

BIO: HE Sheikh Khalifa bin Jassim bin Mohammed Al-Thani



HE Sheikh Khalifa bin Jassim bin Mohammed Al-Thani, a prominent member of the ruling family in the State of Qatar, has held the Chairmanship of Qatar Chamber of Commerce & Industry (QCCI) since May 2006.

Under his chairmanship, QCCI has flourished and developed into one of the most active chambers in the Gulf Region, playing a decisive role in representing, promoting and safeguarding the interests of the business community in Qatar.

HE Sheikh Khalifa also chairs the International Chamber of Commerce Qatar (ICC Qatar). His efforts in promoting the country to foreign businessmen and investors have strengthened Qatar's trade with countries around the world, providing Qatari companies and businessmen with valuable opportunities. A firm believer in free trade and laissez passer economics, HE Sheikh Khalifa has worked tirelessly to identify new business opportunities, create strategic partnerships and cultivate existing relationships.

HE Sheikh Khalifa was the recipient of the prestigious International Chamber of Commerce's 'Merchant of Peace' award in March 2017, in recognition of the role he played in the creation of ICC and QCCI's World Trade Agenda Initiative. HE Sheikh Khalifa has participated in G20 summits, in Amiri and Ministerial delegations to foreign countries, and hosted the 8th World Chambers Congress.

HE Sheikh Khalifa holds a BSc in Economics and Political Science from Portland State University in the United States. After his graduation, he held several senior government positions. He currently holds the positions of Head of the "Protect competition and Prevent Monopolistic Practices" Committee at the Ministry of Commerce and Industry ; Chairman of Al Dar Exchange Company; Chairman of General Takaful Insurance Co.; First Vice Chairman of the Islamic Chamber of Commerce; Vice Chairman of the Arab French Chamber of Commerce, First vice chairman and member of the Executive Committee of the Arab British Chamber of Commerce, Chairman of the Qatar General Insurance & Reinsurance Company; Member of ICC Executive Board, Member of ICC G20 CEO Advisory Group, Member of the ICC Global Network Committee (NetCom); Member of the Board of Trustees of the Arbitration Center of the Organization of Islamic Cooperation, Active Board Member of several Arab-Foreign Joint Chambers of Commerce and the Union of Arab Chambers. H.E also chaired the Federation of Gulf Chambers of Commerce (FGCC) during the period 2014-2016.