

GLOBAL FUTURE TECH CONFERENCE - DOHA 2025

PRELIMINARY CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

(Version: 1)

This schedule is preliminary and subject to exciting additions and refinements. Full speaker details and session descriptions will be continuously updated on our website.

OPENING NIGHT – Thursday, 23rd October 2025

THEME: THE FUTURE IS NOW - WELCOME TO GFTC DOHA 2025

Time	Activity	Location	Notes
16:00 - 17:30	Pre-Opening Night VIP & Speaker Reception (Invite-Only)	Exclusive VIP Area	Early networking for key stakeholders.
17:00 - 18:00	Delegate Arrival, Registration & Welcome Drinks	Main Foyer / Reception	Music, light refreshments, initial networking.
18:00 - 18:15	Official GFTC Opening Night Welcome: Master of Ceremonies & Cultural Showcase	Main Plenary Hall	High-energy start, setting the tone.
18:15 - 18:35	Visionary Address: Doha - A Beacon for Future Technology	Main Plenary Hall	High-Level Qatari Dignitary
18:35 - 19:15	INSPIRATIONAL KEYNOTE: Shaping Tomorrow's World	Main Plenary Hall	A globally recognized thought-leader or innovator.
19:15 - 19:45	Fireside Chat: The Future of [Key Tech Trend - e.g., AI, Sustainability]	Main Plenary Hall	Engaging discussion with 2-3 prominent experts.
19:45 - 20:00	GFTC Vision & What to Expect: Conference Chair/Organizers	Main Plenary Hall	Highlighting key themes and opportunities over the next days.

20:00 - 22:30	GFTC Grand Opening Networking Reception	Expo Hall / Designated Area	Substantial F&B, live music/DJ, interactive tech demos, themed zones.
<i>Includes:</i>			
<i>- Innovation Showcase: First look at select tech exhibits</i>			
<i>- Curated Networking Zones (e.g., Investor Corner, Startup Hub)</i>			
<i>- Dessert & Coffee Stations</i>			
22:30	Opening Night Concludes		

CONFERENCE DAY 1 – Friday, 24th October 2025
THEME: IGNITING INNOVATION & GLOBAL COLLABORATION

Time	Main Stage (Plenary Hall)	Parallel Track A (AI Arena)	Parallel Track B (FinTech Futures)	Parallel Track C (Green Horizon)	Other Hubs / Activities
08:30 - 09:00	Morning Coffee, Continued Registration & Expo Opens				Expo Hall Open; Networking Lounge
09:00 - 09:15	Day 1 Welcome & Recap of Opening Night				
09:15 - 10:00	HEADLINE KEYNOTE 1: <i>The Power of Innovation to Transform Nations</i>				
10:00 - 10:30	Networking Break & Expo Visit				Expo Demos Start
10:30 - 12:00	Panel: Global Tech Governance & Policy	Workshop: Practical AI Applications	Masterclass: DeFi & CBDCs	Panel: Tech for Sustainability	Expo Stage: Startup Pitches
12:00 - 13:30	Lunch Break, Expo Visit & Themed Networking Lunches				Women in Tech Lunch; Youth Hub Meetup
13:30 - 15:00	Panel: Future of Work & Digital Education	Panel: Commercializing Space Tech	Panel: Revolutionizing EduTech	Panel: Bio-Innovation Breakthroughs	Investment Deal Room Opens;

			Expo Stage: Product Launches
15:00 -	Networking Break &		
15:30	Expo Visit		
	Fireside Chat:		
15:30 -	<i>[Prominent Global</i>		
16:30	<i>Investor/Business Mogul]</i>		
16:30 -	Day 1 Wrap-up &		
16:45	Preview of Day 2		
Evening	VIP & Speaker Dinner (Invite-Only)	Themed Networking: African Innovators Meetup	Optional: Smaller, focused dinners

CONFERENCE DAY 2 – Saturday, 25th October 2025

THEME: EMPOWERING EMERGING MARKETS & FOSTERING GROWTH

Time	Main Stage (Plenary Hall)	Parallel Track A (AgriTech Solutions)	Parallel Track B (Youth & Entrepreneurship)	Parallel Track C (Investment Focus: Africa)	Other Hubs / Activities
08:30 - 09:00	Morning Coffee & Expo Opens				Expo Hall Open
09:00 - 09:15	Day 2 Welcome & Highlights				
09:15 - 10:00	HEADLINE KEYNOTE 2: <i>[Renowned Global Innovator/Topic]</i>				
10:00 - 11:00	SPECIAL PLENARY: AFRICA RISING - LEADERSHIP FOR A DIGITAL FUTURE				
	Keynote Address: H.E. President of [African Nation 1] (To be unveiled)				
	Keynote Address: H.E. President of [African Nation 2] (To be unveiled)				
11:00 - 11:30	Networking Break & Expo Visit (High Buzz)				

11:30 - 13:00	Panel: Bridging the Digital Divide in Emerging Markets	Panel: Innovation in Agriculture	Workshop: Empowering Next-Gen Tech Leaders (Youth Hub)	Panel: Unlocking Capital in Africa's Tech	Expo Stage: Regional Startup Showcases
13:00 - 14:30	Lunch Break, Expo Visit & Investment Deal Room Continues				
14:30 - 16:00	Panel: Women in Tech: Leading Innovation (Women in Tech Hub)	Panel: Responsible AI Ethics	Panel: Building Smart Cities (MENA Focus)	Panel: Creative Tech & Culture	Tech Startup Competition Semi-Finals
16:00 - 16:30	Networking Break & Expo Visit				
16:30 - 17:30	Global Innovator Spotlight: Showcase of Impactful Tech Solutions				
19:00 onwards	GFTC CULTURAL & TECH FUSION GALA DINNER & AWARDS CEREMONY				

CONFERENCE DAY 3 – Sunday, 26th October 2025

THEME: BUILDING THE FUTURE & LASTING LEGACIES (Afternoon Focus)

Time	Main Stage (Plenary Hall)	Parallel Track A (Future Focus)	Parallel Track B (Impact & Action)	Other Hubs / Activities
Morning	<i>(No official GFTC sessions scheduled. Delegates free for informal networking, exploring Doha, or departures for some.)</i>			
13:00 - 14:00	Delegate Arrival, Afternoon Coffee & Networking. Expo Open (Final Hours)			Expo Hall Open (until 15:30)
14:00 - 14:45	HEADLINE KEYNOTE 3: <i>[Futurist/Global Policy Leader/Topic]</i>			
14:45 - 15:45	The Great Debate OR Future Forward Panel: <i>[Provocative Tech Topic / Visionary Outlook for Key Sectors]</i>	Workshop: Building Sustainable Tech Ventures	Masterclass: Tech Investment Deal for Social Good	Tech Investment Deal Room (Final Slot)
15:45 - 16:15	Networking Break & Final Expo Moments			Expo Closes during this break
16:15 - 17:00	Tech Startup Competition FINALS & Winner Announcement			
17:00 - 17:45	CLOSING KEYNOTE: A Call to Action - Building a Collaborative Tech Future - <i>[Inspiring Figure/Topic]</i>			
17:45 - 18:15	Closing Ceremony & Launch of GFTC Legacy Initiatives			

*(GFTC Global Fellowship, Innovation
Index Report, Thank Yous)*

18:15
onwards

CONFERENCE CONCLUDES

Optional: Farewell
Drinks for those
remaining
