



Building Success

The Arab world's real estate moguls gather to network, learn and look ahead to a flourishing future


In September, FORBES MIDDLE EAST held a glittering gala to unveil the top real estate companies in the region for 2018. The exclusive event to honor the Top Real Estate Companies in the Middle East, brought together leaders of the most successful companies within one of the most economically relevant industries in the Middle East.

Khuloud Al Omian, Editor-in-Chief at Forbes Middle East said, "Across the world, the real estate market is cyclical. Fluctuations in prices is a sign of a healthy market correcting itself. With the country's leadership committed to foster economic growth, the sector looks attractive for global investors."

More than 200 regional heavyweights attended the event. The ranking unveiled in Forbes Middle East's real estate special edition recognized 80 developers and 20 real estate consultants for their contributions to

the industry, and as such the regional economy.

The Middle East's leading real estate companies have shaped local landscapes, building and creating famous skylines that have redefined the identities of the Arab world's key areas as urban cities and business hubs globally. The sector has continued to attract foreign investment worth billions of dollars by diversifying and developing luxury and affordable properties to house the growing population and rapidly rising visitor numbers.

Despite a softening, real estate continues to be a preferred asset class among investors and is expected to continue to be amongst the fastest growing in the world. Technology too is helping the industry transform and with government support the future for the real estate market looks promising. The event was hosted in partnership with Confident Group and Alubond. 



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Mr. Atif Rahman Director & Partner of **Denube Properties** and Mr. Rizwan Sajan, Founder of the Denube Group with Ms. Khuloud Al Oman, Editor-in-Chief



Mr. Abdulla Ishaq Head of Leasing & Customer Service Department of **WASL Asset Management Group**



Mr. Mohammed Sultan Al Qadi, Managing Director of **RAK Properties** with his team



Mr. Rahail Aslam CEO of **Select Group** with his team



Mr. Nayef Al Moosa, Director of **ARENCO Real Estate**



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Mr. Ashutosh Sahoo, Head of Marketing **Sobha Developers** with his team



Mr. Esam Hasan Saleh, Executive Director and Business Development of **Jumeriah Golf Estates** with his team



Dr. Faisal Ali Mousa, Chairman of **FAM Holding** with his team



Mr. Edward Attwood, Chief Communications Officer of **ARADA** with Team



Mr. Muhammad BinGhatti CEO & Head of Architecture of **Bin Ghatti Developers** with his team





Mr. Samir Salya, Chairman of **Reign Holdings** with his team



Mr. James Lewis, Partner and General Manager of **Knight Frank** with his team



Mr. Ali Tumbi, CEO of **Aqua Properties** with his team



Mr. Simon Kennedy, Managing Director of **Edwards and Towers Real Estate Brokers** with his team



Mr. Rakan Al Alami, Managing Director of **Harbor Real Estate** with his team



Mr. Umar Bin Farooq, CEO of **One Brokers Group** with his team





Mr. Firas Al Msaddi, CEO of **Fam Properties** with his team



Mr. Abdullah Alajaji, Managing Director of **Driven Properties** with his team



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