

# Tharawat Family Business Forum Individual Membership 2016/17

### ABOUT THARAWAT FAMILY BUSINESS FORUM

The Tharawat Family Business Forum is an independent **private sector business network** for MENA family-owned companies. It was founded in 2006 by 15 business families to build a business community for networking, education, thought leadership and the exchange of knowledge and experience between our region's families.

Founded to strengthen the ties between family businesses, Tharawat is a membership organisation, which holds programs to empower **sustainability**, **innovation and growth** in the family business community. We welcome Families and Individuals as our members.

The members of Tharawat share a common vision: to find opportunities for their own sustainability and growth and at the same time support the community, positively contribute to the regional economy, and build legacies for the future.



### **INDIVIDUAL MEMBERSHIP BENEFITS**

Our Individual Membership plan is open to all family business members and features the following benefits:

- Valid for one person/family member

- Allows the Tharawat member to participate in all Tharawat activities throughout the year and at cost participation in trips and special projects. It includes the option to invite one other family member to select activities.

- Access to MENA and international network of family businesses.
- Access to best practice and research about family businesses.
- Free subscription of **Tharawat Magazine** the leading global publication on family business

- Free access to the co-working area of the <u>Tharawat Space</u> in the cultural center of Dubai (on weekdays).

For more general information about Tharawat, please kindly visit: www.tharawat.org and www.tharawatconferences.org We are also the founding partner of Tharawat magazine - The Global Publication for Family Businesses www.tharawat-magazine.com



### HOW TO BECOME A MEMBER IN THE THARAWAT FAMILY BUSINESS FORUM?

### Membership Conditions

Tharawat is a membership association, its members are the most important part of Tharawat and create a rich basis of knowledge and insight.

The conditions to become a member of Tharawat are:

- Applicant is a family member of a business-owning family
- The family owns the majority of the business (holding, if applicable).
- 2<sup>nd</sup> generation (or later) is involved in the management of the business.
- Min. 2 family members are active in the family business.

- The business is a well renowned, diversified family business, with HQ or strong presence in MENA.

\*Families active in the Advisory and Professional Services Sector only please contact info@tharawat.org

#### **Membership Fee**

The Annual Membership fee for Individual Members is 3'500.00 USD.

- Membership valid for an individual member of a family business.
- Valid for twelve months (1 year).
- The membership year runs from October 1st to September 31st.
- Individuals can join at any point in time and a pro-rata fee will be charged.



## **4** STEPS TO THARAWAT MEMBERSHIP

### Application

Filling in the Tharawat **APPLICATION FORM**.

### Your application will be forwarded to the Tharawat Advisory Board for Approval.

### 2 Confirmation and THR number

The membership confirmation will take 10 days. Upon approval from the Advisory Board, you will receive written confirmation of your membership

### Payment

The membership invoice will be issued when we have received your registration. Upon payment you will be issued the THR membership number, which will give you access to all Tharawat membership benefits.

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