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Economics, Business and Contemporary Issues in Social Science



**Conference Brochure**

29-30 November 2021

Istanbul, Turkey

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**Roberta V. Gatti**

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**Prof. M. Kabir Hassan**

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USA



**Robert R. Bianchi**

Middle East Institute  
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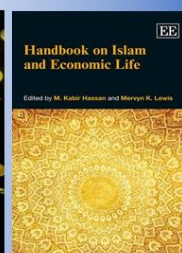
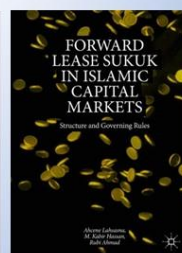
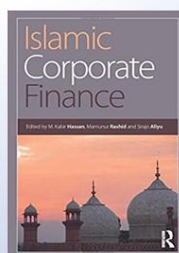
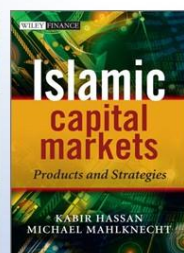
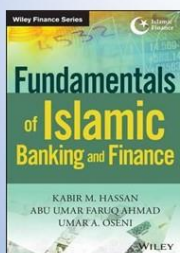
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**Keynote speaker**

**Prof. Mohammad Kabir Hassan**

**The University of New Orleans, USA**

Professor Dr. M Kabir Hassan is Professor of Finance in the Department of Economics and Finance in the University of New Orleans. He currently holds three endowed Chairs-Hibernia Professor of Economics and Finance, Hancock Whitney Chair Professor in Business, and Bank One Professor in Business- in the University of New Orleans. Professor Hassan is the winner of the 2016 Islamic Development Bank (IDB) Prize in Islamic Banking and Finance. Professor Hassan received his BA in Economics and Mathematics from Gustavus Adolphus College, Minnesota, USA, and M.A. in Economics and Ph.D. in Finance from the University of Nebraska-Lincoln, USA respectively. Dr. Hassan stood first in combined merit list in the Secondary School Certificate (SSC, equivalent to O level) in 1978 from Comilla Zilla School, Comilla, Bangladesh in 1978 and Higher Secondary Certificate (HSC, equivalent to A level) in 1980 from Comilla Victoria Government College, Comilla, Bangladesh in 1980, respectively.

## Roberta V. Gatti

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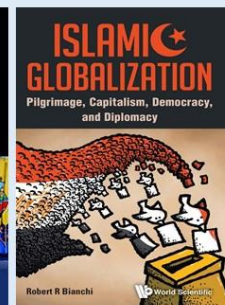
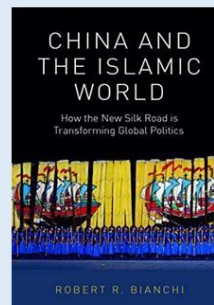
Roberta Gatti is the Chief Economist of the Middle East and North Africa (MENA) region of the World Bank. In that role, she oversees analytical work to support the Bank's operations and economic surveillance in countries in the region. In her previous capacity of Chief Economist for the Human Development practice group, she co-lead the conceptualization and release of the World Bank Human Capital Index and oversaw the Service Delivery Indicators data initiative. Roberta joined the World Bank in 1998 as a Young Professional in the Macro unit of the Development Research Group. She has since led analytical agendas on growth, firm productivity, gender, social inclusion and labor markets, including as the Global Lead for Labor policies. She has also managed teams and lending portfolios in both the MENA and the Europe and Central Asia regions.

Roberta's research is published in top field journals such as the *Journal of Public Economics*, the *Journal of Economic Growth*, and the *Journal of Development Economics*. Roberta is also the author of numerous flagship reports, including *Jobs for Shared Prosperity: Time for Action in the Middle East and North Africa*; *Being Fair, Faring Better: Promoting Equality of Opportunity for Marginalized Roma*; *The Human Capital Project*; and *The Human Capital Index 2020 Update: Human Capital in the Time of Covid-19*.

Roberta holds a B.A. from Università Bocconi and a Ph.D. in Economics from Harvard University. She has taught at Georgetown and Johns Hopkins Universities.

## Robert R. Bianchi

Robert R. Bianchi is a political scientist and an international lawyer with special interests in China and the Islamic World. He received his doctorate and law degrees at the University of Chicago. He has taught at the University of Chicago, Nanjing University, Qatar University, the American University in Cairo, and the University of Pennsylvania. He is currently writing a book about China's deepening connections with Islamic countries and their role in altering the balance of power in Afro-Eurasia and beyond. His previous books include, *Islamic Globalization: Pilgrimage, Capitalism, Democracy, and Diplomacy* (World Scientific Publishers, 2013), *Guests of God: Pilgrimage and Politics in the Islamic World* (Oxford University Press, 2004), *Unruly Corporatism: Associational Life in Twentieth-Century Egypt* (Oxford University Press, 1989), and *Interest Groups and Political Development in Turkey* (Princeton University Press, 1984).





## **CONFERENCE TOPICS**

### **Interdisciplinary & Multidisciplinary Issues**

- \* Accounting
- \* Business & Enterprise
- \* Demography & Population
- \* Economics
- \* Environment
- \* Education
- \* Entrepreneurship
- \* European Studies
- \* Finance
- \* Globalization studies
- \* International Business
- \* Internet & Social Media Studies
- \* Management
- \* Marketing
- \* Philology, Language
- \* Translation Studies
- \* Social Business
- \* Social Sciences
- \* Tourism

### **Contemporary Issues in Social Science**

- \* Global warming
- \* Global public goods
- \* Tax competition
- \* E-commerce
- \* Poverty and inequality
- \* International co-operation
- \* Global financial crisis
- \* Bologna process on education
- \* Cultural integration - migration
- \* Mass-tourism and protection of cultural heritages
- \* Regional politics-economics
- \* Factor mobility
- \* IFRC
- \* Industry 4.0
- \* X, Y, Z Generations
- \* Internet
- \* Social media
- \* Global conflicts

### **Islamic Economics, Banking, Finance and Middle East Studies**

- \* Digital Transformation and Islamic Economics
- \* Development and Islamic Economics
- \* Growth and Islamic Economics
- \* Islamic Financial Development
- \* Risk Sharing Economy
- \* Islamic Entrepreneurship, MSMEs, and Startups in Digital Economy
- \* Islamic Economics and Sustainability
- \* Islamic Banking
- \* Institutions and Islamic Economics
- \* Behavioral economics and Islamic economics
- \* Income distribution and Islamic Economics
- \* Public economics and Islamic Economics
- \* Tax Issues in Islamic Economics
- \* Interdisciplinary Studies on Islamic Economics

### **Globalization Studies:**

- \* Framework of globalization
- \* History of globalization
- \* Economic globalization
- \* Cultural globalization
- \* Political globalization
- \* Globalization and arts
- \* Globalization and new world order
- \* Sustainable growth and development
- \* Globalization and climate change
- \* Human rights and globalization
- \* Migration
- \* Global institutions
- \* Globalization and internet
- \* Globalization and sports
- \* Globalization and free trade
- \* Global warming
- \* Global public goods
- \* Tax competition
- \* E-commerce
- \* Poverty and inequality

**With the special session on: Globalization, Middle East, Islamic economics & finance**

## **DEADLINES**

<b>Submission deadline</b>	<b>Registration deadline</b>	<b>Early registration deadline</b>
<b>29 October 2021</b>	<b>29 October 2021</b>	<b>17 September 2021</b>

## **SUBMISSION**

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## **CONFERENCE FEES:**

### **Before 17 September 2021**

#### **Early registration fees:**

**Virtual participation: 200 Euro**

**Publication without participation: 200 Euro**

**Second author: 100 Euro**

**Second paper: 100 Euro**

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**Virtual participation: 250 Euro**

**Publication without participation: 250 Euro**

**Second author: 100 Euro**

**Second paper: 100 Euro**

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All papers/abstracts presented at the conference will be published in the Conference Proceedings (with ISBN).

- 1- Conference Proceedings: Book of Abstracts: 31 December 2021**
- 2- Conference Proceedings: Full Paper Series: 31 December 2021**

*Conference proceedings of MIRDEC - Masters International Research & Development Center and GLOBECOS - Global Community of Social Science Mutual Online/Virtual 5th International Academic Conference Economics, Business and Contemporary Issues in Social Science, 29-30 November 2021, Istanbul, Turkey will be published until **31 December 2021.***

- Proceeding process should be followed carefully and deadlines should be obeyed by the participants of conference proceedings.

- Full version of the papers should be submitted until **5 December 2021.** After the review/edit process, if there will be any necessary revisions, revisioned/last version of the paper should be submitted by the author according to date which will be given by the MIRDEC boards.

- All the submitted papers in the proceedings have been reviewed/edited by the reviewers/editors drawn from the scientific committee, editorial and advisory board depending on the topic, title and the subject matter of the paper.

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