

Prospects of cooperation for sustainable development between Italy and Bahrain. Introduction of the Italy-Bahrain Business Council's activities

in the presence of H.E. Abdulla bin Adel Fakhro,
Minister of Industry and Commerce of the Kingdom of Bahrain

A showcase of trade and economic bilateral opportunities, of the Italy-Bahrain Business Council's (IBBC) activities and networking events co-organized by the IBBC, the Embassy of Italy in Bahrain, the Embassy of Bahrain in Italy, the Italian Trade Agency and the Bahrain Economic Development Board.



16th November 2023 9:30 am
Al Bahrain Ballroom 1,
Four Seasons Hotel, Bahrain Bay

Programme

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- 9.30 am** **Reception and registration**
- 10.00 am** **Keynote Speech**
The Minister of Industry and Commerce of the Kingdom of Bahrain,
H.E. Abdulla bin Adel Fakhro
- 10:10 am** **The role of the Italy-Bahrain Business Council - interventions by IBBC Co-Chairmen,**
Mr. Ignazio Moncada and Mr. Khalid Rashid Al Zayani
- 10.20 am** **Welcome Speech**
The Chairman of the Bahrain Chamber, H.E. Mr. Sameer A. Nass
- 10.30 am** **Video: Made in Italy**
- 10.35 am** **Italy and Bahrain: A growing and diversified economic partnership**
The Director General of the Italian Trade Agency, H.E. Mr. Lorenzo Galanti
(virtual attendance)
- 10.45 am** **Video: Invest in Bahrain**
- 10.50 am** **Bahrain's Value Proposition**
The Chief of Business Development of Bahrain Economic Development Board,
Mr. Ali AlMudaifa
- 11.00 am** **Coffee break and networking**
- 11.20 am** **Fireside chat: A Success Story: Bell Helmets (Racing Force International W.L.L.)**
Group
Chief Operating Officer, Mr. Alex Miotto Haristos,
Group Chief Business Officer, Mr. Aref Yazbek
- Moderator:** Advisor to the Chief Executive of Bahrain EDB, Mr. Ugo Vincenzini
- 11.40 am** **Fireside chat: How CDP Group links investment opportunities with sustainable**
development of Italy
Head of Investment Partners & Fundraising of the CDP - Cassa Depositi e Prestiti,
Mr. Fabrizio Armone,
Head of Strategy, Business Development & Sustainability, CDP Venture Capital,
Mr. Alessandro Scortecchi
- Moderator:** Italian Trade Agency - Desk Bahrain, Mr. Valerio Accorinti
- 12.00 pm** **Questions and answers**
- 12.20 pm** **Closing remarks** by the Ambassador of the Kingdom of Bahrain to the Italian Republic,
H.E. Dr. Naser M.Y. Al Belooshi, and by the Ambassador of the Italian Republic to the
Kingdom of Bahrain, H.E. Ms. Paola Amadei
- 12.30 pm** **Networking lunch: Al Bahrain Ballroom 2 and 3**