

08:30-09:30	<b>Registration</b>
	<b>Inauguration Session</b>
09:30-09:35	<b>H.E. Abdullah Bin Hamad Al-Attiyah</b> , Deputy Prime Minister & Minister of Energy and Industry, Doha-State of Qatar.
09:35-09:40	<b>H.E. Dr. Ahmed Khalil Al Mutawa</b> , Secretary General, Gulf Organization For Industrial Consulting, Doha- State of Qatar.
09:40-09:45	<b>Dr. Mukhtar Ballool</b> – Managing Director , Chairman of the Executive committee – Tassnee ( <i>Platinum sponsor</i> )
<b><u>First Session</u></b>	
09:45-09:55	<b>Cluster Development Initiatives- “Relevance for Diverse”</b> <b>Mr. Mukesh Gulati</b> <b>Foundation for MSME Clusters- India</b>
09:55-10:10	<b>Tea &amp; Coffee Break</b>
<b><u>Second Session</u></b>	
10:10-10:30	<b><u>Presentation I:</u></b> <b>Clusters and International Competitiveness-“Finnish DIGIBUSINESS Cluster Model”</b> <b>Ms. Irina Blomqvist</b> <b>Culminatium Ltd, Helsinki Region centre of Expertise- Finland</b>
10:30-10:50	<b><u>Presentation II:</u></b> <b>Approach to National Clustering Policies, “Case of Turkey”</b> <b>Ms. Mateja Dermastia</b> <b>Anteja ECG- Slovenia</b>
10:50-11:10	<b><u>Presentation III:</u></b> <b>Innovation through Cooperation- “The Upper Austrian Way of Cluster- Management”</b> <b>Mr. Werner Pamminger</b> <b>Clusterland Oberösterreich GmbH- Austria</b>
11:10-11:30	<b><u>Presentation IV:</u></b> <b>Lessons for Cluster Development- “Evolution, Growth, Challenges in the Indian Context”</b> <b>Mr. Mukesh Gulati</b> <b>Foundation for MSME Clusters- India</b>
11:30-11:45	Discussion
11:45-12:00	<b>Tea &amp; Coffee Break</b>
<b><u>Third Session</u></b>	
12:00-12:30	<b><u>GCC Experiences:</u></b> <b><u>Qatar:</u></b> - Ras Laffan-An emerging cluster supporting a major industrial area <b>Sh. Khalid Ben Khalifa Al-Thani</b> <b>Ras Laffan Support Area</b>  -Mesaieed Industrial City- Overview <b>Eng. Ahmed Abou-Hamda</b>

	<p><b>Mesaieed Industrial City</b></p> <p><b><u>KSA:</u></b></p> <p><b>The Brazilian Clustering experience: Opportunities for the KSA program</b></p> <p><b><i>Mr. Adelberto Netto</i></b></p> <p><b><i>Saudi Arabia's National Industrial Cluster Development Program</i></b></p> <p><b><u>UAE:</u></b></p> <p>Dubai Institute of Technology; Vision, Mission and Objectives</p> <p><b><i>Dr. Samir Hamrouni</i></b></p> <p><b><i>Dubai Techno Park</i></b></p>
	<b>Closing Session :</b>
12:30-13:00	Conclusions and Recommendations
13:00-14:00	<b>Lunch</b>