

## Agenda

### Launch of the “Review of the Government Spending on Social Protection in Lebanon (2017-2024)”

Institut des Finances Basil Fuleihan  
July 8, 2025

#### Time

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| 9:30 - 9:35   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Welcome note from the Institut des Finances Basil Fuleihan</li><li>▪ Lebanese National Anthem</li></ul>   |
| 9:35 – 10:00  | <p><b>Opening Remarks</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Dr. Ruba Jaradat, ILO Regional Director for Arab States</li><li>▪ Ms. Alessandra Viezzer, EU Delegation Head of Cooperation</li><li>▪ Mr. Yassine Jaber, Minister of Finance</li></ul>  |
| 10:00 - 10:15 | <p><b>Presentation of the report’s findings</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Ms. Sabine Hatem, Chief Economist and Director of Cooperation and Partnerships at Institut des Finances Basil Fuleihan</li></ul>  |
| 10:15 - 11:00 | <p><b>Discussion Panel: “Between Strengthening Social Protection and Fiscal Sustainability”</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Ms. Haneen Sayed, Minister of Social Affairs</li><li>▪ Mr. Marcoluigi Corsi, UNICEF Representative in Lebanon</li><li>▪ Mr. Frederico Lima, IMF Resident Representative for Lebanon</li><li>▪ Ms. Lamia Moubayed Bissat, President of the Institut des Finances Basil Fuleihan</li></ul> <p><b>Moderator:</b> Ms. Rania Eghnatios, Social Protection Specialist</p> |