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08:30 **Arrival** (please arrive early due to security check)

09:00 **Welcome**

MP Mrs. Karen J. Klint, the Social Democratic Party, Chairwoman of the Ecclesiastical Affairs Committee

09:10 **Official Opening**

Dean Anders Gadegaard, Chairman of the National Council of Churches in Denmark

Imam Abdul Wahid Pedersen, Muslim Council of Denmark

09:20 **Interfaith Dialogue as Instrument in Policy Processes Overcoming Religious Extremism**

Mr. Peter Mandaville, Senior Advisor on religion and global affairs in the US Department of State

09:50 **Engaging Civil Society in Countering Extremism**

Danish minister/MP tba

10:00 **The role of tolerance confronting extremism**

Sheikha Lubna bint Khalid bin Sultan Al Qasimi, Minister of State for Tolerance, United Arab Emirates.

10:10 **Preventive action against radicalism in Arab context**

Dr. Mohammad al-Sammak, General Secretary of the Christian-Muslim Committee for Dialogue in Lebanon

10:20 **Religious freedom and interfaith dialogue**

MP Mr. Martin Lidegaard, the Social Liberal Party, former Minister of Foreign Affairs

10:30 **Questions**

10:45 **Coffee Break**

11:00 **Religious Refutation of Extremism**

Sheikh Muhammad Al-Yaqoubi, Syrian Islamic Scholar

11:25 **Countering Extremism in Denmark - Interfaith Approaches**

Bishop Peter Skov-Jakobsen, Diocese of Copenhagen

11:45 **Daily Actions Countering Extremism**

Mrs. Natasha Al-Hariri, Alumni of Leaders of Interreligious Understanding

12:00 **Debate**

Dean Anders Gadegaard, Chairman of the National Council of Churches in Denmark

12:40 **The Role of Interfaith Dialogue in an Advancing CVE Counter-Narrative**

Mr. Maqsood Kruse, Executive Director of Hedayah, International Center for Countering Violent Extremism, UAE

12:55 **Closing Remarks**

Dean Anders Gadegaard, Chairman of the National Council of Churches in Denmark