



NEWSLETTER

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WEEKEND READING LIST

- How wealth managers can thrive in the GCC's rapidly evolving market ([EY](#))
- Nearly \$495m in new deals power Middle East startups ([Arab News](#))
- Arab economies seen growing further in 2025 and 2026 ([AGBI](#))

EVENTS

MEIRA Dubai Year-End Get-Together



Join us for the **MEIRA Dubai Year-End Get Together**, a perfect occasion to **connect** with investor relations professionals and industry peers in a relaxed setting. Taking place on **10th December**, this event offers an excellent opportunity for networking and reflecting on the year's achievements.

[Register here](#)**Next Week:**

Abu Dhabi Finance Week 2025, held under the patronage of His Highness Sheikh Khaled bin Mohamed bin Zayed Al Nahyan, stands out as the region's premier financial gathering and a focal point for global capital markets professionals.

Over four days, distinguished leaders from across the world will convene in Abu Dhabi to explore the evolution of the Falcon Economy and discuss strategies shaping the future of international investment and finance. With more than 20,000 participants, 600 speakers and 60 events, this summit promises exceptional insights and networking opportunities at the very heart of the MENA region's flourishing financial sector.

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Gathering global leaders in Doha from 12–14 May 2026, **the Qatar Economic Forum** — powered by Bloomberg — is the Middle East's only editorially driven economic platform. The event convenes heads of state, CEOs, investors, and policymakers to shape the global economic agenda through high-level conversations and deal-making opportunities.

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'Ask the Expert' Series: Cultural Considerations and Challenges on the Board

Culture defines how boards **think, decide, and lead**. In an era of growing complexity and diversity, understanding and managing board culture is critical to achieving **alignment, accountability, and strategic effectiveness**.

Join GCC BDI and Adam Malouf for an engaging discussion that will delve into:

- **Governance structures**
- **Board skills and experience**
- **Boardroom culture and dynamics**
- **Joint ventures and partnerships**

Gain **practical insights and real-world perspectives** on how culture, structure, and strategy intersect, and how directors can transform cultural awareness into a **true governance advantage**.

Session Details:

- Date: **9 December 2025**
- Time: **12:00 pm – 1:00 pm (KSA Time)**
1:00 pm – 2:00 pm (UAE Time)
- Platform: Zoom Meeting
- Speaker(s): **Adam Malouf**, Regional Partner and Head of Operations, MEA; Vice-Chair, UAE Chapter, GCC Board Directors Institute

Select "Member option" and **register now** to enhance your board's cultural intelligence, cohesion, and strategic impact.

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PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

MEIRA offers a comprehensive calendar of professional development courses and webinars throughout the year.

IR Academy: Wednesday, 10 December | Shareholder Activism: Impacts, Risks and Corporate Defense Strategies ([Link](#))

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