





The Second

Future Skills and **Employability Forum**

Wednesday, February 28, 2024 10:00 AM - 12:30 PM Auditorium, Crescent Building UAEU



































Welcome, Opening Remarks

10:00 AM - 10:50 AM

Keynote Speaker – 1

10:05 AM - 10:20 AM



H.E. Khalfan Belhoul

Chief Executive Officer, Dubai Future Foundation

Speech title: Shaping Tomorrow's Careers: Insights from Dubai

Keynote Speaker – 2

10:20 AM - 10:35 AM



H.E. Dr. Ali Bin Sebaa Al Marri

Executive President of Mohammed Bin Rashid School of Government

Speech Title: Adapting to the Age of Digitalization: Strategies for Building Tomorrow's Skills

Keynote Speaker – 3

10:35 AM - 10:45 AM



H.E. Dr. Mubarak Al Shamsi

Director General, ACTVET

Speech Title: Future of Skills

Forum Sessions

Session A: 40 Minutes

10:55 AM - 11:35 AM

Theme: Shaping the Future of Skills-based Education

Moderator: Prof. Khaula Alkaabi, Geography and Urban Sustanability Department, UAEU

List of speakers:

1- Prof. Abhilasha Singh

Vice President for Academic Affairs, American University in the Emirates

2- Dr. Zhengxiong Yang

Mobility Solution Architecture Lead, Bayanat

3- Dr. Karima Matar Al Mazroui

Chancellor Advisor at Mohamed Bin Zayed University for Humanities

4- Mr. Ibrahim Odhabi

Academic Project Coordinator, Abu Dhabi University

5- Ms. Mona Ghander

Head of Programs, Abdulla Al Ghurair Foundation

6- Mr. Mohammed Abdulrahim Al Harmi

Senior Director -Administration Affairs Department Mohammed Bin Rashed Space Centre





Session B: 40 Minutes

11:40 AM - 12:20 PM

Theme: Navigating the Future of Work and Enhancing Students' Employability

Moderator: Dr. Mohammed Aljanahi, Assistant Professor, Government and Society Department, College of Humanities and Social Sciences, UAEU

List of speakers:

1- Dr. Mohammed Al Waqfi

Chair of Department of Management, College of Business and Economics, United Arab Emirates University Research and Development Labor Market Unit Head, Human Capital Research Center

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Vice-Chair, IEEE UAE Section

Jacobs 3- Dr. Mohamed El Sayed Basha

Institutional excellence expert, Future Way for Training and Development

4- Ms. Nada Heggy

Interim Senior Manager for the employability and alumni Relations Office, Abu Dhabi University

5- Mr. Amer Mohamed Bin Breik

Business Registration Consultant, Commercial Registration and Certificates of Origin Department, Ministry of Economy

• 6- Dr. Yousif Rashid Al Zaabi

Social Innovation Division Manager, Social Monitoring & Innovation Sector, Department of Community Development

Closing Ceremony

12:20 PM - 12:30 PM

Lunch Break 12:30 PM - 1:30 PM

Forum Workshops:

Workshop 1 Entrepreneurial Psychology: Think Like an Entrepreneur

 Date
 February 28, 2024

 Time
 12:30 PM -1:45 PM

Venue Innovation Lab 2, Crescent Building, UAEU

Speaker Ms. Mervat Ijha, United Arab Emirates University

Workshop 2 Geospatial Horizons: GIS, Remote Sensing, and Industry Alignment

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 February 28, 2024

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 12:30 PM -1:45 PM

Venue Business Center, Crescent Building, UAEU

Speaker Dr. Xin Hong, Assistant Professor, Zayed University

Workshop 3 How to Create Professional Profile Online: LinkedIn

Date February 28, 2024 **Time** 2:00 PM- 3:00 PM

Venue Innovation Room # 1, Crescent Building - UAEU

Speaker Dr. Tatiana Karabchuk, United Arab Emirates University