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## **Press Release**

## Chancellor of Islamic University of Maldives meets VC, JMI, Prof. Talat Ahmad

Dr. Mohamed Shahmeen Ali Saeed, Chancellor of Islamic University of Maldives called on the Vice Chancellor, Jamia Millia Islamia, Prof. Talat Ahmad to explore possibilities of exchange and collaboration between the two universities in Arabic and Islamic Studies.

Islamic University of Maldives is the second largest public university of Maldives with 3000 students across its 5 faculties and 4 centres.

Dr. Ali Saeed said that his university was keen on furthering close cooperation with JMI, especially in two areas - 1) Arabic Language and Education and 2) Shariah and International Law.

Prof. Ahmad said that the Department of Arabic was one of the oldest departments of Jamia and the university looks forward to lending all possible support and cooperation to the Male City-based university. He added that there are several areas of common interest by which both will benefit.

Dr. Mohammad Ayub Nadwi, Professor & Head, Department Arabic, JMI said that they looked forward to exchange of scholars in Islamic Studies and Arabic language.

Dr. Ali Saeed also expressed interest in opening Persian language courses with help from JMI. He further said that his university was interesting in hosting scholars to lecture on Law from time to time.

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