

PROGRAM OF THE XVII INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC FORUM "RUSSIA - THE ISLAMIC WORLD: KAZANFORUM" 2026
Kazan Expo International Exhibition Center

May 12, 2026 (Tuesday)

Kazan Halal Market International Trade Fair (Agro-industrial park "Kazan")

May 13, 2026 (Wednesday)

Industrial excursions in 5 main directions

Official opening of the Kazan Halal Market International Trade Fair (Agro-industrial park "Kazan")

The 14th Meeting of the Russian-Indonesian Joint Commission on Trade, Economic and Technical Cooperation (Kazan Town Hall)

Time	Islamic Finance and Investments	State and Power	Economy	Culture	Business Associations	Education	Youth Forum	International Property Market	IT Zone
11:00-12:00	Official opening of the Kazan Halal Market International Trade Fair (Agro-industrial park "Kazan")								
11:00-12:00	Industrial excursions in 5 main directions								
10:00-11:30	C1. B2B meetings	E1. Public Procurement: New Challenges and Exchange of Experiences (ANO DPO "SibIGMU", State Procurement Committee of the Republic of Tatarstan)	F1. Cultural diversity as a factor in the development of human rights: finding a language of trust for building effective communication (Office of the Human Rights Commissioner in the Republic of Tatarstan)	G1. International partnership in the field of culture: from educational programs to joint creative projects (KazGIK)	H1. Russia-Saudi Arabia Business Bridge: Pitch Session (Opora Russia)	I1. II Russian-Pakistani International Conference "Evolution of Russian-Pakistani Relations in the Context of a Changing World Order" (KFU)	J1. New formats of academic interaction between Russia and OIC countries (KFU)	P1. Collective Investments: Closed-End Real Estate Mutual Funds as a Driver of Sustainable Development in the Construction Industry	N1. Opening of the IT Zone
11:30-13:00	C2. Islamic FINTECH: Modern Approaches and Prospects (RII)	E2. B2B meetings	F2. Standard of living of the population: modern challenges and development vectors (Ministry of Labor of the Republic of Tatarstan)	G2. Muslim historical and cultural heritage: a driver of regional economic development and international tourism (Academy of Sciences of the Republic of Tatarstan)	H2. Cultural code - the basis for mutual understanding with foreign partners (Opora Russia)	I2. II Russian-Pakistani International Conference "Evolution of Russian-Pakistani Relations in the Context of a Changing World Order" (KFU)	J2. First meeting of the Working Group on Science and Higher Education between the Russian Federation and the OIC (Ministry of Education and Science of Russia)	P2. Unmanned Aircraft Systems: Russia's Comprehensive Proposal for Islamic Countries (ANO "Federal Center for Unmanned Aircraft Systems")	N2. Healthy Generations as Strategic Capital of the Islamic World (BARS Group JSC)
14:30-15:00	C3. Strategic co-investment pool: hybrid partnership models (IVF RT)	E3. The role of anti-corruption policy in the development of public administration and the economy (Office of the Head of the Republic of Tatarstan on Anti-Corruption Policy)	F3. Current issues of the Islamic financial model (Lomonosov Moscow State University)	G3. Circular Bioeconomy: Halal and Organic as Drivers of Innovation (KSAU)	H3. Human Capital for Foreign Economic Activity: Training Specialists for Partnership between Russia and the Islamic World (RUDN University)	I3. II Russian-Pakistani International Conference "Evolution of Russian-Pakistani Relations in the Context of a Changing World Order" (KFU)	J3. Humanitarian presence in the Islamic world - new instruments (Rossotrudnichestvo)	P3. B2B meetings	N3. Export of IT solutions and development of digital partnerships (Ministry of Digital Development of the Republic of Tatarstan)

Modest Fashion Day (KRR "Pyramid")

Business negotiations in the boutique format "Halal Reception"

May 14, 2026 (Thursday)

All-Russian Management Competition "Leaders of the Construction Industry" (Cluster A, Pavilion 3, 1st floor)

Congress of Ministers of Culture of the Organization of Islamic Cooperation (Kazan Town Hall)

Meeting of the Co-Chairs of the Intergovernmental Russian-Turkmen Commission on Economic Cooperation

Time	International Cooperation	Islamic Finance and Investments	State and Power	Transport	Economy	Halal Industry	Business Associations	Education	Youth Forum	Media Activities	Female Perspective	IT Zone	International Property Market					
10:00-11:30	A4. Meeting of the Co-Chairs of the Intergovernmental Russian-Kyrgyz Commission on Trade, Economic, Scientific, Technical and Humanitarian Cooperation	B4. Meeting of the Working Group on Transport of the Russian-Turkish Joint Intergovernmental Commission on Trade and Economic Cooperation	C4. Human Resources for Islamic Finance: How to Grow Talent for a New Industry (Kadyrov Chechen State University)	D4. Opening of the RIEF: Partnership Financing: Industry Management and Development (Sberbank PJSC)	E4. Congress of Prosecutor General's Offices of the OIC Countries (Prosecutor General's Office of the Russian Federation)	F4. Caspian Cooperation: Russia's Role in the Development of Islamic Initiatives (North-South Club)	G4. International Association of SEZs as a driver of the BRICS 2030 Strategy (Association of Clusters, Technology Parks, and SEZs of Russia)	H4. Halal Product Logistics: Market Requirements and Practical Export Solutions (FESCO)	I4. Tourism as a tool for economic cooperation between Russia and OIC countries: from industrial routes to investment projects (Chamber of Commerce and Industry of the Russian Federation)	J4. Cooperation between Russia and the Islamic world in the field of science and higher education (Ministry of Education and Science of Russia, Kazan Federal University)	K4. Horizontal Diplomacy and the International Association of Young Diplomats. Long-Term Friendship Strategy (Council of Young Diplomats, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Tatarstan, AMD)	L4. Media cooperation: Russia - Islamic world (Tatmedia, GSV "RIM")	M4. Women of the Islamic World: Entrepreneurship and Economics in the Age of Artificial Intelligence (Marhamet - Mercy)	N4. Acceleration program: educational block 2 (Ministry of Digital Development of the Republic of Tatarstan)	O4. Project defense and presentation	P4. Earth in Digital: Geographic Information Systems and Platform Solutions for Territorial Management in Russia and the Islamic World (Rosreestr)	Q4. Shaping the Future: A New Look for Housing and Utilities (Ministry of Construction of Russia)	
11:30-13:00	Lunch in the format of bilateral meetings																	
13:00-14:30	A5. Round table "Russia - Ghana" (Ghana-Russian Trade and Relations Center)	B5. Round table "Russia - Indonesia" (Ministry of Economic Development of Russia)	C5. Russia's Economy: New Challenges and Opportunities in the Era of Sanctions and Platforms (Financial University under the Government of the Russian Federation)	D5. Partnership Finance in Russia: Business Experience and Development Prospects (Sberbank)	E5. Congress of Prosecutor General's Offices of the OIC Countries (Prosecutor General's Office of the Russian Federation)	F5. Digital Transport of the Future: Intelligent Transportation and Autonomous Technologies (Ministry of Transport of Russia)	G5. Greater Eurasian Partnership Development Strategy (RGSV "RIM", Russian Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Ministry of Economic Development, Russian Presidential Academy of National Economy and Public Administration)	H5. Export of Russian halal products: an impetus for developing new markets (Russian Ministry of Agriculture)	I5. Creative Economy: New Export Brands, Industries, and Growth Points (Chamber of Commerce and Industry of the Russian Federation)	J5. B2B meetings	K5. Diplomacy in the Digital Age (Council of Young Diplomats, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Tatarstan, AMD)	L5. Cinema of Islamic countries in a multicultural paradigm (Ministry of Culture of the Republic of Tatarstan)	M5. Women's Career Trajectories: Opportunities, Challenges, and Development Prospects (Marhamet - Mercy)	N5. Pitch session (Ministry of Digital Development of the Republic of Tatarstan)	O5. Project Defense and Presentation	P5. Territories of the 21st Century: From Global Trends to Integrated Development (Ministry of Construction of Russia, Association MART)	Q5. Comfortably by the Water: Yachting Tourism as a Driver of Regional Development (Unified Institute of Spatial Planning of the Russian Federation)	
14:30-15:00	Break																	
15:00-17:00	A6. From Food Security to Systemic Resilience: The Role of Russia and the UAE (REDS)	B6. Cultural diplomacy as a tool for bringing Russia and Africa closer together (Center for Public Diplomacy)	C6. Islamic finance in the petrochemical industry: common challenges, results, and opportunities for Russia and OIC countries (Tatneftekhiminvest-holding)	D6. Islamic Finance in the Digital Age: Technologies Transforming the Industry (Sberbank)	E6. State audit: a strategic partner in performance management for sustainable economic growth (Accounts Chamber of Russia)	F6. Investment cooperation with OIC member countries, countries of the Caspian basin and the Asia-Pacific region (Ministry of Transport of Russia)	G6. Export of medical services (Russian Ministry of Health)	H6. Halal products in Russia: certification and entry into foreign markets (Federal Accreditation Service)	I6. International Commercial Arbitration: Trust, Investment, and New Legal Architectures (Chamber of Commerce and Industry of the Russian Federation)	J6. B2B meetings	K6. Closing ceremony of the 10th OIC Forum of Young Diplomats	L6. The Heritage of Islam in the Context of Intercultural Interaction: The Role of Museums in the Modern World (Ministry of Culture of the Republic of Tatarstan)	M6. Expanding the Horizons of Cooperation between Women Entrepreneurs (Based on the Prospects for Cooperation between OIC Women and Women from BRICS, ASEAN, and SCO International Organizations) (Marhamet - Mercy)	N6. International Cooperation in Higher and Continuing Education: Russia and the Islamic World (Innopolis University)	O5.1. International industry cooperation - infrastructure of creation: plans, projects, solutions, technologies	P5.1. B2B meetings	Q5.1. B2B meetings	P6. Plenary session: "Artificial Intelligence - New Efficiency in the Construction Industry" (Ministry of Construction of Russia)
17:00-18:00	Meeting of Ambassadors Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of Foreign States in Russia (IEC "Kazan Expo")																	
18:00-20:00	The opening ceremony of the year "Kazan - the Cultural Capital of the Islamic World 2026." A reception hosted by the Government of the Republic of Tatarstan on the occasion of the 17th International Economic Forum "Russia - Islamic World: KazanForum" (Admission strictly by invitation)																	

May 15, 2026 (Friday)

Meeting of the Russia-Islamic World Strategic Vision Group (I park named after Bashir Ramzeev)

Business breakfast for investors hosted by the Ministry of Construction, Housing and Communal Services of the Russian Federation (Kazan Expo IEC, Lounge A)

ISESCO General Assembly

Time	International Cooperation	Islamic Finance and Investments	Industrial Dialogue	Medicine	Sport	Business Associations	Education	Youth Forum	Culture	Female Perspective	IT Zone	International Property Market					
10:00-11:30	A7. 3rd meeting of the Russian-Malaysian working group on tourism (Ministry of Economic Development of Russia)	B7. Business Dialogue "Russia - Qatar" (Business Russia)	C7. The Role of the Capital Market in Financing the Economy: Challenges and Opportunities (Bank of Russia)	D7. Islamic Finance in Russia, the CIS and Other Countries (AAOIFI)	F7. Russia - Islamic World: Cooperation in Unmanned Aerial Systems (Russian Ministry of Industry and Trade)	G7. Artificial Intelligence in Medicine: From Scientific Foresight to Clinical Applicability at the International Level (Innopolis University)	H7. Meeting of the Working Group on the Development of Sports Cooperation of States Participating in the Dialogue on Cooperation in the DSA (Ministry of Sport of the Russian Federation)	I7. Round table: "Russia - MENA. Innovative Development of the Creative Economy" (ASI)	J7. Successes and Prospects of Youth Programs in Islamic Countries: Tourism, Leadership, and Higher Education (Ministry of Education and Science of Russia)	K7. Entrepreneurship in the OIS space - trends and opportunities for the new generation (Ministry of Culture of the Republic of Tatarstan, AMD)	L7. Living Heritage: Dialogue of Cultures in the Age of Globalization - from Identification to International Recognition (Ministry of Culture of the Republic of Tatarstan)	M7. Women in the Economy: Vectors of International Cooperation (Eurasian Women's Forum Council)	N7. B2B meetings	O7. Session "Technical Customer"	P7. Labor productivity in construction and housing and communal services (Ministry of Construction of Russia, NOSTROY ASSOCIATION, NISF RAACS)	Q7. Earthquake-Safe Construction for the Benefit of the Islamic World (Research Center for Construction)	
11:30-13:00	Lunch in the format of bilateral meetings/Jumu'a prayer																
13:00-14:30	A8. Russia - Malaysia: Opportunities for Cooperation in the Creative Industries (Ministry of Economic Development of the Russian Federation)	B8. Trade and Industrial Dialogue "Russia-Arab World" (RADS)	C8. Partnership financing as a driver of infrastructure development and sustainable growth (Bank of Russia)	D8. Sukuk in Islamic Finance (AAOIFI)	F8. Made in Russia. Developing formats for promoting Russian products in the Islamic world (REC)	G8. Fundamental Science and the Global Biomedicine and Biopharmaceutical Market (Ministry of Health of the Republic of Tatarstan, StemTek LLC)	H8. Conference on the Development of Equestrian Sports	I8. Nature is the basis for the formation of technological alliances between Russia and the Islamic world (ASI)	J8. Bioeconomy - a driver of regional development (Ministry of Education and Science of Russia)	K8. Project presentation, expert feedback. Forum summary (Ministry of Culture of the Republic of Tatarstan, AMD)	L8. New cultural communication in the social media sphere	M8. The Women's Factor in Economic Growth: Family, Society, and the Future (Women's Union of Russia)	N8. B2B meetings	O8. Session "Leaders of Digital Change"	P8. Building the Future: Digital Transformation of the Construction Industry (Ministry of Construction of Russia)	Q8. World architecture and construction: traditions and trends (Ministry of Construction of Russia)	
14:30-15:00	Ceremonial announcement and award ceremony for the winners of the industry track of the VI All-Russian industry competition for managers "Leaders of the Construction Industry"																
15:30-17:00	PLENARY SESSION "FROM POINTS ON THE MAP TO POINTS OF GROWTH: UNITING TECHNOLOGICAL AND FINANCIAL INITIATIVES" (IEC "Kazan Expo", hall named after I. Shakirov)																
18:00-20:00	Gala dinner for participants of the XVII International Economic Forum "Russia - Islamic World: KazanForum" (Admission strictly by invitation)																

May 16, 2026 (Saturday)

UNESCO World Heritage Site Tours: Kazan City Tour with a Visit to the Kazan Kremlin and the Island City of Sviyazhsk

The 16th All-Russian Forum of Tatar Religious Figures "National Identity and Religion"

Horse racing (Kazan Hippodrome)

May 17, 2026 (Sunday)

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