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FINEXT AWARDS & CONFERENCE 2026

11 FEBRUARY, 2026



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AGENDA



Wednesday, February 11th, 2026

09:00 AM	Opening remarks	Anas Jawed
09:10 AM	Panel Discussion: Women in Fintech – Breaking Barriers	Jaslyin, May Brooks Kempler, Christelle El Metni, Samuela Davidova
09:40 AM	Panel Discussion: AI and Machine Learning in Finance	Ankit Lathigara, Kevin Connelly
<div> Coffee Break</div>		
10:50 AM	Panel Discussion:Future trends shaping fintech beyond 2026	Zhivka Nedyalkova
11:20 AM	Panel Discussion: Blockchain and Decentralized Finance (DeFi)	Vit Jedlicka
12:00 PM	Panel Discussion: Digital Innovation and Entrepreneurship	Kay French, Dr. Bruce Foyl
<div> Lunch Break</div>		
01:30 PM	Panel Discussion : Beyond Banking: The Rise and Relevance of Financing Consultants in the Emirates	Nadeem Asif
02:00 PM	Panel Discussion: Cybersecurity in Fintech	
<div> Coffee Break</div>		
03:10 PM	Standalone Session: Voice Payments and Conversational Banking	
03:40 PM	Panel Discussion: Open Banking – The Next Frontier in Financial Innovation	
04:20 PM	Standalone Session: How Blockchain Will Reshape Capital Markets	Max Lighter
<div> Evening Snacks Break</div>		
05:30 PM	Excellence in Finance Awards Ceremony	

Conference close for the day

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