



IIBI Lecture Programme (Thursday, 13th May 2004)

Topic: Establishing Islamic Retail banking in the Western world

4.30 pm: Registration & coffee

4.45 pm: Presentation

Chairman:

Warren Edwardes CEO of Delphi Risk Management Limited

Background of speaker:

Delphi is a London-based financial product innovation and risk consultancy. Edwardes' experience and expertise has included Islamic and non-Islamic work as an employee and Director from corporate treasury in British Gas and Actuarial at Equitable Life and the UK Government Actuary's Department to Bank Asset/Liability management and product development at Barclays and Midland and finally on the Board of the British merchant bank, Charterhouse Bank as Director, Financial Engineering.

Edwardes has been involved with Islamic Banking since 1985 and is Fellow, Publications Advisor and Board Governor of The Institute of Islamic Banking and Insurance.

Speaker:

Michael Hanlon, Managing Director, Islamic House of Britain, UK

Background of speaker:

Michael Hanlon has a total of 38 years commercial banking experience, most of this in the retail area. He spent 34 years with Barclays Bank Plc in the UK, where he held a number of Senior Management and Senior Executive appointments, including Regional Director for the Bank's retail banking in Central London. Later, he joined the Raiffeisen Banking Group of Austria as Managing Director for retail banking at the bank's Polish subsidiary, Raiffeisen Bank Polska SA, and where he was responsible for the creation and development of a retail banking capability in the Polish bank.

Michael joined the Islamic House of Britain in April 2003 and as Managing Director where he has the responsibility of creating what is likely to be the very first Sharia compliant retail banking business in both the UK and Western Europe

Q & A

6.00pm End of lecture & Refreshments

Thank you for coming



Next IIBI lecture:

Date: Thursday 10th June 2004 @ 4.30 pm

Speaker: Suleiman Dualeh, Managing Director, Integrated Property Investment Ltd, UK (Managers of Beacon 1 Limited Partnership Fund – the country's first property investment product structured to adhere to Islamic law. Investing in commercial property across the UK, the fund is aiming to deliver an annual yield of 7.5% throughout its seven-year life).