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Session title	Session date	Session start time	Session end time	Speaker	Title	Organisation	Country
Registration and networking	5/5/2025	8:30	9:30				
Welcome by the event MCs	5/5/2025	9:30	9:40	Maitha Sabah	Presenter and Producer		UAE
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Opening keynote	5/5/2025	9:40	9:50	H.E. Chancellor Dr. Hamad Saif Al Shamsi	UAE Attorney General		UAE
From breakthroughs to boundaries: The case for global tech governance	5/5/2025	9:50	10:00	H.E. Faisal Abdulaziz Al Bannai	Advisor to the UAE President for Strategic Research and Advanced Technology Affairs and Secretary General of ATRC		UAE
From learning to leading: Empowering youth in emerging technologies	5/5/2025	10:00	10:10	H.E. Dr. Sultan bin Saif Al Neyadi	Minister of State for Youth Affairs		UAE
Shaping a fair digital future: Roles of government, tech, and society	5/5/2025	10:10	10:40	Marc Rotenberg	Executive Director and Founder	Center for AI and Digital Policy	USA
Shaping a fair digital future: Roles of government, tech, and society	5/5/2025	10:10	10:40	Gabriele Mazzini	Architect and lead author, EU AI Act	MIT Media Lab	Belgium
Shaping a fair digital future: Roles of government, tech, and society	5/5/2025	10:10	10:40	Mohannad Abuissa	Director Head of Solutions Engineering - MEA	CISCO	UAE

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NETWORKING BREAK	5/5/2025	10:40	10:50				
AI in the judiciary: Challenges and opportunities	5/5/2025	10:50	11:10	Hon. Oran F. Whiting (ret.)	Judge and Legal Consultant	Abu Dhabi Judicial Department	UAE
AI in the judiciary: Challenges and opportunities	5/5/2025	10:50	11:10	Dr. Jean Michel Morinière	Lawyer (France), Legal Consultant (UAE)	Al Aidarous Advocates & Legal Consultants	UAE
Announcement of AI integration strategy in the UAE Public Prosecution	5/5/2025	11:10	11:25	Salem Ali Juma Al Zaabi	Head of Emergency Crisis and Disaster Prosecution	UAE Public Prosecution	UAE
When rights meet code: Safeguarding human rights in the age of AI	5/5/2025	11:25	11:40	H.E. Maqsoud Kruse	Chairperson	National Human Rights Institution	UAE
When rights meet code: Safeguarding human rights in the age of AI	5/5/2025	11:25	11:40	Mustafa Alrawi	Group Director Editorial Partnerships	IMI Media	UAE
AI (for) regulation	5/5/2025	11:40	11:55	Dr. Hakim Hacid	Chief Researcher	Technology Innovation Institute (TII)	UAE
Preparing for the post-quantum era: Cybersecurity and governance for business	5/5/2025	11:55	12:10	Janne Hirvimies	CTO	QuantumGate	UAE
Preparing for the post-quantum era: Cybersecurity and governance for business	5/5/2025	11:55	12:10	Elyazia AlHosani	Deputy Head of Administrative Affairs & Media Sector	TRENDS Research & Advisory	UAE
LUNCH	5/5/2025	12:10	13:00				
Artificial intelligence in the judiciary: Between voluntary adoption and the reality of inevitable transformation	5/5/2025	13:00	13:15	H.E. Judge Dr. Mohammed Obaid Al Kaabi	Head of Sharjah Judicial Department		UAE

Artificial intelligence in the judiciary: Between voluntary adoption and the reality of inevitable transformation	5/5/2025	13:00	13:15	Mariam Rashid Sultan Al Shamsi		National Emergency and Disaster Management Authority	UAE
Digital justice reimagined: Technological frontiers in global judicial transformation	5/5/2025	13:15	13:45	David Yates	Head of Digital and Data	Al Tamimi & Company	UAE
Digital justice reimagined: Technological frontiers in global judicial Transformation	5/5/2025	13:15	13:45	Oreste Pollicino	Director and Professor	Bocconi University	Italy
Digital justice reimagined: Technological frontiers in global judicial transformation	5/5/2025	13:15	13:45	Amb. Mamuka Jgenti	Senior Key Expert on Justice and Civil Society	EU Global AML/CFT Facility	Belgium
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Balancing innovation and regulation: Shaping the future of emerging tech	5/5/2025	13:45	14:15	Naima Hizir Al Falasi	Senior Vice President Porfolio Strategy	Mubadala	UAE
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	5/5/2025	14:30	15:00	H.E. Dr. Mohamed Al Kuwaiti	Head of Cybersecurity	UAE Government	UAE
Ensuring accountability for driverless vehicles and robots	5/5/2025	15:00	15:30	Prof. Rabii Madi	Professor of Urology and Director of Robotic Surgery	Cleveland Clinic Abu Dhabi	UAE
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Skies of the future: A dive into Advanced Air Mobility research	5/5/2025	15:30	15:45	Prof. Enrico Natalizio	Chief Researcher	Autonomous Robotics Research Center	UAE
AI challenges for Information privacy	5/5/2025	15:45	16:00	Dr. Victor Mateu Meseguer	Acting Chief Researcher	Technology Innovation Institute (TII)	UAE
Protecting the truth in an age shaped by AI	5/5/2025	16:00	16:30	Dr. Abrar Abdulnabi	Director of Artificial Intelligence	Saal.ai	UAE

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Protecting the truth in an age shaped by AI	5/5/2025	16:00	16:30	Dr Cansu Canca	Director of Responsible AI Practice Research Associate Professor in Philosophy	Institute for Experiential AI Northeastern University	USA
Protecting the truth in an age shaped by AI	5/5/2025	16:00	16:30	Dr. Ibrahim Al Najjar	Assistant Professor - College of Engineering and Technology	American University in the Emirates	UAE
Protecting the truth in an age shaped by AI	5/5/2025	16:00	16:30	Mr. Borko Handjiski	Partner	Oliver Wyman	UAE
Closing comments by the event MC	5/5/2025	16:30	16:35	Maitha Sabah	Presenter and Producer		UAE
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From vision to value: Building national competitiveness through responsible AI leadership	6/5/2025	9:40	9:55	H.E. Omar Sultan Al Olama	Minister of State for Artificial Intelligence, Digital Economy and Remote Work Applications		UAE
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Web3, regulation, and the new digital economy: A blueprint for responsible innovation	6/5/2025	9:55	10:10	Changpeng Zhao	Co-Founder	Binance	UAE
Securing the future: Building ethical and resilient innovation in the age of AI and quantum technologies	6/5/2025	10:10	10:25	Dr. Najwa Aaraj	Chief Executive Officer	Technology Innovation Institute (TII)	UAE
Securing public safety: Responsible governance of autonomous systems in civil defence	6/5/2025	10:25	10:40	Dr. Shreekanth Thakkar	Chief Researcher at Secure Systems Research Center	Technology Innovation Institute (TII)	UAE

Combating tech-enabled financial crimes through governance and collaboration	6/5/2025	10:40	11:00	Ahmed Nabil Mahmoud	Head of Information Security Engineering	Abu Dhabi Islamic Bank (ADIB)	UAE
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NETWORKING BREAK	6/5/2025	11:00	11:15				
Governance of modern technology: A law enforcement perspective	6/5/2025	11:15	11:30	Lt. Col. Dana Al Marzooqi	Chair, INTERPOL Committee on Governance Director-General, International Affairs Bureau	UAE Ministry of Interior	UAE
Governing emergency management in a digital future: Policies, infrastructure, and innovation	6/5/2025	11:30	11:50	Dr. Ebtesam Almazrouei	CEO and Founder, AIE3	Chairperson, United Nations AI for Good Impact Initiative	UAE
Governing emergency management in a digital future: Policies, infrastructure, and innovation	6/5/2025	11:30	11:50	Dr. Naser Al Rashedi	CEO of 5IR Consultancy	Manager of Space Academy and Space Standards Experts, UAE Space Agency	UAE

Governing emergency management in a digital future: Policies, infrastructure, and innovation	6/5/2025	11:30	11:50	H.E. Hamad Saif Al Kaabi	Director of Hazardous Materials Incidents Management and Official Spokesperson	NCEMA	UAE
Beyond reality: Synthetic worlds and AI's transformative power	6/5/2025	11:50	12:00	Walter Pasquarelli	AI & Synthetic Reality, OECD.AI	Cambridge Researcher Speaker, Writer & Advisor	UK
Let's talk health! Navigating AI, privacy, and compliance for better patient outcomes	6/5/2025	12:00	12:20	H.E. Dr. Amin Hussain Al Amiri	Assistant Undersecretary of Health Regulations Sector	UAE Ministry of Health and Prevention (MoHAP)	
Let's talk health! Navigating AI, privacy, and compliance for better patient outcomes	6/5/2025	12:00	12:20	Abhinav Kumar Srivastava	AVP Information Security	NMC Healthcare	UAE
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Let's talk education! Integrating tech governance into legal education for future justice professionals	6/5/2025	12:20	12:40	Lameen Abdul-Malik	Nobel Peace Prize Laureate	CEO Honest Management	UAE
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Let's talk education! Integrating tech governance into legal education for future justice professionals	6/5/2025	12:20	12:40	Dr. Mohamed Alloghani	Senior Advisor to the President	Mohamed bin Zayed University of Artificial Intelligence	UAE

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Let's talk creative! Managing IP risks in the age of generative AI	6/5/2025	12:40	13:00	Dr. Hamad Abdulla Al Mutaيري	Director of Archives Department	National Library and Archives	UAE
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Let's talk manufacturing! Smart manufacturing 2.0: Collaborating for secure, ethical, and AI-driven transformation	6/5/2025	13:40	14:00	Nabil Cheqroun	Chief Commercial Officer	Honeywell	UAE
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Keynote	6/5/2025	14:00	14:15	H.E. Sarah bint Yousef Al Amiri	UAE Minister of State for Public Education and Advanced Technology Chairwoman of the UAE Space Agency and the Emirates School Establishment		
Future legislation: Redesigning legal frameworks for the age of AI and emerging technologies	6/5/2025	14:15	14:30	H.E. Maryam bint Ahmed Al Hammadi	Minister of State and Secretary General of the UAE Cabinet		
Qubits and statutes: Quantum tech regulation	6/5/2025	14:30	14:45	Christophe Legrand	VP	PASQAL	France
Global collaboration between justice and emerging tech governance	6/5/2025	14:45	15:15	Toshinobu Yasuhira	Director, Innovation Centre Directorate	INTERPOL	Singapore
Global collaboration between justice and emerging tech governance	6/5/2025	14:45	15:15	Mustafa Erten	Chief of UNODC Regional Center for Combatting Cybercrime	UNODC	Qatar
Global collaboration between justice and emerging tech governance	6/5/2025	14:45	15:15	Dr. Nicolas Sonder	Partner	PwC	Germany
Global call for collaboration	6/5/2025	15:15	15:30	Dr. Mohammed Abdullah Al-Ali	CEO	TRENDS Research and Advisory	UAE
Exclusive GETS insights: Global transformation roadmap	6/5/2025	15:30	15:45	Stephane Timpano	CEO	ASPIRE	UAE
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