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## General Council for Islamic Banks And Financial Institutions



# Pre-COP 28 Event Roundtable Meeting: Empowering Sustainable Practices and Climate Action in Islamic Finance



#### **About CIBAFI**

The General Council for Islamic Banks and Financial Institutions (CIBAFI) is an international non-profit institution that represents the Islamic financial institutions (IFIs) worldwide. It was founded by the Islamic Development Bank (IsDB) and a number of leading IFIs. CIBAFI is affiliated with the Organisation of Islamic Cooperation (OIC). Today with over 130 members from over 30 jurisdictions, CIBAFI is recognised as a key component of the international architecture of the Islamic finance industry. CIBAFI's members vary from Islamic banks, multilateral banks, to Takaful companies, international standard-setting organisations, regulators, and other professional services firms.

#### **About the CBUAE**

The CBUAE is the supervisory and regulatory authority of the banking and insurance sector.

The CBUAE promotes financial and monetary stability, efficiency and resilience in the financial system, and the protection of consumers through effective supervision that supports economic growth for the benefit of the UAE and its people.

#### **About the Roundtable**

In anticipation of COP28, CIBAFI is excited to present the roundtable event that brings together leading experts and thought leaders from the Islamic Financial Services Industry (IFSI). Our focus is to stimulate profound dialogues and knowledge exchange surrounding sustainability integration and climate change challenges. The objectives include engaging in-depth conversations with industry experts, sustainability advocates, and climate action pioneers to gain valuable insights. Additionally, we aim to encourage collaboration and the exchange of best practices among Islamic financial institutions, regulators, and organizations committed to combating climate change. Our goal is to align Islamic finance with global sustainability and climate action targets, leveraging the momentum leading up to COP28.

### Roundtable Agenda

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09:00 - 09:15	Welcoming remarks.			
	Introductory Session			
09:15 - 09:45	Presentation by the Secretariat on CIBAFI Sustainability Guide and GHG emission measurement tool for IFIs.			
09:45 - 10:45	Session 2: Sustainability Integration in Islamic Banking			
	Strategies for Integrating Sustainability in Islamic Banks.			
	Regulatory Advancements in Promoting Sustainability Adoption.			
	Shariah scholars and sustainability integration.			
	The role of capacity-building programmes in facilitating sustainability integration			
10:45 - 11:00	Coffee Break.			
	Session 3: GHG Emissions Measurement in Islamic Banking and Finance			
	CIBAFI GHG emission measurement tool for Islamic financial institutions.			
11:00 - 12:00	Setting Emission Targets and Reporting Frequency.			
	Strategies for addressing data availability and quality challenges.			
	Expected regulatory requirements for GHG emissions reporting.			
12:00	Closing Remarks.			





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Hybrid Meeting (Abu Dhabi, UAE + Online)
28<sup>th</sup> November 2023 from 09:00 - 12:00 hrs. (UAE time zone)

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