

CURRICULUM VITAE

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MEMBERSHIP OF PROFESSIONAL INSTITUTIONS

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| 1) Bahrain Bar Association | 1985 |
| 2) Arab Bar Association, Cairo | 1986 |
| 3) International Bar Association, London | 1996 |
| 4) Arab Association for International Arbitration, Paris | 1996 |
| 5) Chartered Institute of Arbitrators, London | 1997 |
| 6) London Court of International Arbitration (LCIA), London | 1997 |
| 7) American Arbitration Association (AAA), New York | 1997 |
| 8) Bahrain Chamber for Dispute Resolution, Bahrain | 2010 |
| 9) Lawyers Committee ICC Bahrain | 2011 |

OTHER QUALIFICATIONS

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| 1) Attorney at the Court of Cassation, Bahrain | 1995 |
| 2) Former Member of Board of Directors of Bahrain Bar Association | 1987 |
| 3) Member of the Board of Directors of Arab Association for International Arbitration, Paris | 1997 |
| 4) Member of the Preparatory Committee of the Arab Arbitration Centres Conference, Cairo | 1997 |
| 5) Member of Bahrain Lawyers Disciplinary Council, Ministry of Justice, Bahrain | 2001 |
| 6) Member of the National Commission for Evaluation of Academic Degrees, Ministry of Education, Bahrain | 2001 |
| 7) Member of Journal of Arbitration Editorial Committee, Beirut, Lebanon | 2009 |
| 8) Registered Arbitrator at Ministry of Justice and BCDR Bahrain | 2010 |

COURSES ATTENDED

- 1) *Multi Party Arbitration Course by GCC Commercial Arbitration Centre, Bahrain, September 29 – October 1, 1996*
- 2) *English Legal Term of Contract by Gulf Institute for International Law, Dubai, U.A.E., December 12-14, 1996*
- 3) *Research Methodology in Middle Eastern Studies, Oxford Academy for Advanced Studies, Oxford, England, July – August, 1998*
- 4) *Civil Facilitative Mediation, Ministry of Justice, Kingdom of Bahrain and the American Bar Association, Manama, Kingdom of Bahrain, December 3-7, 2005*
- 5) *State Judges Council Club, 1st Conference for Judicial Heritage of Egyptian State Council, Cairo, Egypt, December 1-6, 2007*
- 6) *Strengthening of the Rule of Law in the MENA Region, Arab Council for Judicial and Legal Studies, Amman, Jordan, January 9-10, 2008*
- 7) *The Power Of Mediation, International Bar Association, Ministry of Justice, 31 March – 1 April, 2009*
- 8) *Mediation Skills Training Program, International Centre for Dispute Resolution American Arbitration Association – BCDR, Manama, Kingdom of Bahrain, 7-9 June 2011*
- 9) *Arbitration in Oil and Gas Industry - Blake, Cassels & Graydon LLP, BCDR-AAA. Speakers: Tim Martin, Dr. Saud Al Ammari, Manama, Kingdom of Bahrain, 27 September 2011*
- 10) *Role of the Lawyer in Mediation, Saint Joseph University – Professional Center for Mediation - Beirut, Lebanon, BCDR-AAA, Manama, Kingdom of Bahrain, 16 - 17 April 2012*
- 11) *Managing Conflicts and Resolving Disputes Effectively Singapore Mediation Center, BCDR-AAA, Manama, Kingdom of Bahrain, 15-17 October 2012*
- 12) *The 2012 ICC Rules of Arbitration Conference and Training, ICC Paris, Manama, Kingdom of Bahrain, 21-22 October 2012*

ARTICLES PUBLISHED

- 1) *The Role of the Civil High Court of Appeals in International Commercial Arbitration*, Al Ayam Newspaper, November 17, 1996
- 2) *The Recognition and the Enforcement of the Foreign Arbitral Award in Bahrain according to the New York Convention of 1958*, *The Lebanese Review of Arab and International Arbitration*, No. 4, 1997
- 3) *The Disclosure in International Commercial Arbitration*, *The Lebanese Review of Arab and International Arbitration*, No. 8, 1998
- 4) *Study on the Law of Bahrain Chamber of Dispute Resolution*, *The Journal of Arbitration*, No. 5, 2010, Beirut, Lebanon
- 5) *Obstacles of Arbitration in Bahrain*, *The Journal of Arbitration*, No. 14, 2012, Beirut, Lebanon

EXPERIENCE IN ARBITRATION

(The following are examples of many Arbitration Cases, the information below is strictly confidential)

- 1) *As Sole Arbitrator*
Wedding & Events Co. V. The Living Concept
Dispute regarding a Royal Wedding, Amount Disputed: BD3,065,000/=
 - 2) *As Chairman of Arbitration Committee*
Sungwon Corporation (Korea) V. Ministry of Works, Bahrain
Dispute regarding Isa Town Junction & Flyover Construction,
Amount Disputed: BD20,000,000/=
 - 3) *As Member of Arbitration Committee*
 - a) *National Bank of Kuwait V. Gateway Gulf*
Dispute regarding Banking Facilities, Amount Disputed: BD6,000,000/=
Under BCDR/AAA
 - b) *Standard Chartered Bank V. Saud Trading Contracting & Financial Services Co.*
Dispute regarding Banking Facilities, Amount Disputed: BD25,000,000/=
Under BCDR/AAA
 - c) *Ithmaar Bank V. Adel Abdulla Ali*
Dispute regarding Banking Facilities, Amount Disputed: USD12,435,000.00
Under BCDR/AAA
 - 4) *As Plaintiff Counsel*
Skyline Trading Corp., WLL V. Real Capita B.S.C.
Dispute regarding BD9,000,000/= Construction Contract
Amount Disputed: BD1,400,000 /=-
Under ICC, Paris
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