



SAUDI LAW CONFERENCE المؤتمر السعودي للقانون

UNDER THE THEME: LEGAL ENVIRONMENT
FOR SUSTAINABLE BUSINESS

CONFERENCE PROGRAM

28 - 30 November 2022
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Introduction

After the Saudi conference proved to be a real platform that successfully brings together the legal community during its previous three sessions, Burhan Al-Maarifa announces that the fourth session of the Saudi Law Conference will be held from 28 to 30 November 2022 AD at the headquarters of Prince Sultan University in Riyadh. This year, the conference will focus on axes based on three main pillars (the legal profession - the trusted practitioner - the role of the Saudi Bar Association) with the allocation of workshops and sessions for legal development and some topics related to developments in the legal sectors, including legal technology and technical systems. This is under the patronage of His Excellency Dr. Walid Al-Samaani Minister of Justice, Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Saudi Bar Association, Strategic Partnership with the Saudi Bar Association, and an Academic Partnership with the College of Law at Prince Sultan University.

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- THE SAUDI LAW CONFERENCE IS HELD IN STRATEGIC PARTNERSHIP WITH THE SAUDI BAR ASSOCIATION AND ACADEMIC STRATEGIC PARTNERSHIP WITH THE COLLEGE OF LAW AT PRINCE SULTAN UNIVERSITY.

**In the name of Allah,
most gracious, most merciful**

It is my pleasure to welcome you once again
at the fourth edition of the Saudi Law Conference (SLC)

The first edition of the SLC was thankfully well attended and exceeded expectations in the level of the constructive participation of speakers and attendees, which had a great impact in developing recommendations that we hope will contribute to the elevation of the legal sector in all its branches and disciplines. The fourth edition of SLC is an extension of our mission of raising awareness and knowledge in various legal disciplines in order to stimulate “a legal environment sustainable business”, and to contribute to raising the level of the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia’s local economy by preserving the rights of investors locally and globally.

I would like to thank His Excellency Dr. Walid Al-Samaani Minister of Justice, Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Saudi Bar Association, for his support and patronage of the SLC, and also thank all our Partners, supporters and participants, both speakers and attendees. I wish everyone continued success.

HALA BINT KHALED BIN SULTAN BIN ABDULAZIZ
Chairman of the Saudi Law Conference Organizing Committee
Founder of Burhan Almarifa



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- Reception and Registration:	08:00 - 10:00
- Visiting and opening the Exhibition	10:00 - 10:15
Opening of the Exhibition: For Ministers and Guests	Building 105
- Opening ceremony:	10:15 - 10:45
Conference video	
Opening Speech: HRH Princess Hala bint Khaled bin Sultan - Chairman of the Saudi Law Conference Organizing Committee, Founder of Burhan Almarifa	
Saudi Bar Association Welcoming Address: Dr.Alaa Naji - General Supervisor of the General Secretariat Saudi Bar Association	Main Hall
Welcoming Speech Prince Sultan University: Dr.Ahmad Yamani - President, Prince Sultan University	
- PANEL 1: The Strategy, Aspirations and Hopes of the Ministry of Justice in the Legal Sector	10:45 - 11:45
Moderators: Mr.Khaled Aloqaily	
Ministry of Justice: His Excellency Dr.Walid Al-Samaa - Minister of Justice, Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Saudi Bar Association	Main Hall
- Break +Al-Dhuhr Prayer	11:45 - 12:00
- Honoring Sponsors	11:45 - 12:15
- PANEL 2: Legal Developments in the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia	12:15 - 01:15
Moderators: Ms.Sarah Khan - Protection Assistant Officer at UNHCR	
Justice Systems: Sheikh Yusuf Al-Faraj	
Investments and Monearty Transactions: Mohammed Alzogaibi - Vice President of Legal Affairs - Mobily)	Main Hall
Business and Corporate Sector: Dr.Abdulaziz Al-Duhaim - Deputy Minister for Policies & Regulations	
- Coffee Break	01:15 - 01:30
- PANEL 3: Professional Reference	01:30 - 02:30
Moderators: Dr. Faisal Al-Fadhel - Member of Shura Council	
The role of the Saudi Bar Association in Empowering and Regulating the Legal Sector: Dr. Osama Al-Qahtani - Member of the Board of Directors of the Saudi Bar Association	Main Hall
Professional Development in the Legal System: Dr. Loai Al-Akkas - Member of the Board of Directors of the Saudi Bar Association	
- Coffee Break +Al-Asr Prayer	02:30 - 03:15



Parallel Workshops

03:15 - 04:15

- **Workshop (1): Challenges and Opportunities for Legal Departments**
Mohammed Al-Zoghaibi - Vice President for Legal Affairs - Mobily Co.
- **Workshop (2): How to Market Yourself as a Lawyer**
Dr. Obaid Al-Abdali - Chief Executive Officer, Mazeej Marketing Consultants

04:15 - 04:30

- **Break**

04:30 - 05:30

- **Workshop (3): Legal Structure of International Firms**
Mr.Mohammed Al-Aqeel - Managing Partner at Mohammed Al-Aqeel & Partners Law Firm
- **Workshop (4): Establishing Law Firms**
Mr.Tariq Homoud Al Ibrahim - Founder, Partner and Chairman of the Board of Directors of Diwan Al Qanun Law Firm and Legal Consultations

05:30 - 06:00

- **Break + Al-Maghreb Prayer**



Entertainment Events

- **Watching the FIFA World Cup matches**

06:00 - 08:45

- Reception and Registration:

09:00 - 10:00

- **PANEL 4: The Future of Legal Establishments and the Industry of Partnerships and Alliances**

10:00 - 11:00

Moderators: Mr.Abdolmohsen Alsuwailem - Partner - Saudi Office Attorneys and Consultants

Forms of Future Legal Establishments and the Success Factors of Their Institutional Wor: Mr.Fahad Almalki - Executive Partner (Suhail Partners Advocates and Legal Consultants

Professional Foreign Law Firms: Major Changes: Mr.Yazeed Al-Toaimi - Managing Partner, Al-Salloum & Al-Tuaimi Law Firm and Legal Consultancy, STAT

Professional Foundations for Legal Entities and Professional Companies: Mr.Eyad Reda (Lawyer and legal advisor Executive Partner of Eyad Reda Law Firm and Legal Consultations)

Challenges and Obstacles for Companies and Management of Professional Disputes: Ms.Joza Al-Rasheed - Partner, Law Office of Mohammed Altammami in association with Herbert Smith Freehills LLP

- Coffee Break

11:00 - 11:15

- Honoring Volunteers of the "Legal Volunteering Marathon

11:15 - 11:30

 Main Hall

- Saudi Accreditation Standards for Legal Practitioners Workshop

11:30 - 12:15

 Main Hall

- Break +Al-Dhuhr Prayer

12:15 - 12:45

- **PANEL 5: Professional Qualification, Reliability and Practice**

12:45 - 01:45

Moderators: Dr.Maitha Alghanmi Assistant Professor of Law, Prince Sultan University

The Experience of the DIFC Courts: HE Justice Ali Shamis Almadhani - Deputy President of the DIFC Courts

From Academia to Practice: Dr.Angela Onwuachi-Willig - Dean of Boston University School of Law, Ryan Roth Gallo & Ernest J. Gallo Professor of Law

 Main Hall

Bar Association Academy Programs for the Trusted Practitioner: Ms.Ethar Aldaej- Member of the Board of Directors of the Saudi Bar Association and Member of the Executive Committee, Founding Partner at Elaw Boutique Law Firm Professor of Law

- Coffee Break +Al-Asr Prayer

02:45 - 03:15



Parallel Workshops

03:15 - 04:15

- **Workshop (5): Legal Technology and Digital Systems**

Mr.Majid Al-Shabanah - Chief Executive Officer of the Legal and Corporate Affairs Unit - Mobily Co.

- **Workshop (6): Saudi Bar Association's Strategic Plan**

Dr.Alaa Naji - General Supervisor of the General Secretariat

04:15 - 04:30

- **Break**

04:30 - 05:30

- **Workshop (7): Services and Enablers of the Human Resources Development Fund for the Legal and Legal Consultancy Sector**

Mr.A. Muhammad Al-Zahrani - Legal Track Manager

- **Workshop (8): The Theory of Economic Analysis of Law and its Importance in Modern Legislation**

Dr.Najla Al-Hogail - Assistant Professor of Law at King Saud University

05:30 - 06:00

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- PANEL 6: Professional Skills for Successful Arbitration

10:00 - 11:00

Moderators: Mr.Chris Alberti - Chief of ADR & General Counsel, Saudi Center for Commercial Arbitration (SCCA)

How to manage your client's and opposing party's version of history: Mr.James Bremen - Partner, Chair of Construction and Engineering Practice, Quinn Emanuel

How to manage challenges with document production: Mr.James Weier - Chief Legal Officer of King Abdullah Financial District

How to manage requests for classified or privileged documents:
Dr.Majed Alotaibi - Professor of Law, College of Law and Political Science, King Saud University

- Coffee Break

11:00 - 11:15

- PANEL 7: Technology and Artificial Intelligence in Law

11:15 - 12:15

Moderators: Mr.Abdul Rahman Mashat - Lecturer in Law, King Abdulaziz University

The Latest in LegalTech: Mr.Hussain Hadi - Head of Publishing & Technology, LexisNexis Middle East, Head of Middle East Publishing & Technology, LexisNexis

How far can we go with LegalTech and AI, and why the need for a lawyer is still there: Mr.David Jones - Founder & CEO, Clausify Limite (Remotely)

What do lawyers fear from technology and is what they fear realistic:
Mr.Sami Al-Otaibi - legal director in Saudi Payments

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- Break +Al-Dhuhr Prayer

12:15 - 12:45

- Discussion 8: Digital platforms and their impact on legal services

12:45 - 01:45

Moderators: Mr.Abdulrahman Alayouni - Director of the General Department of Legal Affairs in a government agency

KSA Digital government platforms and its impact on legal services:
Mr.Yasser Al-Shammari - Deputy for Business and Digital Transformation (Digital Government Authority)

Digital Systems for Managing Legal Entities:
Mr.Firas Hajjar - CEO , App4Legal Co.

Mediation Platforms to Provide Legal Services: Mr. Khalid Bin Talib - (SBA)

 [Main Hall](#)

- Coffee Break

01:45 - 02:00

- PANEL 9: The Stage: Qualification as a Way to Build a Successful Legal Personality

02:00 - 03:00

Moderators: The lawyer.Walaa Adnan Al-Attas -

Speaker: Dr.Fahd Al-Majid -

 Main Hall

- Coffee Break +Al-Asr Prayer

03:00 - 03:15



Parallel Workshops

- Workshop (9): Using Legal Technology in Studying Case File

03:15 - 04:15

Mr.Yahya Al-Omari - Founding partner in Adalah Information Systems Technology - Qanonia

- Workshop (10): Anticipating the Future of Human Resource Management for a Law Office

Lawyer Dr. Asaad bin Saeed bin Hareb Al-Hadrami - Lawyer and Legal Advisor, Assistant Professor of Civil Law at Al-Zahra College for Girls

- Break

04:15 - 04:30

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- Workshop (11): Legal Tech Essentials

Mr.Shak Ashraf - Managing Director of Forte Markets, Founder of the Global Legal Technology & Innovation Institute

- Workshop (12): Work Ethics and Values in Modern Legislation

Mr. Hassan bin Abdul Rahman Al Bahes - Chartered Accountant, President of the Association of Management Accountants in Riyadh

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