. Salem Al-Ayadi

Moderator

Dr. Haifa Al-Humaidan

Aesthetic Awareness and Quality of Life

Speaker

Prof. Said Tawfik

Panel Discussion

9:00 - 9:50 pm

Speaker

Prof. Ezz Al-Arab Lahkim Bennani

Moderator

Mr. Abdullah Al-Muhailan

Stage 1

Concepts and Theories of Quality of Life from a Philosophical Perspective

2:00 - 2:50 pm

Epistemology of Virtues and the Stake of Perfecting Intellectual Life

Speaker

Dr. Elmehdi Moustakim

Moderator

Ms. Mashaal Al-Sheikh

Good Life According to Philosophy: The Philosophical Foundations of Joy of Living

Speaker

Dr. Al-Nasser Amara

Break - Prayer

3:00 - 3:30 pm

Quality of Life in Philosophy: A Historical Perspective

3:30 - 4:20 pm

The Ideological Perception of Quality of Life in Japan

Speaker

Dr. Nermeen Ezzedine

Moderator

Ms. Mashaal Al-Sheikh

Workshop: How Can We Enjoy Life?

4:30 - 5:50 pm

Session By



Break - Prayer

5:30 - 6:00 pm

Workshop: Quality of Life and the Question of Education and Media

6:00 - 6:50 pm

Speaker

Mr. Eid Al-Juhani
Dr. Rania Alardawi

Moderator

Mr. AbdulRahman Al-Nakhifi

Session By



Stage 2

Concepts and Theories of Quality of Life from a Philosophical Perspective

2:20 - 2:50 pm

In the Merit of Life: A Phenomenological Reading

Speaker

Dr. Amani Zaibi

Moderator

Ms. Noura Al-Omar

Bringing Life to Philosophy

Speaker

Dr. Ahmed Al-Madlough

Quality of Life in Philosophy: A Historical Perspective

3:00 - 4:50 pm

Quality of Life from the Perspective of the Story of Hayy Ibn Yaqzan

Speaker

Ms. Atheer Al-Amri

Moderator

Dr. Khaled Al-Bakr

The Will to Happiness in Ibn Baja

Speaker

Dr. Said El Bousklaoui

Break - Prayer

5:00 - 5:30 pm

The Mind: Mechanisms of Philosophical Thinking for Achieving Quality of Life

5:00 - 6:20 pm

Philosophical Logical Mechanisms for Critical Thinking

Speaker

Prof. Essam Zakaria Gamil

Moderator

Dr. Khaled Al-Bakr

Philosophical Thinking Workshops

Speaker

Mr. Mohiuddin Al-Kalai

Philosophy, Life and Quest for Meaning

6:30 - 7:20 pm

Speaker

Prof. Fausto Frairopi

Moderator

Dr. Joseph Cohen

The Mind: Mechanisms of Philosophical Thinking for Achieving Quality of Life

8:00 - 8:50 pm

Philosophy of Mind and Quality of Life

Speaker

Ms. Nada Sayed

Moderator

Ms. Noura Al-Omar

Towards the Rationalization of Education in Saudi Arabia

Speaker

Ms. Malak Al-Khalidi

Workshop 101

The Story of Philosophy in Islamic Civilization

4:30 - 5:20 pm

Speaker

Mr. Al-Waleed Al-Saqqaf

An Introduction to Postmodern Philosophy

6:30 - 7:50 pm

Speaker

Dr. Badr Alddin Mustafa

Philosophers of Tomorrow

Workshop: All My Emotions Are My Friends

3:00 - 4:50 pm

Speaker

Ms. Shaima Qassam

Session By



Workshop: Does Happiness Last?

5:00 - 7:50 pm

Speaker

Ms. Rawaf Nahhas

Session By



Workshop: When I Grow Up

8:00 - 9:50 pm

Speaker

Ms. Lujain Banjar

Session By



Day Three – 7 December

Main Stage

Workshop: The Philosophical Contribution to the Quality of Life

2:00 - 2:50 pm

Speakers

Dr. Hussein Al-Issa
Dr. Ali Al Najai

Moderator

Mr. AbdulRahman Al-Nakhifi

Session By



Final Debate

4:00 - 4:50 pm

Break - Prayer

5:00 - 5:30 pm

Sixth Topic: Philosophy and Quality of Life in Society

5:30 - 6:50 pm

Speakers

Prof. Hasan Hammad
Prof. Mohammed Nakroumi

Moderator

Ms. Mashael Al-Sheikh

Break - Prayer

6:30 - 7:00 pm

Next Generation's Aspirations for Philosophy in Shaping the Future of Quality of Life

7:00 - 7:50 pm

Session By



Philosophy and the Future of Quality of Life

8:00 - 8:50 pm

A Philosophical Framework for Enhancing the Quality of Life in Cities in the Context of Diversity and Multiculturalism

Speaker

Dr. Walid Al-Zamil

Moderator

Dr. Haifa Al-Humaidan

Achieving Quality of Life: From Philosophical Theorizing to Actual Application

Speaker

Dr. Latifa Al-Maayouf

Panel Discussion

9:00 - 9:50 pm

Speaker

Prof. Mohammed Nakroumi

Moderator

Mr. Abdullah Al-Muhailan

Stage 1

The Soul (Spirit): Religion, Purpose, Meditation and Self-Realization

2:00 - 2:50 pm

Philosophy and the Ethics of Coexistence

Speaker

Dr. Farida Kafi

Moderator

Dr. Khaled Al-Bakr

The Body: Health, Sports, Recreation and Disability

3:00 - 3:50 pm

The Role of Social Solidarity in Supporting Female Athletes with Disabilities

Speaker

Ms. Najat Al-Shafai

Moderator

Ms. Mashael Al-Sheikh

Workshop: Reading the Details: How Can We Understand a Painting?

4:00 - 5:20 pm

Speaker

Dr. Mohammed Hanna

Session By



Break - Prayer

5:00 - 5:30 pm

Quality of Life between Philosophy, Religion and Science

5:30 - 6:50 pm

The Human Between Animalization and Rationalization

Speaker

Mr. Hussain Sewaket

Moderator

Dr. Badreldien Mostafa

The Evolution of Human Dignity: Shifting Meanings and Challenges in a High-Tech Society

Speaker

Prof. Hossam Abdellatif

Workshop: How to Fail?

7:00 - 8:20 pm

Session By



Stage 2

The Soul (Spirit): Religion, Purpose, Meditation and Self-Realization

2:00 - 2:50 pm

Those Who Despaired of What They Had Missed

Speaker

Dr. Chafik Graigue

Moderator

Ms. Noura Al-Omar

Philosophy and Quality of Life in Society

3:00 - 3:50 pm

Unlearning Intolerance: An Essay on the Intellectual Origins of the Concept of Tolerance

Speaker

Dr. Khaled Lhmidi

Moderator

Dr. Badreldien Mostafa

Ethics and the Stake of Coexistence: A Study on the Standards of Good Living According to Günther Patzig

Speaker

Dr. Nada Mohammed Kamal

Philosophy and Quality of Life in Society

4:30 - 5:20 pm

Recognition and Forgiveness as Horizons for Shared Living: Between Paul Ricoeur and Hannah Arendt

Speaker

Youseef bin Al-Makki

Moderator:

Dr. Badreldien Mostafa

On the Right to a Good Life: Egalitarian Liberalism and the Limits of the Rights-Based Approach

Speaker

Dr. Abdulraheem Al-Dagoun

Philosophy and the Future of Quality of Life

7:30 - 8:20 pm

Artificial Intelligence and Its Impact on the Quality of Human Life: New Horizons and Ethical Challenges

Speaker

Dr. Ingy Hamdi

Moderator:

Mr. Abdullah Al-Muhailan

Workshop 101

Argumentation Skills and Critical Thinking

3:00 - 4:20 pm

Speaker

Dr. Ahmed Alenaizan

The Story of Logic in Islamic Civilization

5:00 - 6:20 pm

Speaker

Mr. Al-Waleed Al-Saqqaf

Introduction to Aesthetics

7:30 - 8:20 pm

Speaker

Dr. Badreldien Mostafa

Philosophers of Tomorrow

Workshop: Animal Utopia

2:00 - 4:50 pm

Speaker

Ms. Lujain Banjar

Session By



Workshop: The Secret of Happiness: A Dialogue Between Generations

4:00 - 5:50 pm

Speaker

Ms. Nisreen Ghandourah

Session By



Workshop: The Intersection of Artificial Intelligence and Philosophy: A New Experience of Inquiry Through Intergenerational Dialogue

7:00 - 9:50 pm

Speakers

Ms. Rawaf Nahhas
Ms. Mawadah Alhemaidd

Session By

