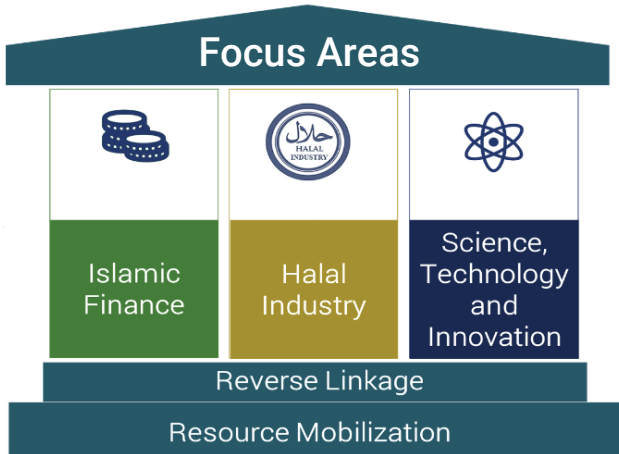




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Who Are We?

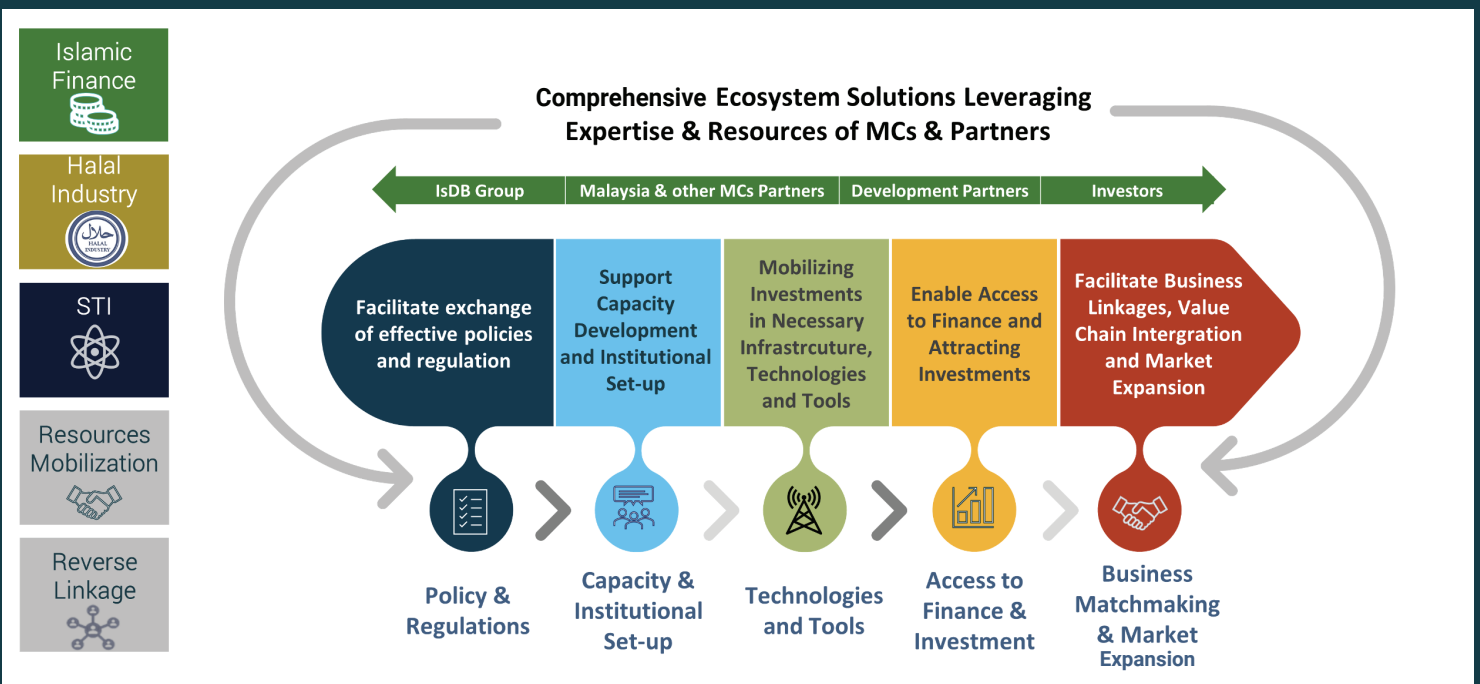
The Islamic Development Bank (IsDB) Center of Excellence in Kuala Lumpur (KLCoe) -formerly the IsDB Regional Office Kuala Lumpur- was launched on 25th March 2021 as a partnership between the Malaysian Government and IsDB to support the development and promotion of Islamic Finance, Halal Industry, Science Technology & Innovation (STI), Reverse Linkage (technical cooperation) and Resource Mobilization across IsDB Member Countries (MCs) and globally.



What Do We Do?

Capitalizing on the capabilities of IsDB Group, Malaysia, other MCs, development partners and investors, the KLCoe facilitates the exchange of comprehensive ecosystem development solutions in its focus areas including policy and regulations, capacity and institutional set-up, technology and tools, access to finance and investment, business matchmaking and market access while ensuring a win-win approach.

Different from research and knowledge centers of excellence, the KLCoe focuses on value-creation activities with emphasis on generating investment opportunities for the private sector as a key driver of economic growth.



Example of Initiatives



Halal Ecosystem Assessment & Development in High Potential Countries

A comprehensive assessment of Halal ecosystems covering 22 countries (including 6 non-MCs); with the aim of supporting the development of high potential ecosystems and facilitating the integration with the global Halal value chain to further serve the huge global Halal consumer market. The initiative is a collaboration with the Halal Development Corporation (HDC) of Malaysia as well as other national and international Halal agencies.



Development of Malaysia Awqaf Properties Investment Fund (MAPIF)

A joint initiative with Bank Pembangunan Malaysia Berhad (BPMB) and Yayasan Waqf Malaysia in establishing Malaysia's first Awqaf Properties Investment Fund with the aim of supporting the development and expansion of Awqaf Sector in Malaysia.



Supporting MSMEs Recovery and Scaling-up Innovative Islamic Social Finance Solutions

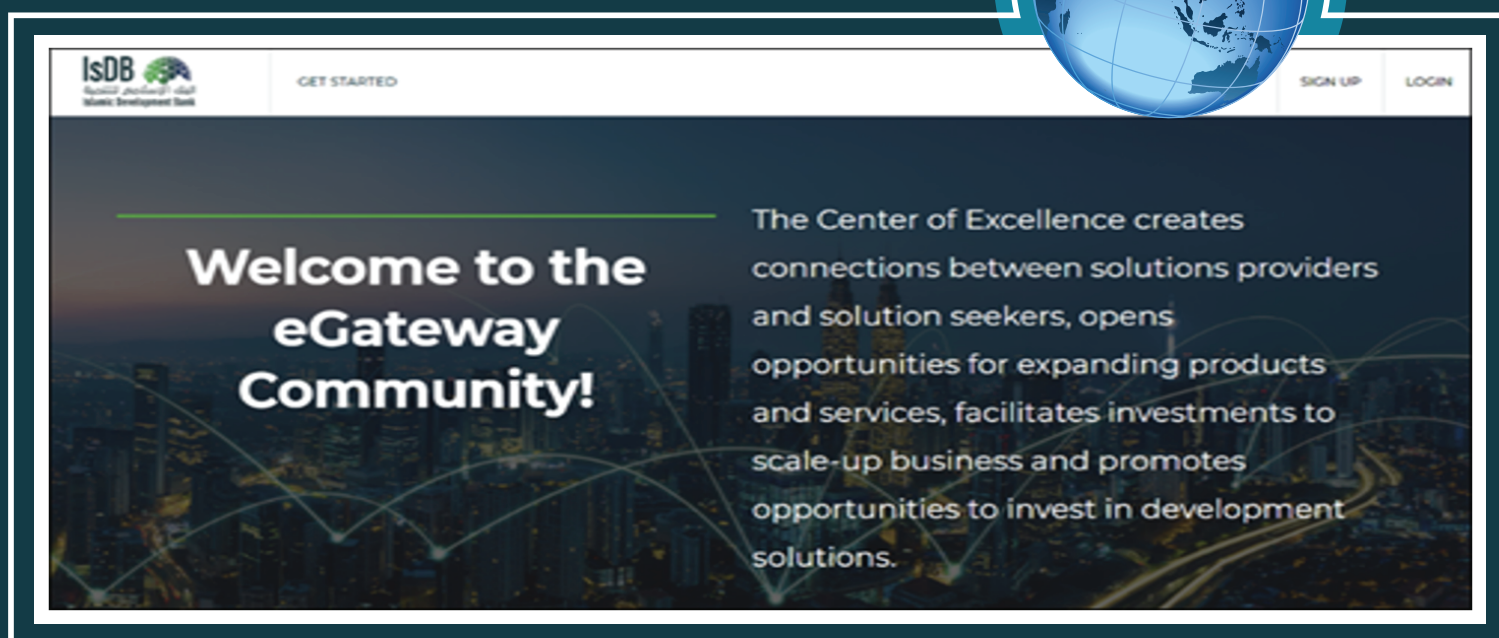
A joint collaboration with UNDP Malaysia to capture effective solutions for the recovery of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises (MSMEs) post COVID-19 crisis as well as innovative Islamic social finance solutions and facilitate their scale-up in high demand Member Countries.

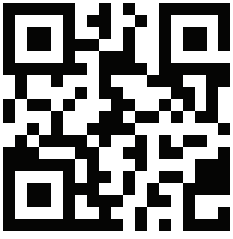


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The eGateway platform is a matchmaking platform that facilitates connecting the stakeholders within the KLCoe focus areas globally including the solutions seekers, solutions providers, investors, investees and donors. The platform features credible solutions providers who have been verified through due diligence process.

Join us today and be part of the eGateway community. The eGateway platform can be accessed through the Center's webpage at <https://www.isdb.org/coekl> or directly to the platform <https://www.isdb-egateway.org/>





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