

United Arab Emirates

Dubai, Sharjah, Abu Dhabi



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Tuesday, May 16 th Dubai	Wednesday, May 17 th Dubai	Thursday, May 18 th Sharjah	Friday, May 19 th Dubai	Saturday, May 20 th Dubai	Sunday, May 21 st Abu Dhabi
<p>Meet and Greet Dubai International Airport</p> <p>Check-in to Hotel: XVA Art Hotel</p>	<p>Breakfast at the hotel</p> <p>11:00 am-3:00 pm Meetings with ORC</p>	<p>Breakfast at the hotel</p> <p>8:30 am Bus Departs To Sharjah</p> <p>10:00 am – 12:00 pm Barjeel Art Museum Tour and meeting with HH Sheikh Sultan</p>	<p>Breakfast at the hotel</p> <p>10:00 am – 12:00 pm Dubai Museum</p>	<p>Breakfast at the hotel</p> <p>Visit JBR and Beach Activities</p>	<p>Breakfast at hotel 8 am Bus Departs Masdar City</p> <p>10:00 am – 12:00 pm Tour of Masdar City</p>
	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch at Masdar City
	<p>Meeting with Nabil Khatib TBD</p>	<p>Meeting with Woman Activist TBD</p> <p>Group Discussions</p>	<p>1:00 pm – 3:00 pm Visit Burj Khalifa and free time at Dubai Mall</p>	<p>Tour of the Palm and Creek Harbour</p>	<p>1:30 pm Bus Departs Sheikh Zayed Grand Mosque</p> <p>2:30 pm-3:30 pm Guided Tour of Sheikh Zayed Grand Mosque</p> <p>Bus Departs to Dubai</p>
	Visit to Mall of the Emirates	Dinner at Ustadi Iranian	Dinner at Wafi Gourmet	Free time	Dinner at XVA

Monday,
May 22nd
Dubai

Breakfast at the hotel

Check out of Hotel TBD

Bus Departs

Dubai International Airport

Lunch

Oman Itinerary 2017

Monday 22nd. May Morning - Arrival from Istanbul, 9.10 am Flight # ?

We'll be at the airport with Talal to welcome the group to Muscat and escort them to their hotel - the Grand Hormuz Hotel (heavily subsidized accommodation supported by the hotel owners) opposite the Airport.

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11.00 a.m - Welcome buffet brunch at Grand Hormuz hosted by Dr. P Mohammed P Ali & his son, Mohiuddin - owners of the hotel and www.galfar.com and author of a book about entrepreneurship.

1.00 pm - Road orientation tour of Muscat, Royal Opera House, New National Museum, Alam Palace and Parliament Building ending up at Muttrah Souk. Supper TBC

Tuesday 23rd. May -

9.00 - 12 noon - Orientation with Ahmed Al Mukaini, former expert with the Oman State Council.

Lunch TBC - afternoon free

7pm Traditional Omani welcome dinner - hosted by HE Sheikh Abdulla Al-Rowas, with US Ambassador and Former US Ambassador, Richard Baltimore & Qatar Ambassador to Oman and former Deputy Foreign Minister, British Ambassador etc.

Wednesday 24th. May

9 am - Grand Mosque guided tour and talk.

12 noon - Vegetarian lunch with Sheikh Abdulla A- Araiimi and Omani guests

2.00 pm - bus to Nizwa. Overnight visit to Jebal Aktar plateau - arriving before 6 pm. Overnight bags - suitcases will be left in custody of hotel.

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(Managed By Shanfari Hotels & Resorts)

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Thursday 25th. May - Jebal Akhtar - trekking & free time for discussion.

Three hour drive to Muscat

8.50 pm - Departure Flight # ?

Amman, Petra, Wadi Rum, Ramallah

Thursday, May 25 th Amman	Friday, May 26 th Petra	Saturday, May 27 th Wadi Rum	Sunday, May 28 th Wadi Rum, Amman	Monday, May 29 th Amman	Tuesday, May 30 th Amman
		Ramadan	Ramadan	Ramadan	Ramadan
Group Transfer from the Airport	Breakfast at the hotel 8:00 am Check out of Hotel 8:45 am Bus Departs Petra 11:00 am Check in to Hotel: Movenpick Hotel	Breakfast at the hotel Morning Walk into Petra Petra Activities Check out of Hotel	Breakfast at the hotel 5:30 am Sunrise and Wadi Rum Activities 11:00 am Check out of Camp 12:00 pm Bus Departs Amman	Breakfast at the Hotel 10:00am King Hussien Business Park with Emil Qubaisi	Breakfast at the hotel Check out of Hotel City tour Peter Bartu Meetings
	Lunch at the Hotel	Ramadan			
Check-in to Hotel: La Locanda Boutique Hotel Check-in time 11:40 pm	2:00 pm – 8:00 pm Walking tour of Petra	2:00 pm Bus Departs Wadi Rum 3:00 pm Check in at Camp Beit Ali Camp Activities at Wadi Rum Sunset Tour Wadi Rum	3:30 pm Kings Academy TBD Dr. John Austin 5:30pm Check in to hotel: La Locanda Boutique Hotel Group Discussion	Queen Rania Center for Entrepreneurship (Princess Sumaya University for Technology – Jubeha area) Dr. Abdulrahim Abul Basal	5:00 pm Bus Departs Queen Alia International Airport 11:00pm Group Transfer from the Airport
		Zarb Iftar	Iftar	Iftar	Iftar

Wednesday, May 31 st Ramallah	Thursday, June 1 st Amman, Ramallah	Friday, June 2 nd Amman, Ramallah
Ramadan	Ramadan	Ramadan
<p>1:30am Check in to Hotel</p> <p>Al Jalazun Refugee Camp TBD</p> <p>Visit to Rawabi TBD</p>	<p>Breakfast at the hotel</p> <p>Meeting with Mr. Qaraeen TBD</p> <p>Meeting with Khalil Chakaki TBD</p>	<p>Breakfast at the hotel</p> <p>Check out of the Hotel</p>
<p>Meeting with Mr. Khatib TBD</p>		

IBRAHIM STUDENT LEADERSHIP & DIALOGUE PROGRAM WITH QUEENS COLLEGE IN THE MIDDLE EAST

Tuesday, May 30

Arriving to Tel Aviv: Royal Jordanian, RJ 0340 (9:25 PM)

Hotel check in: Royal Court, Yafa St. across the road from Ramallah municipality

Wednesday, May 31

- Visit Rawabi - The first planned city, built for and by Palestinians in the West Bank, hailed as a “Flagship Palestinian Enterprise.”
 - Meetings with Bashar Al-Masri, social-economic entrepreneur and the master mind of the Rawabi initiative.
- Discussion led by Khalil Shikaki, one of the most respected and independent researchers and policy analysts in the WB and Founder & Director of the Palestinians Center for Policy and Survey Research (PSR).
- A discussion with Ghassan Khatib, who has held several ministerial positions in the P.A. under Prime Minister Salam Fayyad. He is the founder and former Director of the Jerusalem Media and Communications Center. Currently, he is the Vice President for Development and Communication and lecturer of Cultural Studies and Contemporary Arab Studies at Birzeit University.
- Tour and visit to Jalazoun refugee camp with Nidhal Rafa

Thursday, June 1

Hotel check-in: Gil Gal, 7 Nes Ziona Street, Tel Aviv 63904

- Visit the Jewish community of Efrat
 - Discussion with Rav Shlomo Vilik, the Rosh Machanaim at Efrat and serves as the Rabbi of Kehilat Ya’el in Bak’a Jerusalem
 - Discussion with members of the Hesder Yeshiva that combines military service with Torah Study
- Peace Now Settlement Watch tour with Hagit Ofran/Liora Amihai

Friday, June 2

- Visit Award winning Israeli Bialik Rogozin Campus, an innovative and a social entrepreneurial in education in south Tel Aviv, a school that has been featured in “Strangers no More,” the Oscar winning Documentary.
 - Discussion with principal of the School, Eli Nechama as well as teachers, students, and parents.

- Meeting with Dan Rothem, Senior Policy Advisor for the S. Daniel Abraham Center for Middle East Peace with a visual and psychological overview into the dynamics of the Israeli-Palestinian conflict. He is a researcher, analyst, and creator of the website, Ispacepossible.com
- “Start-Up-Nation” Tour of Rothschild Hub with Ryan Daniels and Athena Karp, Co-Founder of Hired Score. Tentative.

Saturday, June 3

- Shabbat
- Walking tour of Tel Aviv with Ilan Shchori & site seeing in Tel Aviv
- Free time

Sunday, June 4 – Retrieving day

- Group discussion, retrieving and integrating what we learned in our first look at Israel
- Reading, blogging, & visiting the beach
- Discussion with Yossi Alpher, former Mossad intelligence analyst and former director of Jaffa Center for Strategic Studies. His latest book is [No End of Conflict: Rethinking Israel-Palestine](#)

Monday, June 5 - Haifa

- Visit Bahai Gardens
- The Mossawa Center: The Advocacy Center for Arab Citizens in Israel
- Discussion with Jafar Farrah and an interfaith dialogue
- Tour of historic Arab neighborhoods, Wadi Salib & Wadi Nisnas
- Meeting with Dalya Arussy, former Fellow of the Ibrahim/Queens College Middle East Program and graduate student in architecture at Technion. She will be joined by other students from the Technion.

Tuesday, June 6

Hotel check-in: Little House in Rehavia, 20 Eben Ezra St. Rehavia, Jerusalem

- Morning in Yad Vashem
- Meeting with Ministry of Foreign Affairs, discussion with Akiva Tor, Director of the Department for Jewish Communities and Sarah Weiss Ma’udi, Adv. Director, International Law Department Office of the Legal Advisor of Ministry of Foreign Affairs
- Moshe Halbertal, noted Israeli Jewish Orthodox Philosopher, Professor of Jewish Thought and Philosophy at Hebrew University, an author of the IDF Code of Ethics
- Yossi Klein Halevi, esteemed author, co-Director of the Muslim Leadership Initiative of the Shalom Hartman Institute. His latest book is [Like Dreamers: The Story of the Israeli Paratroopers Who Reunited Jerusalem and Divided a Nation](#)

Wednesday, June 7

- Tour of the old city with Avi Ben-Hur, Scholar, Guide & Lecturer

- An evening with Rabbi Rav Shlomo Vilk

Thursday, June 8

- 10:30 AM Meeting with INSS, Institute for National Security Studies, one of the leading Israeli think tanks. Discussions on Israel security and strategic dilemmas
- 2:00 PM Discussion Yossi Vardi, the pioneer of Israel Start –Up-Nation (an afternoon in Jerusalem) and a group of young social and tech entrepreneurs and tech

Friday, June 9

- Meeting with Sara Haetzni Cohen, Chairwoman of NGO Yisrael Sheli (My Israel). (Tentative)

Saturday, June 10

- Group debrief – takeaways – heart and head
- Leaving to the airport in the evening
 - Note that the group is leaving in two flights,
 - Turkish Airlines, TK 0791 - 6/11/17 - 00:55
 - Turkish Airlines, TK 0793 - 6/11/17 - 05:00