

SMARTSTREAM CONNECT MEA 2025

🕒 2:00 PM - 5:30PM

📅 WED 22 OCTOBER

REGISTRATION | REFRESHMENTS **2:00PM**

WELCOME ADDRESS **2:30PM**

- Akber Jaffer, CEO, Smartstream
- Joshua Brown, Regional Director EMEA, Smartstream

KEYNOTE **2:40PM**

Market trends, and future-proofing financial operations

- Dominic Stanyer, Managing Director, Head of Capital Markets Middle East, Accenture

PANEL: DIGITAL PAYMENTS CONTROL **3:10PM**

The importance of verified data in an instant, digital world, fueled by increasing fraud, dispute management and cost

- Adhnan Nasir, Head of Banking Partnerships Middle East, Chargebacks911
- Santosh Tripathy, Director, FS Data and Analytics Leader, PWC Middle East
- Roland Brandli, Strategy Director, Smartstream (Moderator)

COFFEE/TEA BREAK **3:40PM**

DATA AUTOMATION AND INTELLIGENCE **4:00PM**

Transforming operations with AI and smart reconciliation

- Robin Hasson, Global Head of Reconciliation, Smartstream

PRODUCT SHOWCASE **4:20PM**

Smartstream's Air: Demo and use case

- Sandra Harb, Senior Business Solutions Consultant MEA, Smartstream

POWERING OPERATIONS WITH MANAGED SERVICES **4:40PM**

Unlock scalability, security and efficiency with SaaS

- James Webb, Global Lead Managed Services and Customer Success, Smartstream

PANEL: OPERATIONAL CONTROL **5:00PM**

What's next for financial services leaders: Building scalable, resilient and cost-efficient operations

- Santosh Vaidya, SVP, Head of Payments and Digital Services, Mashreq
- Robin Hasson, Global Head of Reconciliation, Smartstream
- Mohamed Abeidah, Sales Director Middle East, Smartstream (Moderator)

CLOSING & NETWORKING RECEPTION **5:30PM**

📍 Venue: Address Sky View, Sky View Room 3 & 4 | Networking: Ce La Vi

