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From Paris to Milan to Toronto
and now Istanbul.

This November, the International MLS Forum returns for its **fourth edition**, bringing together the people and organizations helping shape the future of organized real estate around the world.

For two days, MLS leaders, real estate organizations, technology innovators, standards bodies and industry decision-makers will come together to exchange ideas, build international relationships and explore what a more connected global real estate marketplace can look like.

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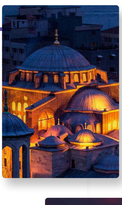

A WORLD-CLASS SETTING FOR A GLOBAL CONVERSATION

This year, we're bringing the Forum to **Raffles Istanbul**, where our international community will gather under one roof on November 16–17.

Set in one of the world's great crossroads between Europe and Asia, Raffles Istanbul offers a fitting setting for two days dedicated to connection, collaboration and the future of global real estate.

Explore Raffles Istanbul

WHAT WILL WE BE TALKING ABOUT?

The 2026 program looks ahead to some of the biggest questions facing our industry.

From **AI and agentic property discovery to global data standards, cross-border data exchange, MLS governance, transparency, international investment, licensing, portals, tokenization and the future of the listing** — Istanbul will bring together perspectives from markets around the world.

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Meet the International MLS Forum Speakers

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WHO WILL BE IN THE ROOM?

The Forum brings together a global community of **MLS executives, real estate associations and organizations, PropTech and data leaders, standards experts, brokers, marketplace leaders and other industry decision-makers.**

Confirmed speakers already represent leading organizations including **FMLS, RESO, FIABCI, CMLS, San Diego MLS, NJMLS, Stellar MLS, Miami RE + RWorld, Listing+ and TÜGEM Türkiye and NAR,** with more speakers still to be announced.

AGENDA

Day 1 — The Connected Marketplace: Standards, Borders and Trust

KEYNOTE	From Paris to Istanbul: The view of experienced real estate and the future of international investment	09:00–09:30
SPEAKER	The $4 Trillion Question: Foreign real estate investment totals $3 trillion/yr. How will your organization benefit?	09:30–10:10
PANEL	The GDX Effect: Cross-border collaboration is growing in the Global South	10:15–11:00
BREAK	Coffee Break — Sponsored by VeloxPlus	11:00–11:15
PANEL	How Global Alliances Create Local Opportunities: How international partnerships support local real estate businesses	11:15–12:15
PANEL	Real Estate Data Management for Agentic AI: Challenges of MLS governance	12:15–13:00
BREAK	Lunch Break	13:00–14:00
PANEL	Standards Without Borders: Global data alignment through tools you can use	14:00–14:50
DEBATE	Global Alliances, Local Opportunities: The benefits of Global Alliances for local real estate businesses	14:50–15:30

Day 2 — The Agentic Era: AI, Discovery and the Future of the Listing

KEYNOTE	When the Buyer Is an AI Agent: How agents search changes listing discovery	09:00–09:40
PANEL	Education in the Era of Global MLS Businesses: Education as the core for MLS model adoption	09:40–10:30
FIRESIDE	Consolidation, Portals and the Next Competitive Map: Market consolidation in a fast-changing technology world	10:35–11:00
BREAK	Coffee Break — Sponsored by QCO	11:00–11:15
FIRESIDE	Fireside Chat with Taran Bhatia and Dr. Mathew Kahumadi: Leadership in a fast-changing technology world	11:15–11:55
PANEL	Licensing Listing Data - A Global Framework: Exploring the current and global capabilities for real estate data providers	11:55–13:00
BREAK	Lunch Break	13:00–14:00
PANEL	Cannot Approach: Regulating Intelligent Real Estate: Privacy, fair display and data governance in rewarding	14:00–14:50
PANEL	Second Homes Abroad: Empowering Global Buyers: Bridging the gap between digital marketing access to global opportunities	14:50–15:40
CLOSING	What We Learned and the Road to 2027: Commitments and next steps	15:40–16:00

But the Forum has never been only about who's on stage.

It's about who you meet in the room.

The conversations between sessions. The introductions across markets. The partnerships that begin in Istanbul and continue long after everyone goes home.

YOUR INVITATION TO ISTANBUL

If you've joined us in previous years, we'd love to welcome you back.

And if you've been following the International MLS Forum but haven't yet experienced it in person, **Istanbul** is the perfect edition to join us.

The global real estate landscape is changing quickly. New technologies are emerging, markets are becoming more connected, and conversations around data, standards and international collaboration are moving forward.

You can hear about those conversations later — or be part of them while they're happening.

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For organizations looking for a stronger presence in Istanbul, **sponsorship and partnership opportunities are also available.**

IMLSF sponsorship is an opportunity to position your organization alongside an international community of real estate leaders, build meaningful industry connections and be part of the conversations shaping what comes next.

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We look forward to welcoming you to the 4th International MLS Forum.