

PAKISTAN TRADE OFFICE FOR OIC
CONSULATE GENERAL OF PAKISTAN
JEDDAH

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<p>(WFAIS)</p> <p>5. Organization of the Islamic Shipowners Association (OISA)</p> <p>6. Islamic Conference Youth Forum for Dialogue and Cooperation (ICYF-DC)</p> <p>7. International Union of Muslim Scouts (IUMS)</p> <p>8. Federation of Consultants from Islamic Countries (FCIC)</p> <p>9. Islamic World Academy of Sciences (IAS)</p> <p>10. General Council for Islamic Banks and Financial Institutions (GCIBFI)</p> <p>11. Federation of Contractors from Islamic Countries (FOCIC)</p> <p>12. OIC Computer Emergency Response Team (OIC-CERT)</p> <p>13. OIC Secretariat, Jeddah</p> <p>14. Statistical, Economic and Social Research and Training Centre for Islamic Countries (SESRIC)</p> <p>15. Islamic Centre for the Development of Trade (ICDT)</p> <p>16. Research Center for Islamic History, Art and Culture (IRCICA)</p> <p>17. Islamic Development Bank (IDB)</p> <p>18. Islamic Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (ISESCO)</p> <p>19. Standing Committee for Economic and</p>	<p>different sectors from OIC countries and Pakistan</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Promoting Pakistani and OIC countries fairs & conferences Conducting market studies Analyzing trade between Pakistan and OIC countries. Building relationships with trade associations and government agencies in Pakistan and OIC countries <p><u>ACTIVITIES OF THE TRADE OFFICE:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> To synchronize the trade policy techniques the trade office will act as a Coordination Office for Middle Eastern and Arabic speaking countries having common culture, language & ecology through coordinating the activities of the trade offices in the respective countries. To promote Pakistan – OIC trade and enhance Pakistan’s share in the trade and tilt them in favour of Pakistan. To enhance Pakistan's reputation as a reliable trading partner among the 	<p>18-20 May 2010</p> <p>23-28 May 2010</p> <p>25-26 May 2010</p> <p>26 May 2010</p> <p>28-29 May 2010</p> <p>8-9 June 2010</p> <p>10 June 2010</p> <p>16-18 June 2010</p> <p>21-22 June 2010</p>	<p>6th World Islamic Economic Forum (WIEF)</p> <p>1st International Conference on Architectural Heritage in the Muslim World</p> <p>Regional Workshop on Combating Terrorism, jointly with UNODC</p> <p>Stakeholders Meeting of the Dakar-Port Sudan Railway Line Project</p> <p>3rd Annual Forum of the Alliance of Civilizations</p> <p>Sub-regional Forum on the Implementation of Special Program for Development of Africa (SPDA) in Central, Eastern and Southern African Countries</p> <p>Board of Governors/Annual General Meeting of the International Islamic University Malaysia (IIUM)</p> <p>Conference on New Beginning in US-Muslim Relations</p> <p>OIC Institutions Meeting on the ‘Road Map for the Promotion of the Intra-OIC Trade’</p>	<p>Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia</p> <p>Riyadh, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia</p> <p>OIC Headquarters, Jeddah, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia</p> <p>OIC Headquarters, Jeddah, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia</p> <p>Rio de Janeiro</p> <p>Yaounde, Republic of Cameroon</p> <p>Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia</p> <p>Alexandria, Arab Republic of Egypt</p> <p>Baku, Republic of Azerbaijan</p>
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Commercial Cooperation (COMCEC)	<p>member countries of the OIC with a proactive promotional policy through Islamic Chamber of Commerce, Regional Chambers & trade bodies in the member countries.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> To develop favorable commercial relations between trading enterprises in Pakistan and member countries of the OIC. To ensure that relevant governmental bodies, commercial organizations and the Pakistani export community have up-to-date knowledge of trading condition and export prospects and opportunities in member countries of the OIC. To keep a close liaison with the standing committees of the OIC specially those dealing with Economic, Commercial and developmental matters. To report back about the decisions taken in the meetings of the subsidiary organs and committees etc of the OIC countries dealing with Economic and Commercial matters and inform concerned organizations in Pakistan about their 	23-24 June 2010	35 th Board of Governors Meeting of IDB	Baku, Republic of Azerbaijan
		24-27 June 2010	First OIC Building EXPO	Dakar, Republic of Senegal
		29 June-1 July 2010	OIC-UN Biennial General Cooperation Meeting	IRCICA, Istanbul, Republic of Turkey
		June 2010	4 th Round of Dialogue between the OIC and Switzerland	Bern
		First half of 2010	17 th Meeting of the Committee for the Coordination of Joint Islamic Action in the Field of Dawa	Sao Paulo
		28-30 September 2010	Forum on Development of Agro-food Industries in Africa	Kampala, Republic of Uganda
		September 2010	4 th International Symposium on Islamic Civilization in Volga-Ural Region	Ufa
		5-7 October 2010	4 th Islamic Conference of Environment Ministers	Tunis, Republic of Tunisia
		5-8 October 2010	26 th Session of the COMCEC	Istanbul, Republic of Turkey
		19-21 October 2010	5 th Islamic Conference Higher Education and Scientific Research Ministers	Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia
		October 2010	26 th Convocation of the International Islamic University Malaysia (IIUM)	Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia

<p>functions, activities & future prospects.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • There are a number of specialized and affiliated institutions dealing in the field of Economic, trade and Finance, which needs to be monitored on regular basis and reported back, home their activities. These includes IDB, Islamic Chamber, ISCIE, ICDT, ITFC etc. • To promote Pakistan's interest by actively working towards reducing tariff and non-tariff barriers - promote free trade agreements (FTA) among member countries while working towards an Islamic Common Market for the OIC member countries. • Introduction of Pakistani exporters to the business communities of the member countries by enhancing the relationships through bilateral visits, holding of seminars and trade shows etc in the member countries. • Rendering all possible assistance to Trade Development Authority of Pakistan in organizing trade fairs/exhibitions of Pakistani products in member countries of 	24-28 November 2010	1 st Cotton and Textile Fair of Member States	Ouagadougou, Burkina Faso
	November 2010	24 th Convocation Ceremony of the Islamic University of Technology (IUT)	Dhaka, People's Republic of Bangladesh
	10-13 December 2010	2 nd OIC Tourism Fair	Cairo, Arab Republic of Egypt
	14 December 2010	Mid-Term Review of the implementation of the OIC Ten-Year Programme of Action and the OIC Vision 1441 H for Science and Technology - COMSTECH	Islamabad, Islamic Republic of Pakistan
	15-16 December 2010	14 th General Assembly of COMSTECH	Islamabad, Islamic Republic of Pakistan
	December 2010	35 th Meeting of the Governing Board Islamic University of Technology (IUT)	Dhaka, People's Republic of Bangladesh
	Second half of 2010	Expert Group Meeting on Preparation for the COMCEC Mid-Term Review of TYPOA	Istanbul, Republic of Turkey
	Second half of 2010	Expert Group Meeting on Preparation for the COMSTECH Mid-Term Review of TYPOA	Islamabad, Islamic Republic of Pakistan
	Second half of 2010	Meeting of Projects Committee on Cotton	Casablanca, Kingdom of Morocco
	Second half of 2010	Meeting of Steering Committee on Cotton	Casablanca, Kingdom of Morocco

<p>the OIC.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Coordinating visits of individual businessmen and Trade delegations OIC member countries to Pakistan. Coordinating visits of Pakistani businessmen and official trade and other delegations to OIC member countries. Handling of trade disputes originating both from Pakistan and member countries of the OIC and to promote settlement of trade on the basis of bilateral and multilateral payment arrangements (BPAs and MPAs) Rendering necessary assistance to Pakistani exporters in connection with their problems. Collection and dissemination of necessary trade data of Pakistan and member countries of OIC. Conducting market intelligence and preparing specific product reports for the benefit of private and public sector organizations of Pakistan. Apprising the concerned authorities 	Second half of 2010	6 th Meeting of the Expert Group Entrusted with Studying the Challenges Facing the Muslim Ummah in the 21 st Century	Tehran, Islamic Republic of Iran
	Second half of 2010	International Symposium on Islam in New Zealand: Cultural Dimensions and Human Relations	Auckland
	Second half of 2010	International Symposium on Islam in Fiji: Cultural Dimensions and Human Relations	Fiji
	2010	3 rd Ministerial Conference on Women's Role in the Development of OIC Member States	Tehran, Islamic Republic of Iran
	2010	Extra-Ordinary Islamic Conference of Higher Education and Scientific Research Ministers	Riyadh, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia
	February 2011	The 22 nd Meeting of the Board of Directors of the Islamic University of Niger (IUN)	Niamey, Republic of Niger
	February 2011	22 nd Council meeting of the Islamic University in Uganda (IUIU) and 17 th Graduation Ceremony of the IUIU	Kampala, Republic of Uganda
	12-13 March 2011	Senior Officials Meeting for the 12 th Session of the Islamic	Cairo, Arab Republic of Egypt

of Government of Pakistan of the day-to-day developments in the field of trade, commerce and industry in the member countries of the OIC.

- Making systematic and organized efforts to introduce new items of export interests of Pakistan in these markets.

- Keeping complete liaison with the concerned Chambers of Commerce, Economic & Trade Ministries, TDAP, BOI, FPCCI and other public sector organizations. .

- To actively work on trade matching of buyers and sellers by working closely with relevant trade bodies, government and non-government, in member countries as well as with commercial and export - import banks.

- To protect the interest of Pakistan in the upcoming GCC Common Market, GCC Common Currency & PTA, FTA's with GCC & other regional blocks.

- To protect the countries interest in the OIC economic block & common currency.

- To represent

	Summit Conference	
14-15 March 2011	Preparatory Meeting of the Council of Foreign Ministers for the 12 th Session of the Islamic Summit Conference	Cairo, Arab Republic of Egypt
16-17 March 2011	12 th Session of the Islamic Summit Conference	Cairo, Arab Republic of Egypt
2011	3rd Islamic Conference of Health Ministers	Astana, Republic of Kazakhstan

N.B: Dates of some meetings in this Calendar are provisional and subject to modifications. Separate notification will, however, be issued by the General Secretariat for each meeting once its date and venue are finalized

	<p>Pakistan on all the forums of the OIC related to trade, finance, investment ,scientific research etc.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To work as Coordinator for the establishment of Pakistan Business and Trade Centre for the Middle Eastern and North African Muslim countries of the OIC. • Any other task entrusted by the Head of Mission / Ministry for the promotion of trade and economic relations among the member countries of the OIC. 	
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