

Impact Investment Lab



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10:00 AM



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The session will explore the practical gaps across capital deployment, deal structuring, risk sharing, measurement, and disclosure, while testing where a potential federal impact investment framework could add real value. The Lab is designed as a diagnostic working session to surface market needs, identify opportunities for stronger alignment, and shape practical recommendations that can support greater investment activity, scaling and credibility in the UAE.

Key Discussion Areas

- Where impact capital currently stalls
- Definitions, taxonomy, and disclosure
- Risk sharing and blended finance
- Governance and market credibility
- Priority sectors and investment opportunities
- Framework priorities and next steps
- Scaling made in the UAE

Session Format

A closed-door, facilitated dialogue combining plenary discussion and curated roundtables, designed to encourage candid exchange, practical problem-solving, and commitment to clear next-step actions.

TIME	ACTIVITY
10:00–10:20	Arrival & Welcome Reception
10:20–10:30	Opening Remarks & Strategic Context
10:30–10:40	Leadership Introductions
10:40–11:25	Facilitated Roundtable Dialogues
11:25–11:45	Insights Shareback: Priorities & Opportunities
11:45–12:00	Refreshment Break and Networking