



YOUSIF QASHAT

Audit, Governance & Risk Mgt. Professional

PROFILE

Yousif is highly experienced and multiskilled professional with many years of experience in the areas of internal audit, business advisory, enterprise risk management, organizational governance, and internal controls. He has worked in both the private and public sectors in Canada and the United Arab Emirates (UAE) as well as with a major big-4 auditing and public accounting firm.

As a professional who strives to work as a consultant and advisor, He provides value adding advice to top and senior management on the abovementioned areas as well as key business matters while always keeping an organization's vision, objectives and strategies in mind. Key achievements included the implementation of internal audit and enterprise risk management practices and processes as well as led a project to enable a previous employer to implement UAE corporate governance regulatory requirements.

He has successful track record of providing advisory and auditing services, where he has helped and supported a number of organizations to improve their operations and internal controls' environments to enable the achievement of their visions and objectives.

EDUCATION

- MBA, PMP, CIA, CISA, CRMA, CCSA, APRM

KEY PROJECTS / ACHIEVEMENTS

- Establishing and operating the Internal Audit Department Establishing for a major Abu Dhabi governmental entity based on the Institute of Internal Auditors' International Professional Practice Framework (IIA's IIPF).
- Initial implementation efforts of enterprise risk management for major Abu Dhabi governmental entities
- Delivering as well as leading the delivery of various advisory, consulting, and auditing engagements.
- Leading / executing a project to enable a major Abu Dhabi Real Estate Developer to implement corporate governance regulatory requirements for public joint stock companies in the UAE.
- Conducting comprehensive annual enterprise risk assessments.
- Providing training on enterprise risk assessment based on ISO 31000 to an Abu Dhabi governmental entity.