**PROGRAMME**

Econometric Research Association 2nd International Data Analytics and Machine Learning Conference

"The Economics of Data: Foundations for Policy and Regulation"

DATAMACLEA’25

May 5-6, 2025

**May 5, MONDAY**

**8.30 – 9.30   
Registration**

**9.30 – 10.30   
Opening Speeches**

Assoc. Prof. Dr. Sıdıka BAŞÇI

*Ankara Yıldırım Beyazıt University, Econometric Research Association*

Prof. Dr. İbrahim DEMİR

*Ankara Yıldırım Beyazıt University, Institute for International Relations and Strategic Research*

Prof. Dr. Ali Cengiz KÖSEOĞLU

*Rector, Ankara Yıldırım Beyazıt University*

Dr. Fatih KARAHAN (TBC)

*Governor of the Central Bank of Türkiye*

**10.30 – 10.45   
Coffee Break**

**10.45 – 12.00**

**Keynote Speaker**

Prof. Dr. Matthias FINGER

*École Polytechnique Fédérale de Lausanne and İstanbul Technical University, Switzerland*“Regulating Data and Data Spaces”

Chair: Assoc. Prof. Dr. Sıdıka BAŞÇI

**12.00 – 13.00   
Lunch Break**

**13.00 – 14.30   
Panel: Artificial Intelligence**

Prof. Dr. Ahmet Faruk Aysan  
*Hamad Bin Khalifa University, Qatar*  
“Central Banking and Artificial Intelligence”

Prof. Dr. Mehmet Baha Karan  
Hacettepe University, Türkiye  
“The Evaluation of Inclusive Institutions in Financial Markets: Governing Artificial Intelligence and Shaping the Markets of the Future

Barış Yalın Uzunlu  
*Artificial Intellegence and Technology Association, Türkiye*“Paradigms Towards Artificial General Intelligence”

Chair: Prof. Dr. Murat ASLAN

**14.30 – 14.45   
Coffee Break**

**14.45 – 16.00  
Keynote Speaker (Online)**

Prof. Dr. Asad ZAMAN  
*Akhuwat University, Pakistan*

“Causality, Correlation, and the Illusion of Objectivity in Machine Learning”

Chair: Prof. Dr. İbrahim DEMİR

**16.00 – 16.15   
Coffee Break**

**16.15 – 18.00  
Session 1**

**19.00 –21.30 Departure for Conference Gala Dinner**

**May 6, TUESDAY**

**10.00 – 12.00   
Session 2:**

**12.00 – 13.00   
Lunch Break**

**13.00 – 15.00   
Session 3:**

**15.00 – 15.30  
Coffee Break**

**15.30 – 17.00   
Session 4:**