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1st Cybersecurity Initiative for Blockchain Research (CIBR) Workshop

09:00-09:05 Opening Remarks (Ahmed Elmagarmid, Executive Director, QCRI)

09:05-09:45 Overview (Yazan Boshmaf, Scientist, QCRI)

- Introduction to blockchain technology
- Research landscape and opportunities
- Current projects and potential impact

09:45-10:00 Break

10:00-10:30 Analytics (Mashaël, Scientist, QCRI)

- Full-stack analytics with BlockStack
- Applications for user privacy, underground market monitoring, and fraud detection

10:30-11:00 Regulations (Georgios, Assistant Professor, Law & Public Policy, HBKU)

- Technology adoption, regulatory coverage, and recommendations for the Gulf region
- Cybersecurity policies for blockchain / FinTech regulations

11:00-11:15 Break

11:15-11:45 Systems (David Yin Yang, Assistant Professor, Science & Eng., HBKU)

- Low-latency consensus for public blockchains
- Privacy preserving blockchains using secure CPU enclaves

11:45-12:00 Closing Remarks (Ting Yu, Director, QCRI)



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