

# GFMD – Abu Dhabi Dialogue Regional Consultation: Online Opening Plenary

## LIST OF SPEAKERS

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### Opening Remarks:

1. H.E. Abdulla Ali Alnuaimi, Assistant Undersecretary for Communications and International Relations, **GFMD 2020 Chair-in-Office**
2. H.E. Mrs. Yamuna Perera, Additional Secretary of the Ministry, **Sri Lanka Abu Dhabi Dialogue Co-Chair**

### Thematic Leads' Introductory Remarks:

3. **Moderator:** Mr. Alex Zalami, Head, GFMD 2020 Task Force
4. Thematic Selection 1 - The governance of labour migration in the context of changing employment landscapes : Ms. Michelle Leighton, Chief, Labour Migration Branch, ILO (Thematic Lead)
5. Thematic Selection 2 - Leveraging technology to empower migrants : Mr. Gibril Faal, Director, GK Partners (Thematic Lead)
6. Thematic Selection 3 - Fostering partnerships to realise migration-related goals in the Sustainable Development Agenda and managing the future of human mobility : Mr. Dilip Ratha, Lead Economist, World Bank/Knomad (Thematic Lead)

### GFMD Mechanisms' Introductory Remarks:

7. **Business Mechanism Perspective:** Mr. Murtaza Khan, Managing Partner, Fragomen Middle East and Africa
8. **Civil Society Perspective:** Ms. Mariam Al Rouwaie, Director, Tafawuq Center
9. **Mayoral Mechanism Perspective:** Ms. Madelaine Alfelor-Gazmen, Mayor of Iriga, The Philippines

### Closing Remarks:

10. H.E. Mrs. Yamuna Perera, Additional Secretary of the Ministry, **Sri Lanka Abu Dhabi Dialogue Co-Chair**
11. H.E. Abdulla Ali Alnuaimi, Assistant Undersecretary for Communications and International Relations, **GFMD 2020 Chair-in-Office**