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Innovating for Impact: Integrating Knowledge, People and Technology for a Sustainable Future

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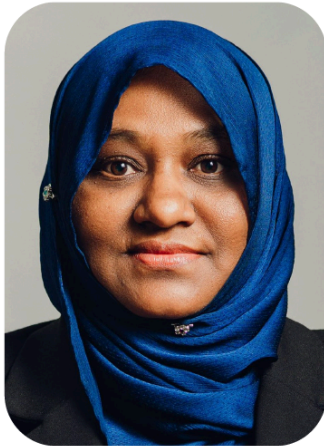
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Welcome Message

It is my great pleasure to welcome you to the International Conference on Technology, Humanities and Management (ICTHM 2026), hosted by Zikura International College.

ICTHM 2026 brings together scholars, researchers, practitioners and policymakers from diverse backgrounds to share knowledge, exchange ideas and explore innovative approaches to the challenges and opportunities shaping our world today. Guided by this year's theme, "Innovating for Impact: Integrating Knowledge, People and Technology for a Sustainable Future," the conference aims to foster meaningful dialogue and interdisciplinary collaboration.

I sincerely thank all participants, keynote speakers and panelists for their valuable contributions to this conference. Your presence and engagement enrich the academic discourse and strengthen our shared commitment to knowledge, innovation and sustainable development.

I wish you a productive, insightful and rewarding conference experience.

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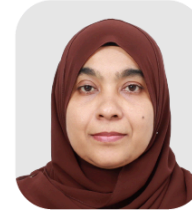
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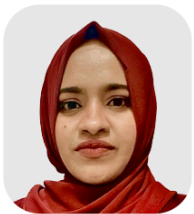
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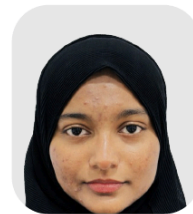
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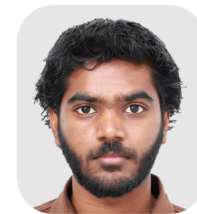
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Programme Schedule

Day 1 - Sunday 24 th May 2026	
8.00am - 8.45am	Registration
8.45am - 9.00am	Opening Session
9.00am - 9.15am	Welcome Speech Mr. Ahmed Nafees Rector Zikura International College
9.15am - 9.30am	Inaugurating the Conference and Officiating Speech Chief Guest Ms. Aneesa Ahmed
9.30am - 10.00am	Keynote Address I Dr. S. M. Ferdous Azam Associate Professor Management Science University, Malaysia “From Innovation to Impact: Bridging Technology People and Policy for a Sustainable Future”

Day 1 - Sunday 24 th May 2026	
10.00am - 10.15am	Group Photo
10.15am - 10.30am	Break
10.30am - 11.30am	<p>Panel Discussion I Mr. Ismail Rafeeq, Mayor of Fuvahmulah City Dr. Hajah Dalila Daud, Senior Lecturer Dr. Fathimath Shafeeqa, Director</p> <p>“AI, Human-Centered Innovation & Sustainable Impact”</p>
11.30am - 12.00pm	<p>Keynote Address II Mr. Hassan Mohamed Managing Partner Crowe Maldives LLP</p> <p>“How to Kill Innovation: When Fear of Failure Becomes Strategic Failure”</p>
12.00pm - 1.30pm	Lunch Break
1.30pm - 2.00pm	<p>Keynote Address III Mr. Afeef Hussain Executive Coach The John Maxwell Team</p> <p>“Regenerative Leadership: From Performance to Positive Impact”</p>

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2.00pm - 2.30pm	Keynote Address IV Dr. Elif Baykal Head of Business Administration Department Istanbul Medipol University, Turkey “Leadership Beyond Hierarchy: Designing Organizations Where People and Technology Co-Evolve”
2.30pm - 3.30pm	Parallel Session I
3.30pm - 4.00pm	Break
4.00pm - 6.00pm	Parallel Session II
6.00pm	End of Day 1

Parallel Session

(Face-to-Face & Online Conference)

Note: Room 3 & 4 will only carryout Online Sessions

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PARALLEL SESSION I				
	Room 1	Room 2	Room 3 ONLINE	Room 4 ONLINE
2.30pm - 3.30pm	<p>Moderator: Dr. Fathimath Shafeeqa Assessor: Ahmed Shammam Ameen Time keeper: Ali Saail Saeed</p>	<p>Moderator: Muhammad Najmuddin Assessor: Mariyam Aneela Time keeper: Rafha Ahmed Mohamed</p>	<p>Moderator: Aishath Shazna Assessor: Yumna Faiz Time keeper: Eanas Abdulla</p>	<p>Moderator: Dr. Abdulla Rasheed Ahmed Assessor: Aishath Maasha Hameed Time keeper: Fathimath Alya Ibrahim</p>
	<p>13 Acceptance of Digital Waqf Among Students Perceived Socioeconomic Growth</p> <p>Dr. Dalila Daud</p>	<p>2 Understanding Student Dropout in Maldives' Higher Education Institutions; A Student-Centered Analysis Using Tinto's Model</p> <p>Fathimath Sharufa Mohamed</p>	<p>1 Investigating the Relationship Among Self, Support, Situation, and Strategies With Entrepreneurial Intention of Business Students in the Maldives</p> <p>Ali Asim</p>	<p>17 The Strategic Role of Feedback Culture in Business Management: A Qualitative Study From a Managerial Perspective</p> <p>Dr. Şenay Çaylan</p>
	<p>18 Institutionalising Integrity in Statutory Bodies: Descriptive Evidence From Malaysia</p> <p>Dr. Nurhidayah Yahya</p>	<p>3 Work-Life Balance Among Female Employees in a Maldivian Public Institution: A Case Study</p> <p>Hawwa Noora Abdul Azeed</p>	<p>11 <i>مهمية التعليم في التنمية المستدامة: دراسة حالة من دولة الإمارات العربية المتحدة</i></p> <p>Shafeenaz Nasir</p>	<p>16 Quantum State Transitions and Liquidity Singularities: Modeling the 2026 Natural Gas Case</p> <p>Dr. Mustafa Hakan SALDI</p>
	<p>31 A Baseline Relationship Between Illicit Financial Flows and Economic Growth in Selected Oic Countries</p> <p>Nur Fadhlina Zainal Abedin</p>	<p>20 Exploring Parents' Preferences in Choosing Schools for Their Children: A Case of Fuvahmulah City, Maldives</p> <p>Aishath Nabeela</p>	<p>10 Understanding and Assessing Criminal Pathways Of a Selected City in Maldives: The When, Why and How</p> <p>Fathimath Zaina Shahid</p>	<p>40 Sustainable Tourism and circular Economy in The Maldives: Structural Resilience Under Middle East Geopolitical Shock</p> <p>Hinna Khalid</p>

4.00pm - 6.00pm	<p>15 Stylised Facts On Illicit Financial Flows, Institutional Quality and Economic Growth in Selected OIC Countries</p> <p>Nur Fadhlna Zainal Abedin</p>	<p>33 Knowledge, Attitude, and Practice of Exclusive Breastfeeding Among First-Time Mothers Living in Addu City</p> <p>Mariyam Zulfa</p>	<p>5 Exploring Cultural Impacts of Foreign Labor in a Muslim Maldivian Island Community</p> <p>Akram Ali</p>	<p>34 Exploring The Role of Governance Disclosure on Curbing Artificial Income Smoothing: Evidence From Malaysian Public Listed Companies</p> <p>Nursyuhada Binti Mohd Taib</p>
	<p>8 Assessing the Relationship Between Routine Activity Theory and Online Fraud in Maldivian E-Commerce Platforms</p> <p>Vishah Mohamed Ali</p>	<p>14 Islamic Understanding and Application in Life among College and University Students in Maldives.</p> <p>Ahmed Raaiu Bashyr</p>	<p>24 Exploring The Effectiveness of Government Loan Scheme on Entrepreneurial Success of Borrowers in Male' Region</p> <p>Aishath Naseera</p>	<p>35 Does Organizational Readiness Reduce Fraud? Evidence From Cloud Accounting Adoption in SMES</p> <p>Budi Septiawan</p>
	<p>6 A study on Motivational Factors and Talent Retention in Maldives Electricity Industry</p> <p>Dr. Aishath Faseeha Mohamed</p>	<p>39 The Effect of Distributed Leadership Practices On Teacher Self-Efficacy in Selected Schools of Maldives</p> <p>Waleeda Mohamed</p>	<p>9 Client Satisfaction and Perception Towards Healthcare Services at Ungoofaaruu Regional Hospital</p> <p>Mohamed Amir</p>	<p>36 Formal Board Degree Centrality and Esg Performance: Does Board Gender Diversity Strengthen The Relationship in Malaysian Shariah-Compliant Companies?</p> <p>Mohd Fahmee Bahaudin</p>
	<p>32 Evolution Of Anti-Money Laundering Theories: a Theoretical Review</p> <p>Fathimath Sharufa Mohamed</p>	<p>12 Work Flexibility And Perceived Organizational Support as Determinants Of Employee Engagement in the Maldives Civil Service</p> <p>Kiram Ahmed</p>	<p>30 Exploring The Public-Perceptions of The Alignment Between Socioeconomic Projects and Community Expectations: A Case Study Of Ha. Uligan</p> <p>Saifulla Idrees</p>	<p>38 The Hidden Path to Judgment Performance: How Political Influence Shapes Audit Risk Assessment</p> <p>Novianti Nurlita</p>

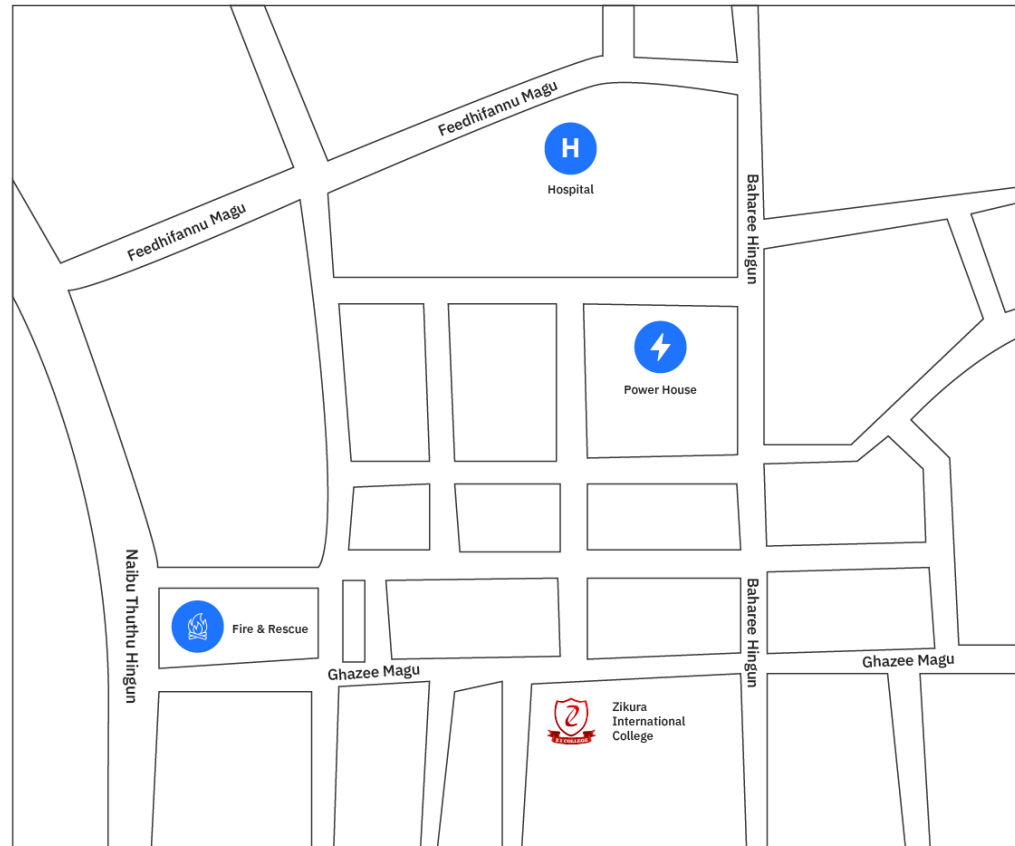
4.00pm - 6.00pm	<p>7 Transformational Leadership and Success Factors in Implementing Dual Language Programs in Malé Public Schools</p> <p>Mavee Mufeed</p>		<p>4 Socio-Economic and Legal Concerns Of Foreign Laborers in The Maldives: An Exploratory Study Of The Construction Sector In Male'</p> <p>Rasfa Saeed</p>	<p>37 When Innovation Does Not Translate: Explaining The Regulatory Publication Gap In Blockchain-Based Public Sector Accounting</p> <p>Antares Firman</p>
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Day 2 - Monday 25 th May 2026	
8.45am - 9.00am	Opening Session
9.00am - 9.15am	Welcome Speech Dr. Nurhidayah Yahya Senior Lecturer Universiti Teknologi MARA, Malaysia
9.15am - 9.45am	Keynote Address V Assoc. Prof. Dr. Norziation Ismail Khan Head of Postgraduate Studies University Teknologi MARA, Malaysia “Guarding the Gate: Law Firms Facilitations and Dirty Money Risks”
9.45am - 10.15am	Keynote Address VI Ms. Mariyam Fizanaa Rashyd Chief Executive Officer Maldives Qualification Authority “Cognitive Cost of Convenience: Is AI Gradually Replacing Human Intelligence”

Day 2 - Monday 25 th May 2026	
10.15am - 10.45am	<p>Keynote Address VII Dr. Mohamed Faizal Former Secretary General National Pay Commission, Maldives</p> <p>“Towards A Public Service Pay Framework for Sustainable Impact: Integrating Policy Knowledge, Human Capital and Systematic Reform in the Maldives”</p>
10.45am - 10.55pm	Break
11.00am - 12.00pm	<p>Panel Discussion II Uza. Thasleema Usman, Commissioner of Quality Assurance Dr Nurhidayah Yahya, Senior Lecturer Dr. Abdulla Rasheed, Assistant Professor</p> <p>“Governance, Quality & Accountability in Innovation & Sustainability Ethics and Future-Oriented Decision Making”</p>
12.00pm - 1.30pm	Lunch Break
1.30pm - 3.30pm	<p>Certificate Awarding & Closing Ceremony Closing Speech for the Day, Mr. Ismail Rafeeq Mayor of Fuvahmulah City</p>

Venue Map



Nearest Hospital: Fuvahmulah Regional Hospital

Note: First Aid Staff Present on Sight

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- 686-0658 (Hospital)
- 686-9118 (Fire)
- 686-5001 (Council)
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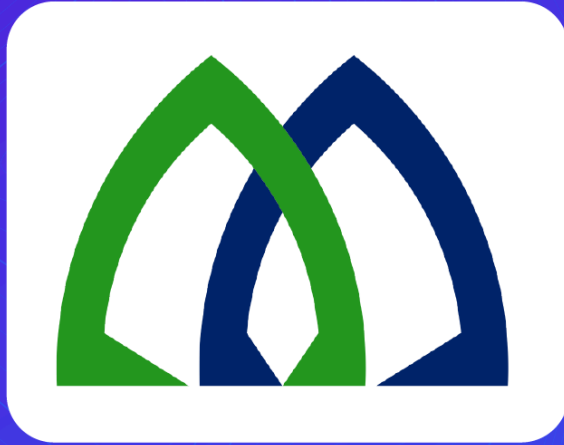
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- 919-5551

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- 940-0049 (White Collar)
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