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Since 1972, the Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Organization (TAG-Org) has embarked on a mission to develop the services sector through its focus on developing the skills of its employees to meet the high requirements of its clients thus raising the bar of the quality of our services.

We have built strong mutually supportive relationships with the world’s leading financial and development organizations -- the United Nations, the World Trade Organization, the World Bank, the International Chamber of Commerce, and so many others as part of our global expansion and today we are proud of having strong international presence in the shape of 85 offices around the world and we are expanding to 100 offices in 2018.

In our feature article for this first issue, we will shed light on our 2017 Annual General Meeting: achievements and future plans.

Dr. Talal Abu-Ghazaleh
Chairman
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AMMAN - HE Dr. Talal Abu-Ghazaleh, chairman of Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Organization (TAG-Org), president of Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Confucius Institute, received Vice Premier of the People’s Republic of China HE Ms. Liu Yandong at TAG-Org’s Regional Building/Talal Abu-Ghazaleh University.

During the meeting held in the presence of a host of ministers, Senators, parliamentarians, high-ranking diplomats and academics, Dr. Abu-Ghazaleh delivered a welcoming speech.

It’s a great honor for Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Organization with its 85 offices worldwide and on behalf of my Deputy for Chinese Affairs Mr. Luay Abu-Ghazaleh, and on my own behalf to welcome Your Excellency here at Talal Abu-Ghazaleh International Digital University

He expressed his appreciation to be the first Jordanian to receive the “Outstanding Contributions for Enhancing the Sino-Arab Relations” award in 2016, in person from HE Mr. Xi Jinping, President of the People’s Republic of China.

“Today, it is our honor that Your Excellency has chosen our University for this visit during your official visit to the Kingdom. Thank you. We are proud that your visit comes at the 40th Anniversary of Chinese-Jordanian ties which His Majesty King Abdullah II highly values.

I am personally proud to work with my dear friend the Ambassador of the People’s Republic of China to Jordan HE Pan Weifang to enhance this friendship.

It is also my great honor to receive you in my capacity as President of TAG-Confucius Institute, the great source of pride since 2008. We are proud to have established in 2003 our three offices in China (Shanghai, Beijing, and Hong Kong).

We are proud of our great partnership with Hanban since 2008 and with Shenyang University. Thank you Mr. Ma Jianfei, Executive Deputy Director- General of Hanban, and thank you Mr. Lin Qun, President of Shenyang University for your presence with us.

We are proud that since 2009 we have been providing under the supervision of the Chinese Embassy visa services to Jordanians travelling to China in a perfect and a successful partnership.”

For her part, Dr. Liu Yandong stressed in her speech the deep ties of cooperation between the two countries and the development witnessed in various fields.

She said that His Majesty King Abdullah II and His Excellency President of China exchanged
congratulations on the occasion of the 40th Anniversary of relations between the two countries and expressed their satisfaction with the development of such ties.

She also expressed her pride for the establishment of TAG-Confucius and for the achievements it realized, specifically efforts exerted by Dr. Abu-Ghazaleh, teachers of the Institute, students and all other supporters. She said that the Institute aims at introducing the Chinese language and culture for a better understanding of the Arab-Sino cultures.

Moreover, Dr. Liu Yandong announced the launch of three initiatives for Jordanians; the first is the provision of 2000 books on the Chinese culture, the second is an invitation to 50 young Jordanians to participate in a summer camp in China and thirdly she presented 20 scholarships for students to study in China.
NEW YORK - Upon an official invitation from the UNDP UN Under Secretary-General Ms. Helen Clark and the UNDP Director, Regional Bureau for Asia and the Pacific Mr. Haoliang Xu, HE Dr. Talal Abu-Ghazaleh, chairman of Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Organization (TAG-Org) will serve as a member of the United Nations Social Impact Fund High Level Advisory Board (UNSIF-HLAB).

As expressed in the invitation letter, Dr. Abu-Ghazaleh’s selection was based on his exemplary leadership, profound insights and expertise deemed indispensable in enabling UNDP-UNSIF to maximize its overall social, economic and policy value for the government, the UN and the financial and impact investing sector. The letter addressed Dr. Abu Ghazaleh: “Acting as a critical advisor and friend of UNSIF, you have the opportunity to jointly shape the direction of UNSIF policy initiatives, investment strategy and impact, with a group of renowned and committed leaders.”

The acknowledgement of Abu-Ghazaleh’s commitment to social development and achievements were highlighted in the letter stating: “Your commitment to bettering society, and in particular nurturing youth and expanding opportunities for all, is inspiring. Under your leadership, the Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Organization and the Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Foundation are strengthening the minds and hearts of generations to come, setting the foundation for a robust knowledge-based economy. Your experience with leading a highly successful “hybrid” model of a for-profit organization with a pro-social mission will be invaluable to the United Nations Social Impact Fund that looks to use blended financing to support entrepreneurs around the world as they contribute to a strong and resilient world.”

Dr. Abu-Ghazaleh, who is also a member of the Jordanian Senate responded.

I am pleased and honored to join your UNSIF-HLAB. Your objectives are at the core of TAG-Org’s mission. Having served as UN ICT TF co-chair and UNGAID chair, I would propose that you consider the use of ICT as an enabler in achieving the objectives.

Dr. Abu-Ghazaleh’s consistent adherence to emphasizing the necessity for ICT was further articulated in his declaration that Development of Information and Communication Technology (ICT) and enhancing its use are considered the cornerstone of a country’s economic structure.
It is noteworthy to mention that Senator Abu-Ghazaleh has chaired more than 14 UN taskforces and initiatives including UN ICT TF co-chair and UNGAID chair, and he was Vice chair with Their Excellences Kofi Annan and Ban Ki-moon of the UN Global Compact as well as being a member of several UN programs, most recently being named Special Ambassador to the World Tourism Organization (UNWTO).

In 2016, during the UNDP’s celebration marking the 50th Anniversary of its founding and the 40th Anniversary since the start of its operations in Jordan, Dr. Abu Ghazaleh was honored for his role in advancing the UNDP's development goals.

TAG-Org cooperates with the UNDP on various projects, most notably in the fields of capacity building which aims to achieve sustainable development for Jordanian youth and Syrian refugees. In 2016, the Ministry of Planning and International Cooperation launched a UNDP funded study on the “Indirect Impact of the Syrian Refugee Crisis on the Jordanian Economy” which was prepared by Talal Abu-Ghazaleh & Co. Consulting (TAG-Consult).

The UNDP-UNSIF supports the financing for Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) agenda, and was established in November 2016.
AMMAN - Lieutenant-General Mahmoud Freihat, Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff of the Jordanian Armed Forces, received at his office at the Jordan Armed Forces HQ’s, HE Dr. Talal Abu-Ghazaleh and the accompanying delegation. The two parties discussed a number of projects that Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Organization (TAG-Org) carries out mainly in the field of technology, the establishment of knowledge stations and TAG-Org’s advanced capabilities in technical and professional training areas.

TAG-Org established a knowledge station at the Security and Protection Unit. And contributed to the establishment of the Al ‘Shohada” Hall, the Martyrs Hall, for news monitoring at the Directorate of Moral Guidance which will be inaugurated soon, in addition to the planned establishment of 12 knowledge stations at the Military Culture Schools in the remote areas.

During the meeting, a number of constructive ideas and suggestions were discussed with the goal of establishing constructive participatory relations destined to avail the expertise and the wide network of TAG-Org’s relations in various fields for the benefit of the Jordanian Armed forces as deemed appropriate.
Abu-Ghazaleh
and Supreme Judge
Discuss Plans to Develop SJD Programs

HE Dr. Talal Abu-Ghazaleh received a delegation representing the Supreme Judge Department (SJD) headed by His Eminence Dr. Abdul Karim Al Khasawneh, chief justice of the Kingdom, within the cooperation framework between Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Organization (TAG-Org) and the Department.

The two sides discussed means of bilateral cooperation that mainly include the electronic archiving project of the SJD’s documents implemented by TAG-Org and the work progress in this important project.

Dr. Al Khasawneh highly commended TAG-Org’s role, performance and cooperation with the Department in finalizing the project that serves the SJD in various aspects particularly in reducing filing storage space, facilitating search for documents through electronic search in addition to other positive effects on the Department for the benefit of the Jordanian citizens.

Dr. Abu-Ghazaleh expressed his great pleasure with the opportunity that allows TAG-Org to offer its archiving services to the Supreme Judge Department as well as any other services the Department may further need.

He also announced the launch of a number of initiatives that will serve and develop the performance of the Department; donating the required computers and expressing TAG-Org’s readiness to audit all ICT systems in the Department.

Furthermore, Dr. Abu-Ghazaleh expressed his willingness to help the SJD in coordination with the relevant ministries to support the SJD Automated System (SJDAS) for its importance in providing electronic services and linking sharia courts through a special communication network in line with the vision of His Royal Highness Crown Prince Al Hussein bin Abdullah II.
Al Fayez and Abu-Ghazaleh Sign Agreement to Transform the Senate into Smart and Knowledge-Based Institution

AMMAN - Senate President, HE Mr. Faisal Al Fayez, and HE Dr. Talal Abu-Ghazaleh, chairman of Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Organization (TAG-Org), signed an agreement that aims at transforming the Senate into a smart and knowledge-based institution.

The agreement seeks to develop and upgrade all Senate professional and technical services as well as provide the required training to Upper House personnel.

Commenting on the agreement, President Al Fayez said it comes in line with the goal of developing Senate services, enhancing staff capacity building, reducing manual work, facilitating performance evaluation, fast revision of any errors, and prompt publication of Senate documents.

His Excellency added that other objectives may be achieved as well, including the need to overcome administrative obstacles, technical problems and proper utilization of time, money and effort. He noted that the computerization of Senate's activities and work conforms to «our own vision, as well as the Kingdom's tendency towards implementing e-government».

Mr. Al Fayez extended his gratitude to Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Organization, represented by Dr. Abu-Ghazaleh, highly commending its national role since it volunteered to carry out this significant project, which, he added, will create a transitional leap in developing Upper House services, and upgrading all its activities in the ICT field.

For his part, Dr. Abu-Ghazaleh voiced his happiness for signing the agreement, stressing its important objective in transforming this prominent legislative body into a smart institution and a role model for other institutions in the Kingdom.
He also affirmed that coping with technological development is no longer just about saving time and effort; it has become a necessity that we have to coexist with taking into account that there will be no future without knowledge.

"The project includes an action plan and a timeframe to set a policy for the use of email, for introducing email usage guidelines, and for developing a new website that incorporates Senate's news, photos, videos, media information, and laws among others.

The project also consists of developing a Discussion Platform that enables Senators to attend the Council's meetings remotely, developing an intranet Portal that offers space for discussions and exchanging ideas, in addition to assisting Senate members in easily checking different documents such as minutes of meetings, meeting invitations, agendas and other material.

Another study will be submitted, based on the agreement, underlining the significance of electronic archiving of the Senate's documents and files, providing training to Senators to enable them to use the Internet and computer, in addition to the provision of digital learning programs through Talal Abu-Ghazaleh University, in all related fields.

The agreement also includes the provision of a media action plan that enhances communication with the local community through various media outlets. It also provides for establishing a knowledge center at the House to be equipped with the required furniture, tools and programs by the Tala Abu Ghazaleh Organization, in addition to preparing the House's Organizational Structure in terms of digital transformation, as well as evaluating the need of the House for servers, equipment, and software, and to examine the potentials of connecting the Senate to high-speed Internet access."
100 Offices in 2018
Worldwide For All TAGORG Services
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Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Organization Holds its Annual Meeting, Decides to Expand to All Countries of the World in All Services

AMMAN - Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Organization (TAG-Org) held its 2017 Annual General Meeting entitled (100 Offices in 2018) at the Marriott Hotel in Amman under the chairmanship of HE Dr. Talal Abu-Ghazaleh with the participation of more than 300 directors from the Organization’s offices around the world.

The three-day annual gathering aimed at drawing plans for the implementation of the Organization’s strategy to expand its presence and services in all fields across the globe, in order to transform into a global knowledge-based organization.

Dr. Abu-Ghazaleh addressed the attendees expressing his pride for the Talal Abu-Ghazaleh staff and attributing the organization’s success and achievements to their efforts and hard work, pointing out that their performance challenged the notion that international corporations are restricted to certain regions.

Dr. Abu-Ghazaleh said that the Organization passed through two evolution stages; the First Evolution started in 1972 in Kuwait and ended in 1990, the second from 1990-2017, and the Third Evolution started this year to continue until 2030.
During the sessions of the Conference, many resolutions were passed for the implementation of the Organization’s strategy in expansion and for the provision of its services at the highest standards.

In addition, Dr. Abu-Ghazaleh reviewed the services presented by the Organization’s offices or through a local partner which include Translation, English Language (Cambridge Certificate), Arabic Language (Arabic Fluency Certificate), E-Archiving, the Talal Abu-Ghazaleh International Diploma in IT Skills (TAG-DIT), Digital Training (Online), Outsourcing Services, ISO, Market Research and Intelligence, Market Surveys, Taxation and VAT, Online Education, Company Registration, Tenders, Chinese Language, Recruitment and Human Resources.

During the meeting, Dr. Abu-Ghazaleh presented honorary shields to managers and employees who have contributed to the success and excellence of the Organization.

Moreover, Dr. Abu-Ghazaleh stressed the significance of Corporate Social Responsibility accomplished through Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Foundation which is concerned with capacity building of members of the society and the implementation of TAG-Org’s mission in giving back to the community.

On an additional note, TAG-Org inaugurated a number of new offices in different countries in 2017 including, but not limited to, Nigeria, Brazil, Australia, Germany, Indonesia, Malaysia, Italy and Kazakhstan.
Abu-Ghazaleh Honors TAG-Org Achievers

Mr. Motasem Abu Ghazaleh
AGIP-UAE

Mr. Maan Al Khen
AGIP-KSA

Mr. Amjad Al Husseini
AGIP-UAE

Mr. Hazem Abu Ghazaleh
AGIP-Kuwait

Mr. Tareq Al Khatib
AGIP-Egypt

Ms. Shang Wei Zhong
AGIP-China

Mr. Vikram Paul
TAG-Legal-UAE

Mr. Laith Abu Qaoud
TAG-Legal-UAE

Mr. Ahmad Al Kassem
TAG-Legal-KSA

Ms. Deema Abu Zalaykha
TAG-Legal-GA

Mr. Zaher Al Khalafat
TAG-BC-FM-GA

Mr. Ala'a Yaseen
Human Resource & GCS
Mr. Ramez Quneibi  
Design, Websites and Digital Marketing

Mr. Mohammad Al Khalil  
TAG-DIT-Jordan

Ms. Majd Farahat  
TAG-Cloud & AIMICT

Mr. Salem Hussein  
IASCA

Mr. Ahmad Alawneh  
TAG-Legal-GA

Mr. Fouad Obeidat  
Maintenance-GA

Mr. Marwan Abu Sahyoun  
Internal Audit-GA

Mr. Adham Adly  
Maintenance-GA

Mr. Jamal Melhem  
TAGI-Ramallah

Mr. Amjad Al Foqaha  
Financial Control-GA

Mr. Haitham Abu Ghazaleh  
Procurement-GA

Mr. Alaa Said  
TAG Academy-Bahrain

Mr. Mohammad Al Khalil  
TAG-DIT-Jordan

Mr. Samir Sarhan  
Chairman Office - GA
Abu-Ghazaleh Intellectual Property
Selected One of the Top 10 Intellectual Property Firms in China

BEIJING - Abu-Ghazaleh Intellectual Property (AGIP) has been selected one of the top 10 Intellectual Property firms in China and won the Best Trademark Agency of the Year during a special ceremony by China Intellectual Property Forum held under the theme “Best Practices of Quality and Value” at China National Convention Center.

The selection was open for all registered IP firms in China, AGIP was the only non-Chinese company to reserve a place in the top ten after a comprehensive evaluation process by Power Nation IP Research Institute, one of the most powerful IP organizations and which is supported by Chinese government; the committee members responsible for the evaluation process are high IP officials and senior IP professionals from all over China.

HE Dr. Talal Abu-Ghazaleh, AGIP's Chairman said: “Since its inception in 1972, AGIP has embarked on a mission to become the best in
its field and today we complete our mission in China after being recognized all over the world. We are proud of our relations with the government and people of China and we will continue in providing the best service in all fields."

It is worth noting that AGIP has offices in Shanghai, Beijing and Hong Kong. This year, Chinese Vice-Premier Liu Yandong during her official visit to Jordan visited Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Confucius Institute and Talal Abu-Ghazaleh University.

In 2016, Dr. Abu-Ghazaleh was presented with the “China-Arab Friendship Outstanding Contribution Award” during President Xi Jinping’s visit to Egypt.

AGIP Celebrates 45th Anniversary of Success

We are celebrating AGIP’s 45 anniversary of success as a pioneering firm in Intellectual Property (IP) protection in the world. AGIP, a member of Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Organization (TAG-Org), is proud to celebrate four decades of success and prosperity which have been built on providing excellent IP services.

AGIP began operations in 1972 under the name of T.M.P Agents at a time when Intellectual Property protection was still in its early stages of development in the Arab region. However, since our launch AGIP has consistently been at the forefront of efforts to improve the infrastructure of IP in the Arab region and all the world.

Since its inception, AGIP has delivered a full range of Intellectual Property services. With highly trained legal and administrative professionals, AGIP’s team is well equipped to provide trademark, patent and copyright registrations and legal representation for any opposition, cancellation and appeal actions. With our firm dedication to the protection of our clients’ IP rights, AGIP has become synonymous with excellence.

Over these 45 years, we have expanded to 85 offices around the world, as well as liaison offices in the UK and Canada and a network of 150 liaison and correspondent offices worldwide, and a clientele which includes industries, from small businesses to major national and international corporations.
Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Intellectual Property
Amman - Jordan
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Abu-Ghazaleh Launches the Talal Abu-Ghazaleh International Diploma in IT Skills

AMMAN - Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Organization (TAG-Org) is pleased to announce that it will continue to offer the International Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Diploma in IT Skills (TAG-DIT), which has been offered since 2001 in cooperation with Cambridge International Examinations (CIE) - Cambridge University.

TAG-Org’s announcement comes after CIE’s recent decision to stop accrediting diplomas that are issued by organizations and institutions around the world as from June 30, 2017.

Considering TAG-Org’s 16 year of experience developing and managing the CIE - Cambridge University accredited International Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Diploma in IT Skills where over a quarter million Arab citizens from all over the Arab countries were trained and granted the Diploma, and since the Diploma and its components, including the curricula and exams were developed and are fully owned by TAG-Org, the Organization decided to offer the diploma and the related training programs and exams without accreditation by any third party.

Cambridge International Examinations (CIE) - Cambridge University has always imposed the highest degree of quality control over all elements of the program, including curricula, training materials, and examination programs. Additionally, during the 16 years, the development and programming tasks have been entrusted to experts at TAG-Org, and no remarks on the program quality or management have ever been reported by CIE.

Therefore, and out of TAG-Org’s keenness and commitment to build knowledge-based communities and reach digital citizen, it decided to continue to offer the program by providing training courses and other education sources through over a thousand accredited centers all over the Arab countries.

For further information on the International Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Diploma in IT Skills, please visit the following website: tagitc.com.
AMMAN - HE Dr. Talal Abu-Ghazaleh patronized the graduation ceremony of the 29th batch of the National Program and the 3rd batch of the International Program of Al Ra’ed Al Arabi School held at the Arab Cultural Society (ACS).

Dr. Abu-Ghazaleh extended his congratulations to the graduates and their families on the occasion. He said that the future of the world lies in our region and that is why all nations are struggling to control and dominate it. Addressing the graduates, Dr. Abu-Ghazaleh assured them that the future will be for knowledge, calling on them to embrace knowledge and become digital if they wanted to succeed in their careers. He warned that they will not have a place in the future if they do not become digital.

Dr. Abu-Ghazaleh further stated that the Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Intellectual Property managed to become the largest firm in the world because it decided to become a digital and knowledge-based company in all its transactions. He also stressed the point that success is the result of hard work and persistence calling on the students not to wait for any support from government or private entities emphasizing that creativity and innovation start with the individual himself or herself.

Dr. Abu-Ghazaleh said that Jordan is a great country that managed through the wisdom of HM King Abdullah II to maintain security and stability that enable the citizens to work and achieve their goals.

For his part, ACS Chairman Eng. Bisher Jardaneh extended his gratitude to Dr. Abu-Ghazaleh for his patronage.

School Principal Ms. Sanaa Qassim said that the School aims at providing its graduates with the required knowledge and technological skills to cope with the ongoing developments in all fields.

Meanwhile, representatives of students delivered inspirational graduation speeches in Arabic, English and French on behalf of their colleagues.

Parents Representative Dr. Bashar Al Rashdan delivered a speech after a group of students presented several artistic performances that pleased the audience.

At the end of the ceremony, Dr. Abu-Ghazaleh presented the graduates with their certificates.
AMMAN - Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Academy organized a panel discussion on 'Accounting as a Tool for Decision Makers' chaired by HE Dr. Talal Abu-Ghazaleh in the presence of a host of decision makers from different sectors.

The discussions aimed at outlining suggestions and recommendations to prepare a training program for decision makers that enables them to read the financial statements and to use them as a tool to take the proper decisions that correspond to the financial standing of the enterprise.

Dr. Abu-Ghazaleh underlined the significance of promoting the awareness of decision makers at small, medium and large enterprises regarding their ability to read the financial statements, noting that many inappropriate decisions were taken based on inaccurate reading of the financial statements.

Dr. Abu-Ghazaleh added that due to the importance of this issue a training program should be planned in a way that takes into consideration the time pressure on decision makers, and at the same time be able to provide them with the comprehensive theoretical and practical knowledge on how to read financial statements and develop their businesses efficiently in all their aspects.

Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Organization Executive Director Mr. Hazim Al Surakhi briefed the participants on accounting basics, branches, types, features and how all that helps make appropriate decisions, mainly in terms of determining available alternatives; accepting or rejecting new business transactions; decisions to decrease costs to maximize profits; pricing of services; and calculating the break-even point among others.

He referred to the importance of the financial analysis in taking decisions as it demonstrates the strength or weakness of the enterprise's financial standing, its profits, its credit standing, its efficiency of asset management, and the efficiency of its long-term financing policies.

Participants, representing directors of government organizations, managers of local companies, heads of financial, banking and accounting divisions at a number of Jordanian universities in addition to representatives of professional associations, presented numerous suggestions, proposing in particular, to add the training program of decision makers to the university curricula of undergraduate studies of all disciplines, as everyone should know how to read financial statements.

They also called for dividing the program's target groups into three categories to receive training based on their requirements. These categories would be: university students in general, university students in accounting and finance faculties, as well as decision makers in the society, noting that the training should be more of a practical than a theoretical nature.
Welcome to the Future of Education and Learning!

Talal Abu-Ghazaleh International University (TAGI-UNI) is an education service provider that offers academic degrees, language and art training, professional certificates and continuous education through strategic alliances with globally accredited partner institutions.

TAGI-UNI offers accredited multidisciplinary education and is a quality global e-campus university, providing digital classroom education for every student, wherever he or she may be.

Our mission is to make accredited educational programs accessible to everyone, everywhere.

Please take a look at our list of partners below and you may access all professional and academic programs through TAGI-UNI website: http://www.tagiuni.com/
Abu-Ghazaleh and the Chinese Ambassador to Jordan Patronize 8th “Great Wall” Language Competition

AMMAN - HE Dr. Talal Abu-Ghazaleh and the Chinese Ambassador to Jordan, HE Mr. Pan Weifang patronized the closing ceremony of the 8th “Great Wall” Language Competition in Jordan and the 16th global level Competition. The Competition ceremony was organized by the Chinese Embassy in cooperation with TAG-Confucius Institute at Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Knowledge Forum.

In his remarks to the attending guests Dr. Talal Abu-Ghazaleh emphasized the significance of the role of the Confucius Institute in promoting the Sino-Arab relations, by teaching the language and culture of the great nation of China that disseminates values of love and humanity.

Dr. Abu-Ghazaleh also expressed his gratitude for the Chinese government, particularly the honor bestowed upon him in 2016 by HE Mr. Xi Jinping, the
President of the People’s Republic of China, in appreciation of his remarkable contributions in enhancing the Sino-Arab relations. And once again he extended special thanks, for HE Ms. Liu Yandong, Vice Premier of the People’s Republic of China for kindly devoting part of her recent official visit to the Kingdom to visit Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Organization premises.

On his part, the Chinese Ambassador expressed his happiness to see students learning Chinese language in Jordan, affirming the growing number of students learning his country’s language at different universities and institutes in Jordan.

He also voiced his hopes that Chinese would become the third language to be taught at the Jordanian universities, reaffirming his satisfaction to see students speaking fluent Chinese and the fact that they are interested in the Chinese traditions and culture.

Ten participants from TAG-Confucius Institute, the University of Jordan, Philadelphia University as well as from the Yarmouk University entered the competition.

The three-level contest included public speeches to show the capabilities of the participants in pronunciation; testing their information about Chinese culture and civilization; and presenting a performance in either dancing, singing, painting, sports and skills in Chinese calligraphy.

The first winner was Mosab Al Khawaldeh, the second was Sarah Bishawi, both from the University of Jordan and the third were Zeina Ghannam and Sarah Abu Heit from TAG-Confucius.

The top winner will participate in the final phase of the 16th Great Wall Competition to be held in Beijing while the second winner will travel to China to attend the competition and visit tourist places in the country.

At the end of the competition, Dr. Abu-Ghazaleh and the Chinese Ambassador presented certificates and gifts to the winners and the participants.
TAG - KNOWLEDGE FORUM

Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Knowledge Forum Organizes a Roundtable Discussion with INSEAD Executive Director on ‘Competitiveness, Innovation and Talent’

AMMAN - Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Knowledge Forum (TAGKF) organized a roundtable discussion on “Competitiveness, Innovation and Talent” with Dr. Bruno Lanvin, Executive Director of Global Indices at INSEAD in the presence HE Mr. David Bertolotti, the French Ambassador to Jordan as guest of honour and HE Dr. Talal Abu-Ghazaleh.

Dr. Abu-Ghazaleh welcomed the Ambassador and Dr. Lanvin, expressing his gratitude to both of them, as well as the other attending guests for their participation. He explained that the objective of the session was to study the experiences of successful countries in the fields of economy and education that could impact on the countries’ competitiveness.

He further underlined the significance of the French experience in the field of competitiveness, which is evident in Jordan, through the investment of French companies in the Kingdom, stressing the need to learn from this experience in education, investment and innovation.

He announced that the Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Business and Culture (TAGBC) Radio Station would soon start broadcasting cultural programs pertaining to the French culture and education, and that will definitely motivate many in Jordan to learn from this successful experience in all fields.

On his part, Ambassador Bertolotti thanked Dr. Abu-Ghazaleh for his interest in the French experience, stating that the secret of its success is the investment in the real capital of France, which is human capacities. He added that France organizes programs that seek to connect the world with economic ponds to motivate economy noting that Jordan and France maintain strong relations in the field of enhancing innovation, which has a positive affect on the country and its citizens.
Meanwhile, Dr. Lanvin reviewed the status of Jordan in the field of competitiveness noting that Jordan is ranked 6th in the Middle East Talent Competitiveness Index. He further emphasized that Jordan has the potential to advance to a better level.

He added that competitiveness contributes to motivating individuals for a positive impact on the economy, saying that innovation consists of three elements: innovative individuals, markets and funding.

Concerning manufacturing, marketing and commercialization of creative ideas, he noted that we should take e-Transformation into consideration, without forgetting that marketing has become electronic without any borders, while the long-term funding should last for no less than ten to 20 years at least.

At the end of the session, Dr. Abu-Ghazaleh presented honorary shields to Ambassador Bertolotti and Dr. Lanvin.
Development of Jordan Badia Committee at Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Knowledge Forum Discusses Badia Development Plan

AMMAN - The Jordan Badia Committee, one of Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Knowledge Forum’s, held its starting meeting to prepare a development plan for the Jordanian Badia regions; a plan that is to includes a number of initiatives and suggestions for sustainable development in the targeted Badia areas.

HE Dr. Talal Abu-Ghazaleh stressed the need for introducing specific proposals for practical, doable and sustainable projects. He also called for the evaluation of the current condition and needs of the existing knowledge stations in the Badia areas so that they can be better equipped and enabled to perform at full capacity by the Talal Abu Ghazaleh Organization as part of its social corporate responsibility program.

On his part, Badia Committee head, Mr. Oudeh Al Mashan, affirmed that the highly qualified committee members, representing north, middle and south Badia regions, and including academics and economic experts are up to the task and are capable of evaluating the situation and suggesting appropriate solutions to the existing problems at all levels.

During the meeting the committee members reviewed facts and figures relating to the Badia. They reiterated the fact that although the Badia region covers approximately 85% of the total area of Jordan, with approximately one million residents, the average monthly family income is less than JD400. They also noted that the Jordan Badia didn't get the required authorities’ attention for development.

The Committee agreed to submit a number of initiatives and suggestions for development projects, emphasizing that the quality of education in some areas is very poor and that schools need to be rehabilitated in terms of infrastructure and logistic services. They also stressed the importance of investment in all fields mainly in solar energy and water.

The Committee identified the main sectors that need to be further reviewed; mainly knowledge education, the socio-economic sector, the energy sector, water and environment, and the digital library; with an emphasis on employing technology for handling each sector's issues.
Digital Media Committee of Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Knowledge Forum Discusses Future of Jordan’s Media

AMMAN - The Digital Media Committee has held its first meeting at Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Knowledge Forum stressing the significance of the digital media nowadays and its potential dangerous effect at the same time.

Committee Chair, Mr. Tahsin Ahmad Al Tal gave a comprehensive presentation on the digital media since its emergence in the Kingdom and the stages it passed through in the past years.

Attending participants agreed that the digital media is one of the outputs of the 21st Century digital revolution which significantly and positively contributed to change key media tools, as well as to spread news and information faster, and at a larger scale, than other conventional media outlets; but at the same time that involves the potential danger of spreading false and inaccurate information. The committee therefore affirmed the significance of accuracy with respect to publishing, proposing initial suggestions and recommendations meant to put the future of digital media on the right track.

The Committee suggestions included:
First: Highlighting the national achievements under the leadership of His Majesty King Abdullah II, particularly in terms of freedoms and media evolution during the past 17 years. Second: Using the digital media and social media networks to transform the virtual world into a productive and fruitful reality.

Third: Reviewing media and press laws and legislation in a manner that ensures freedom of expression, in order to establish free national media capable of building the knowledge society that serves present and future generations.

Fourth: To promote awareness on the right use of ICT and to promote the role of women.

Fifth: To strive to initiate a media code of conduct that serves the profession and those working in the print and digital media, and to amend the Press and Publication Law so that the article stipulating that a chief editor of a news website must be a Jordan Press Association member, be annulled due to its impact on the independence of digital media.
AMMAN - The Youth Committee of Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Knowledge Forum started its activities and meetings to provide suggestions to decision-makers regarding laws and procedures that could improve youths’ capabilities in the Kingdom.

During the meeting, Mr. Fadi Al-Daoud was unanimously elected head of the Committee who stressed that the Committee’s work will complement the huge efforts of the Economic Policy Development Forum and the Youth Forum for Policy Development launched by Dr. Abu-Ghazaleh celebrating the World Youth Day in August 2015 in the presence of HE Mr. Ahmad Al-Hindawi, the UN Secretary-General’s Envoy on Youth.

Al-Daoud presented latest international studies such as the most livable countries Report by the World Economic Forum in which Germany topped the list while Japan came in the 10th place and Jordan settled in the 140th spot and the 2015 Situation Report on International Migration published by ESCWA and the International Organization for Migration.

However, the 2015 Situation Report on International Migration showed that “Jordan continues to attract higher number of Arab students to complete their university study.”

The Committee suggested to cooperate with TAG-Consult to implement a national survey that tracks youth’s opinions, interests and attitudes in schools, universities and workplaces. This survey will be a basis of a scientific study that contributes to make recommendations on the key topics that will be discussed by the Committee.

The study and its results will be presented in a press conference at TAGKF in the presence of stakeholders and then be submitted to decision-makers.

The work scope of the Committee includes: education and vocational training, recruitment and employment, official and governmental policies and legislations that support youth and leadership and creativity.
Economic Indicators Committee of Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Knowledge Forum Discusses Jordan’s Economic Situation

AMMAN - The Economic Indicators Committee, one of Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Knowledge Forum (TAGKF) committees, held several meetings to discuss the economic situation in the Kingdom.

Head of the Committee Mr. Ahmad Al Jaloudi stated that the Committee is accurately measuring and reviewing the economic indicators to be able to propose recommendations and to launch initiatives that can clearly affect the mission of TAGKF “Realizing a Jordanian national GDP of $200 billion by 2040.”

Mr. Jaloudi noted that the rise or fall of economic indicators depends largely on the changing political circumstances, thus the need to promote economic culture awareness among all members of the society.

Committee members have noted that the important economic laws that have been passed do encourage investment and partnership between public and private sectors, and that the legislative environment in Jordan is investment-oriented; however, the circumstances in the region do affect investment in the Kingdom negatively. They also pointed out that the most important factors affecting economic indicators are oil prices, unemployment rates, GDP and prices; and here is where the Committee’s work should concentrate.

The Committee also stressed the significance of studying the macroeconomic indicators that are globally recognized, and then concentrate on economic indicators the Committee important for Jordan. In addition, they emphasized the need to focus on industrial-related indicators due to the importance of this sector, pointing out that the approach to study economic indicators must be scientific and that the data upon which recommendations would be based should be very accurate.
Jordan Broadcasters Association Names Abu-Ghazaleh as its Honorary Chairman

AMMAN - Under the patronage of HE Dr. Talal Abu-Ghazaleh, Jordan Broadcasters Association organized the "Jordanian Broadcaster Day" at Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Knowledge Forum honoring a host of Jordanian broadcasters in the presence of media experts from various sectors.

During the event, the Association named Dr. Abu-Ghazaleh as its honorary chair in recognition of his role and efforts in supporting all sectors in the country and the media sector in particular. Dr. Abu-Ghazaleh voiced his appreciation and gratitude to all the broadcasters and the media community for their efforts in shedding light on development projects, activities and achievements that contribute to the progress of the economy and the society as a whole.

He called on members of the Association to highlight in their programs the objectives of their Association and to brief the Jordanian society about their achievements. He also advised them to reconsider the definition of the media person suggesting that it may include all media community personnel whether in the fields of audio, visual or print media. He also suggested changing the name of the Jordan Press Association to become Jordan Media Association pointing out that press will be limited to journalists working in newspapers and that will do injustice to those operating in other media sectors.

Dr. Abu-Ghazaleh added that expectations relating to the future of printed newspapers indicate that the timespan left for it is approximately ten years in light of the widespread of electronic media outlets. He therefore advised media people and institutions to cope with the fast development in the digital technology field.

Regarding the significant impact of broadcast media, that reaches all governorates in the Kingdom, Dr. Abu-Ghazaleh stated that he established the Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Business and Culture Radio Station, TAGBC (From Maan to Amman) as motivated by his passion to the Governorate of Maan in particular and the Badia region as a whole.

On his part, Association president Mr. Mohammad Al Adayleh expressed his gratitude for Dr. Abu-Ghazaleh for his much appreciated and motivating support. He stated that the Association, established in 2002, is the sole representative of Jordanian broadcasters which aims to defend its members’ rights and develop the profession.
The honored broadcasters were: Dr. Assaf Al Shobaki, Maher Al Agha, Tareq Hamed, Loay Ahmad, Amal Dahaaj, Fadel Ma’arek, Samar Gharaibeh, Faye Al Hmidat, Iris Jarar, Shaker Haddad, Marwan Bashabsheh, Muna Shawabkeh, Fadi Qadomi, Diala Dabbas, Suheir Abdel Qader, Issa Mahadin, Yousef Al Omari, Ibrahim Al Athmat, Jessy Abu Faysal, Hadil Rawashdeh, Ahmad Fahim, Zeid Khalayleh, Rasha Asfour, Ahmad Al Agha, Nancy Efeshat, Ali Hyasat, Hatem Kiswani, Mohammad Tarawneh, Mohammad Sarayreh, Mohammad Moeidi, Naseem Abu Khdeir, Hashem Mosharbash, Naser Rahamneh, Samraa Abdul Majeed, Iman Thatha, Nashat Salaitah, Ro’a Arabeyat and Lina Abu-Ghazaleh.
ROME - As Guest of Honor, HE Dr. Talal Abu-Ghazaleh, Chairman of Abu-Ghazaleh Intellectual Property (AGIP), was the main speaker in a special seminar on Intellectual Property Rights; the copyrights of authors, publishers and artists on the Internet in the Knowledge Age, held at the library of the Italian Senate in Rome.

The seminar which was held under the patronage of Italian Senate President Mr. Pietro Grassi, was inaugurated by Senator Renato Schifani at the Senate Library with wide participation of Senators, experts, heads of universities and IPRs societies.

In his remarks, Senator Schifani highlighted the global role of ‘AGIP’ in the protection of IPRs, while Dr. Abu-Ghazaleh expressed his great pride, being a member of the Jordanian Senate himself, to address the oldest Senate in history. Participants discussed the idea of establishing an international society to be headquartered in Europe to protect the rights of Arab authors, artists and publishers. Dr. Abu-Ghazaleh stated that there is need for a protection system on the Internet similar to the one that protects domain names and trademarks, inventions and copyright, pointing out that the Intellectual Property profession is lagging behind the fast-developing ICT revolution, which will reach its peak in 2050. Dr. Abu Ghazaleh said: “The revolution in ICT is expected to reach its peak in 2050...
when human beings and machines begin to interact with each other. At that point the Internet of Things (IoT) will replace the internet of today, using artificial intelligence (AI). Such interaction will abruptly trigger technological growth.”

Dr. Abu Ghazaleh added that he requested UN bodies and World Trade Organizations, in addition to others, to draft a trade agreement for knowledge products, stating that Google the biggest company in the world, is a knowledge company, and that the biggest market value company is Apple which reached $800 billion and will reach one trillion next year.

Since he launched and headed the United Nations Internet Governance Forum, Dr. Abu-Ghazaleh stressed the need for an Internet governance system, which will at the same time protect the right of the US as the original Internet inventor.

Dr. Abu Ghazaleh concluded by reminding of the fact that the next Knowledge age “which now we call ‘virtual’ will become the real, while our current world will become the past”.

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[In Our 45th Anniversary]

140 Professional Companies
100 Main Offices in 2018
150 Representative Offices
350 International Awards and Decorations
250 Educational Partnerships
150 Professional Partnerships
500 Memberships in International Organizations

[Our Leadership in Capacity Building]
- Translated pages in different languages: +10,000,000
- Professional reports issued by TAG-Org: +1,000,000
- Professionals trained at TAG-Org: +500,000
- Professional certificates granted by TAG-Org: +500,000
- Talal Abu-Ghazaleh International Certificate in IT: +250,000
- Contracted advisers on the tenders database: +50,000
- Contracted trainers on the training database: +10,000
- TAG-Org Affiliated Training Centers: +1,000

[Our International Status]
- Total clients in all services and activities: +1,000,000
- Trademarks registered around the world: +500,000
- Intellectual property rights managed: +100,000
- Annual increase in the number of clients: +25,000
- Our company in auditing is among global top 20
- Best IP Firm in the Middle East for 8 Years
- Number of convictions against us worldwide: 0
- Inducted to the IP Hall of Fame, Chicago 2007

[Our Consulting Services]
- Archived documents by TAG-Org: +50,000,000
- Trademarks in the IPPR database: +2,000,000
- Scientific subjects in TAGEPEDIA: +1,000,000
- Conducted projects’ feasibility studies: +10,000
- Restructured institutions by TAG-Org: +4,000
- Qualified organizations to receive ISO certificates: +400
- Members of the ISO International Committee since 1995

[Our Knowledge-based Achievements]
- Annual global online outreach: +30,000,000
- 150 databases with classified records: +500,000
- Developed E-Software solutions to serve clients: 100
- TAG-Org’s websites for all services & activities: 60
- TAG-Org has its own Internet line: TAG-ISP
- Constructed and own TAG-Computing Cloud
- The first International Accredited Domain Name Registrar

[Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Foundation (CSR)]
- Our knowledge stations serving communities: 400
- Our fully operated & funded capacity building institutions: 50
- Talal Abu-Ghazaleh allocates 50% of its annual profits to Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Foundation and invests the other half in developing its capacities and expanding activities
Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Organization Services

1. Talal Abu-Ghazaleh & Co. International (TAG-Audit)
   Audit and Accounting Services

2. Talal Abu-Ghazaleh & Co. Consulting (TAG-Consult)
   Management, Economic, and Financial Consulting Services

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   Asset Valuation and Branding Services

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   ICANN Accredited Registrar

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   Consultation, Development and Implementation in the Field of Information and Communication Technology (ICT)

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   Software Solutions

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    Teaching Chinese Language

22. Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Cambridge IT Skills Centre (AGCA-ITC)
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(TAG-Academy)  
Organizing, Holding and Sponsoring Training Courses, Workshops and Seminars | 33. Arab Organization for Quality Assurance in Education (AROQA)  
Quality of Education |   |
It is the CSR arm of TAG-Org which, helps the youth enter labor market through offering them training courses and linking them with job seekers | 34. Arab States Research and Education Networks (ASREN)  
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Family business and governance |   |
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Affordable state-of-the-art Laptops | 37. Arab Omani Management Training Institute (AOTI-Oman)  
Organize, hold and sponsor training courses, workshops and seminars |   |
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Providing media services in the field of intellectual property |   |
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Training and Raising Awareness in Legal and Intellectual Property Fields | 39. All 4 Palestine Organization (All4Palestine)  
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Economic research and studies |   |
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Capacity building and advanced IT training | 41. Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Information Technology International News Agency (TAG-IT News)  
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Third Party Proctored Examinations and Assessments.

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Consultations in Higher Education

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Arbitration to settle conflicts in the field of trademarks

50. Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Computer Refurbishment Center (TAG-CRC)  
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Design of printing consultations

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Business Education Researches

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Internal Audit Services

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Concerts and Musical Events

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Initiatives in areas of social development, economy, training and job creation, and thought and research forums

57. TAG-International Institute for Social Responsibility (TAG-IISR)  
Social development, economic, and training initiatives

58. Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Partners in Development (TAG-PID)  
Initiatives and forums Development

59. Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Patents (TAG-Patents)  
Patents services

60. Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Organization (TAG-Org)  
The Global Organization for professional services and education

61. Leaders Outlook Magazine (Leadersoutlook)  
Online Magazine for Students

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