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GRAND MASTER'S SUITE

0930-1030	Opening Ceremony - Adrian Hillman, Chair, CBF Organising Committee - Lord Marland of Odstock, Chairman, Commonwealth Enterprise and Investment Council
	 HE Kamalesh Sharma, Commonwealth Secretary-General The Hon Dr George Vella MP, Minister for Foreign Affairs, Malta The Hon Dr Joseph Muscat MP, Prime Minister of Malta
SPINOLA SUI	TE
1030-1100	Networking Break
GRAND MAS	TER'S SUITE
1100-1225	 Leveraging Networks: The Commonwealth, the EU and Global Economic Cooperation Chair: The Hon Dr Christian Cardona MP, Minister for the Economy, Investment and Small Business, Malta The Rt Hon Lord Maude of Horsham, Minister of State for Trade and Investment, UK HE Akinwunmi Ambode, Executive Governor, Lagos State Government, Nigeria Tan Sri Dr Rebecca Fatima Sta Maria, Secretary-General, Ministry of International Trade and Industry, Malaysia James Zhan, Director, Investment and Enterprise, United Nations Conference on Trade and Development
1225-1230	 Launch of the Policy Guide on Youth Entrepreneurship Deodat Maharaj, Deputy Secretary-General, Commonwealth Secretariat James Zhan, Director, Investment and Enterprise, United Nations Conference on Trade and Development
SPINOLA SUI	TE
1230-1400	Networking Lunch
PINTO	
1230-1400	Invest in Lagos State Lunch - Led by: HE Akinwunmi Ambode, Executive Governor, Lagos State Government,Nigeria
VERDALA	
1230-1400	 Doing Business with Malaysia Lunch Hosted by: MATRADE Tan Sri Rebecca Fatima Sta Maria, Secretary-General, Ministry of International Trade and Industry, Malaysia
GRAND MAS	TER'S SUITE
1400-1530	 Opportunity Malta: Bridging Europe, Africa, The Middle-East, Asia and The Commonwealth Chair: Dr Mario Vella, Chairman, Malta Enterprise Stephan Drewes, CEO, Lufthansa Technik Malta Louis Farrugia, Chairman, Farsons Group Professor Anthony N Warrens, Dean for Education, Barts and The London School of Medicine and Dentistry David Walsh, CEO, Crimsonwing VanDyck Silveira, CEO, FT-IE Corporate Learning Alliance Joseph Zammit Tabona, Special Envoy to the Prime Minister of Malta for Investment Promotion





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PINTO	
1400-1530	 Parallel Session: Empowering Entrepreneurs Chair: Katherine Ellis, Director of Youth Affairs, Commonwealth Secretariat James Zhan, Director, Investment and Enterprise, United Nations Conference on Trade and Development Fatin Arifin, President, Commonwealth Alliance of Young Entrepreneurs - Asia, Brunei Martin Ruvugabigwi, Chair, Commonwealth Alliance of Young Entrepreneurs East Africa & Secretary General of the Network of Young Entrepreneurs of Rwanda Dr Shiraz Gidwani, Chief Executive, Iktara World, UAE Eric Kinoti, Founder and Director, Shade Systems EA, Kenya Sam Borg, Director, Bortex Clothing Industry Co, Malta Bianca Miller, Founder and Managing Director, The Be Group, UK Tony Greenham, Director of Economy, Enterprise and Manufacturing, RSA
VERDALA	
1400-1530	 Parallel Session: Facilitating Commonwealth Trade Chair: Deodat Maharaj, Deputy Secretary-General, Commonwealth Secretariat Mohammad Razzaque, Acting Director, Trade Division, Commonwealth Secretariat Rashmi Banga, Adviser & Head (Trade Competitiveness), Trade Division, Commonwealth Secretariat Lord Lindsay, Chairman, UK Accreditation Service Estelle Clark, Chair, Chartered Quality Institute, UK James Gatera, Managing Director, Bank of Kigali, Rwanda Pierre Proner, CEO, AMPP Group, UK Tommy Hutchinson, CEO, iGenius
SPINOLA SU	ITE

1530-1600 Networking Break

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1600-1730	Supporting Enterprise: SMEs as the Engine of Growth
	- Chair: Oliver Everett, Chief Executive, Commonwealth Enterprise and Investment Council
	 Anton Borg, President, Malta Chamber of Commerce, Enterprise and Industry
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- Dr Lena Wilson, CEO, Scottish Enterprise, UK
- Dato Hafsah Hashim, CEO, SME Corporation Malaysia
- Dr Mohammed Al Zuhair, Executive Chairman, Kuwait National Fund for SME Development, Kuwait
- Eileen V Muscat, CEO, Malta Stock Exchange
- Nora Senior, President, British Chambers of Commerce

- Abdul Matlub Ahmad, President, The Federation of Bangladesh Chambers of Commerce and Industry & Chairman, Nitol Niloy Group

1730-1745 Launch of CommonwealthFirst

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1600-1730	 Parallel Session: Financial Centres as Catalysts of Growth Chair: Professor Joe Bannister, Chairman, Malta Financial Services Authority Alderman Alan Yarrow, Chairman, Chartered Institute of Securities and Investment, UK Richard Holmes, CEO, Europe, Standard Chartered Bank Varun Maharaj, CEO, International Financial Centre, Trinidad and Tobago Dr Vanessa Borg, Chief Executive, Argus Insurance Agencies Ltd, Malta Roderick Psaila, Senior Partner, PsailaGrechCONSULT Anita Aloisio, Advisory Partner, Nexia BT Tom Burns, Partner, Brunswick Group, UK Andrew Duncan, CEO, Caldwell Partners, UK
VERDALA	
1600-1730	 Parallel Session: Sustainable Infrastructure for Developing and Island States Chair: Justin Mundy, Director, HRH Prince of Wales' International Sustainability Unit, UK Adrian Said, Chairman, Project Malta Celeste Connors, Executive Director, Hawaii Green Growth, USA Josh Sawislak, Global Director for Resilience, AECOM Robert Torday, Director of Communications, John McAslan Partners, UK Roberto Capelluto, CEO, Liquigas Malta Ltd

MEDITERRANEAN CONFERENCE CENTRE, VALLETTA

1800-2000 Forum Dinner hosted by The Hon Dr Joseph Muscat MP, Prime Minister of Malta

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0730-0830	 Breakfast Session: The Commonwealth in the Unfolding Global Trade Landscape Chair: Deodat Maharaj, Deputy Secretary-General, Commonwealth Secretariat Mohammad Razzaque, Acting Director, Trade Division, Commonwealth Secretariat The Hon Dr Christian Cardona MP, Minister for the Economy, Investment and Small Business, Malta Anton Borg, President, Malta Chamber of Commerce, Enterprise and Industry
VERDALA	
	Breakfast Session hosted by Lekki Free Zone Development Company, Nigeria - Ding Yonghua, CEO, Lekki Free Zone Development Company. Nigeria
GRAND MAS	FER'S SUITE
0900-1030	 Financial and Professional Services: Delivering Jobs and Growth Chair: Professor Ian Goldin, Director, Oxford Martin School, UK The Rt Hon Lord Mayor of London, Alderman The Lord Mountevans The Rt Hon Sir Anerood Jugnauth, Prime Minister of Mauritius The Rt Hon Perry Christie, Prime Minister of The Bahamas The Hon Professor Edward Scicluna, Minister for Finance, Malta Paul Manduca, Chairman, Prudential, UK Marcus Agius, Chairman, PA Consulting, UK Mario Mallia, Chief Operations Officer, Bank of Valetta, Malta
PINTO	
0900-1030	 Parallel Session: Skilling the Commonwealth Chair: Roy Newey, Founding Partner, Growth Partnership, UK The Hon Evarist Bartolo MP, Minister for Education and Employment, Malta Lloyd Dorfman, Chairman, The Prince's Trust, UK Patrick McKendry, Managing Director, Careers Australia Professor Asha Singh Kanwar, CEO, Commonwealth of Learning, Canada Richard Dennys, Head of Digital Business Academy, Tech City UK Dr Hanan Khalifa, Director, Cambridge English, UK Phil Andrew, Chief Executive, Working Links, UK Claire Dove, CEO, Blackburne House Group, UK Jan Matern, Co-Founder and CEO, Emerge Venture Lab Rebecca Sweetman, VP Operations, Kano, UK
VERDALA	
0900-1030	 Parallel Session: Promoting ICT & eGovernment Chair: Gerard Grech, CEO, Tech City UK The Hon Barnabas Sibusiso Dlamini, Prime Minister of Swaziland The Rt Hon Lord Maude of Horsham, Minister of State for Trade and Investment, UK Emanuel Darmanin, Head of Strategy and Business, Malta Information Technology Agency (MITA) Joseph Cuschieri, Chairman, Malta Gaming Authority Richard Hird, Chief Commercial Officer, De La Rue Steven Ramage, Director of Strategy, what3words George Sammut, Partner - Advisory, PwC, Malta

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GRAND MASTER'S SUITE 1100-1230 Investing in Infrastructure: Building for the Long Term - Chair: Philip Bouverat, Director, JCB, UK - The Hon Frank Bainimarama, Prime Minister of Fiji - HE Edgar C. Lungu, President of Zambia - Tan Sri Dr Ali Hamsa, Chief Secretary, Government of Malaysia - Datuk Shahril Ridza Ridzuan, CEO, Employees Provident Fund, Malaysia - Alfred Mifsud, Deputy Governor, Central Bank of Malta - Shaun Bonétt, Managing Director, Precision Group, Australia - Mike Wilkins, Managing Director, Infrastructure Finance Ratings, Standard and Poor's, UK - Stephanie Miller, Director, Western Europe, IFC World Bank Group, USA - Joshua Zammit, Deputy Chairman and CEO, Malta Industrial Parks PINTO 1100-1230 **Parallel Session: Innovation in Financial Services** - Chair: Mark Boleat, Chairman, Policy and Resources Committee, City of London, UK - Kenneth Farrugia, Chairman, FinanceMalta - Lloyd Dorfman, Founder and President, Travelex, UK - Lawrence Wintermeyer, CEO, Innovate Finance, UK - Carlos Silva, Founder, Seedrs, UK - Claire Gauci, Director of Compliance and Head of Malta Office, William Grosvenor & Partners - Eric-Vincent Guichard, CEO, Homestrings, USA - Ronald Attard, Country Managing Partner, EY Malta VERDALA 1100-1230 Parallel Session: Supporting the Blue Economy - Chair: Justin Mundy, Director, HRH Prince of Wales' International Sustainability Unit, UK - The Hon Semisi Tauelangi Fakahau, Minister of Agriculture, Food, Forestry and Fisheries, Tonga - The Hon Jose Herrera, Parliamentary Secretary for Competitiveness and Economic Growth, Malta

- Philippe Michaud, Special Adviser to the Minister, Ministry for Finance, Trade and The Blue Economy, Seychelles
- Andrew Morlet, Chief Executive, Ellen Macarthur Foundation, UK
- Annie Jarrett, CEO, Northern Prawn Fishery Industry Inc., Australia
- Simon Dent, Director, Ecosphere Capital Partners LLP
- Deodat Maharaj, Deputy Secretary-General, Commonwealth Secretariat

SPINOLA SUITE

1230-1400	Networking Lunch
PINTO	
1230-1400	 Opportunities in Zambia Lunch Led by: HE Edgar Lungu, President of Zambia The Hon Margaret Mwanakatwe, Minister for Commerce, Trade and Industry, Zambia
GRAND MAS	TER'S SUITE
1355-1405	The Queen Elizabeth Diamond Jubilee Trust and Standard Chartered Bank: Philanthropic Partnerships and the Commonwealth

- Dr Astrid Bonfield, Chief Executive, The Queen Elizabeth Diamond Jubilee Trust
- Richard Pattle, Vice Chairman, Standard Chartered Private Bank





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1405-1530	 The Business of Health: Improving Access and Outcomes Chair: The Rt Hon Professor Lord Kakkar, Chair, Commonwealth Healthcare Business Group HE Peter Mutharika, President of Malawi The Hon Nickolas Steele, Minister for Health, Grenada The Hon Chris Fearne, Parliamentary Secretary for Health, Malta Dr Gordon Caruana Dingli, President Medical Association of Malta, Immediate Past President Commonwealth Medical Association Dr Zahid Al Sabti, CEO, Interhealth Canada Khawar Mann, Managing Director, Healthcare, Abraaj Group, UAE
PINTO	
1400-1530	 Parallel Session: Technology for Smart Cities Chair: Gerard Grech, CEO, Tech City UK Julie Alexander, Global Director, Urban Development Smart Cities Lead, Siemens, UK Mayor Lawrence Yule, Chairperson, Commonwealth Local Government Forum, New Zealand The Hon Peter Buttigeig, Mayor of the City of South Bend, Indiana, USA Alex Tan, Director, Infocomm Development Authority, Singapore Michael Sippitt, Chairman, Clarkslegal LLP and Commonwealth Environmental Investment Platform, UK Steven Ramage, Visiting Professor, University of Strathclyde, UK Oliver Lewis, Head of Government Relations, Improbable, UK Gavin Starks, CEO, Open Data Institute, UK Sanjaya Singhal, Chief Executive Officer, Secure Meters Ltd, India
VERDALA	
1400-1530	 Parallel Session: The Maritime Commonwealth Chair: Doug Barrow, Chief Executive, Maritime London The Rt Hon Lord Mayor of London, Alderman The Lord Mountevans Ian Woodman, Director of Maritime, Department for Transport, UK Ivan Sammut, Registrar General of Shipping and Seamen, Transport Malta Sobantu Tilayi, COO, South African Maritime Safety Authority (SAMSA) Greg Ogbeifun, Chairman, Ship Owners Association of Nigeria John A. Gauci-Maistre, Chairman, GM International Services Ltd, Malta Andy Thorne, Chairman, Kestrel Liner Agency, UK Dr Aaron Farrugia, CEO, Malta Freeport Corporation
SPINOLA SU	ITE
1530-1600	Networking Break

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1600-1730	Harnessing Technology: Driving Innovation and Job Creation
	- Chair: Gerard Grech, CEO, Tech City UK
	- HRH Prince Khaled bin Alwaleed, Chairman, KBW Investments, Saudi Arabia
	- Professor Ian Goldin, Director, Oxford Martin School, UK
	- Gavin Starks, CEO, Open Data Institute, UK
	- Amali de Alwis, Chief Executive, Code First: Girls, UK
	- Gary Morrison, Vice President & General Manager EMEA, Expedia, UK

1730-1740 **Presentation on Commonwealth Trade Initiative**

- Oliver Everett, Chief Executive, Commonwealth Enterprise and Investment Council
- Pierre Proner, CEO, AMPP Group, UK

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1600-1730	Parallel Session: Islamic Finance in the Commonwealth
	- Chair: Sheikh Ayman Sejiny, CEO, Bank Alkhair, Saudi Arabia
	- Bakarudin Ishak, Assistant Governor of Bank Negara Malaysia
	- Abdulla Al Awar, CEO, Dubai Islamic Economy Development Centre
	- Professor Joe Bannister, Chairman, Malta Financial Services Authority
	- Arshad Ghafur, President, Middle East & North Africa, Bank of America Merrill Lynch, UAE
	- Mohamed Amersi, Chairman, Inclusive Ventures Limited, UAE
	 Craig Nethercott, Co-Chair, Global Islamic Finance Practice, Latham & Watkins
	 Datuk Shahril Ridza Ridzuan, CEO, Employees Provident Fund, Malaysia
VERDALA	
	Parallel Session: Healthcare Interactive Session
VERDALA 1600-1730	Parallel Session: Healthcare Interactive Session - Co-Chair: The Rt Hon Professor Lord Kakkar, Chair, Commonwealth Healthcare Business Group
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1800-2000Forum Reception

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0730-0830	 Breakfast Session: Briefing for Investment Promotion Agencies Chair: Dr Mario Vella, Chairman, Malta Enterprise Ismail Ersahin, CEO, World Association of Investment Promotion Agencies, Turkey Lynton Crosby, Founder, Crosby Textor Group, Australia Robert Kelsey, CEO, Moorgate Group, UK James Zhan, Director, Investment and Enterprise, United Nations Conference on Trade and Development
VERDALA	
0730-0830	 Breakfast Session: Doing Business in Africa Chair: Rt Hon Mark Simmonds, Deputy Chairman, Commonwealth Enterprise and Investment Council Baroness Chalker of Wallasey, Founding Chairman, Africa Matters Limited Uju Aisha Hassan Baba, Executive Secretary, Nigerian Investment Promotion Commission Ronald Micallef, Malta Enterprise Representative, Sub-Saharan Africa Prof Brian Smart, Director, International Risk Management Initiative (IRMI), Malta
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0900-1000	 Energy Security: Investing in the Future Chair: Lord Marland of Odstock, Chairman, Commonwealth Enterprise and Investment Council HE Filipe Nyusi, President of Mozambique The Hon Dr Keith Rowley, Prime Minister of Trinidad and Tobago The Hon Dr Konrad Mizzi, Minister for Energy and Health, Malta Folorunso Alakija, Vice Chairman, Famfa Oil Limited, Nigeria P.P. Hinduja, Chairman, Hinduja Group Europe Rory Stear, Executive Chairman, Flambard Holdings, South Africa
PINTO	
0900-1000	 Parallel Session: Opportunities in Malawi Led by: HE Peter Mutharika, President of Malawi Clement Kumbemba, Chief Executive Officer, Malawi Investment and Trade Centre
VERDALA	
0900-1030	Parallel Session: Opportunities in Nigeria - Led by:Uju Aisha Hassan Baba, Executive Secretary, Nigerian Investment Promotion Commission
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1000-1100	 African Opportunity: Capitalising on the Growth Story Chair: The Rt Hon Mark Simmonds, Deputy Chairman, Commonwealth Enterprise and Investment Council The Hon Philemon Yang, Prime Minister of Cameroon The Hon Pakalitha Mosisili, Prime Minister of Lesotho Jayendra Naidoo, Executive Chairman, J&J Group, South Africa
PINTO	
1000-1100	 Parallel Session: Investment Session: Focus on the Pacific Chair: Oliver Everett, Chief Executive, Commonwealth Enterprise and Investment Council Hon Semisi Tauelangi Fakahau, Minister of Agriculture, Food, Forestry and Fisheries, Tonga Dr Andrina KL Thomas, CEO, Vanuatu Investment Promotion Authority

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VERDALA	
1000-1100	 Parallel Session: Make in India: A Vision for Global Business Collaboration Chair: Manoj Ladwa, Founder, India inc., UK Dr Naushad Forbes, President-Designate, Confederation of Indian Industry, India Rakeshh Gupta, President - AIPS, Hinduja Group, India
SPINOLA SU	ITE
1100-1130	Networking Break
GRAND MAS	ITER'S SUITE
1130-1230	 Connecting Asia: Accelerating Regional Integration and Development Chair: The Rt Hon Hugo Swire MP, Minister for the Commonwealth, UK The Hon Sheikh Hasina, Prime Minister of Bangladesh The Hon Sagala Ratnayake, Minister of Law & Order and Southern Province Development, Sri Lanka Dr. Naushad Forbes, President-Designate, Confederation of Indian Industry, India Binod Chaudhary, Chairman, Chaudhary Group, Nepal Ann Cormack, Director – International, Rolls Royce, UK
PINTO	
1130-1230	 Investment Session: Focus on the Caribbean Chair: Oliver Griffith, Head of Communications and Public Affairs, Western Europe, IFC The Hon Freundel Stuart, Prime Minister of Barbados The Hon Timothy Harris, Prime Minister of St Kitts and Nevis The Hon Dr Keith Rowley, Prime Minister of Trinidad and Tobago Micha-Rose Emmett, Group Managing Director, CS Global Partners Fernando Gonzalez, President, Commonwealth Round Table, Dominican Republic
VERDALA	
1130-1230	 Parallel Session: Opportunities in Cameroon Led by: The Hon Philemon Yang, Prime Minister of Cameroon Diane Acha-Morfaw, Chair, Cameroon Investment Promotion Agency Elizabeth Medou-Badang, CEO, Orange Cameroon Kevin Foo, Chairman, Victoria Oil & Gas plc., UK David Meehan, Chief Operating Officer, Sundance Resources Ltd, Australia
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1230-1330	 Sustainable Tourism: Measuring Impact and Adding Value Chair: Malcolm Preston, Global Head of Sustainability, PwC, UK The Hon Edward Zammit Lewis MP, Minister of Tourism, Malta Jane Ashton, Director of Sustainable Tourism, TUI Group Marco Francis, President, Seychelles Chamber of Commerce and Industry Stephen Xuereb, CEO, Valletta Cruise Port, Malta
PINTO	
1230-1330	 Investment Opportunities in Bangladesh Led by: The Hon Sheikh Hasina, Prime Minister of Bangladesh Syed Afsor H. Uddin, Chief Executive Officer, Public Private Partnership Authority, Prime Minister's Office, Bangladesh Mohd. Abduz Zaher, Executive Member, Board of Investment, Prime Minister's Office, Bangladesh





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1230-1330	Opportunities in Mozambique - Led by: HE Filipe Nyusi, President of Mozambique
SPINOLA SU	ITE
1230-1400	Networking Lunch
PINTO	
1230-1400	 Opportunities in Lesotho Lunch Led by: The Hon Pakalitha Mosisili, Prime Minister of Lesotho Kelebone Leisanyane, CEO, Lesotho National Development Corporation Glenn Turner, Executive Director, Gem Diamonds
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1430-1435	"KEEPING THE COMMONWEALTH'S NATIONS, ECONOMIES AND POPULATIONS SECURE" Address by: Richard Hird, Chief Commercial Officer, De La Rue
1435-1600	 A Commonwealth Vision for Sustainable Growth Chair: Malcolm Preston, Global Head of Sustainability, PwC, UK The Hon Leo Brincat MP, Minister for the Environment, Sustainable Development and Climate Change, Malta Amanda Mackenzie, Executive Advisor, Project Everyone Dr Steve Waygood, Chief Responsible Investment Officer, Aviva, UK Sir Sherard Cowper-Coles, Adviser to the Chairman, HSBC, UK
1600-1615	Concluding Session - Lord Marland of Odstock, Chairman, Commonwealth Enterprise and Investment Council
	Concluding Address: HRH The Prince of Wales
1615-1700	Prime Minister of Malta's Roundtable with Heads of Government (by Invitation only)



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