

# INJAZ Bahrain Spotlight

*The latest news, highlights and achievements!*

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**INJAZ Bahrain**



INJAZ Bahrain successfully concluded its 14th annual Young Entrepreneurs Competition in June 2022. The annual competition was held under the patronage of Her Highness Sheikha Hessa bint Khalifa Al Khalifa, INJAZ Bahrain Chairperson, and saw the participation of students from 15 High Schools and 10 Universities in Bahrain.

Special awards this year included five signature awards – AWS "Excellence in Technology" Award, NBB "Excellence in ESG" Award, Al Salam Bank "Best Booth and Brand" Award, "KHCB'S Rising CEO" Award, and BBK "Best Financial Performance" Award.

"Salamtek" from "Ibn Khuldoon National School" won the "High School Company of the Year 2022", and "Caftech" from "British University of Bahrain" won "University Company of the Year 2022". The winning teams will represent Bahrain in the Regional Young Entrepreneur Competition, where they will compete against 14 different Arab member nations.

## H.H Sh. Nasser Bin Hamad awards Ms. Hana Sarwani

HH Shaikh Nasser bin Hamad honoured the distinguished persons in the field of youth work for 2021-2022 as part of the Gulf Youth Day on June 6th 2022. We are proud to share that the Executive Director of INJAZ Bahrain Ms. Hana Sarwani was one of the honorees.

HH Shaikh Nasser affirmed the keenness of His Majesty King Hamad bin Isa Al Khalifa and other GCC leaders to give youth the full opportunity to participate in the development process their countries are currently witnessing, making them essential elements in ensuring continued prosperity and security.



## Innovation Camp in collaboration with Al Baraka Group

INJAZ Bahrain held an Innovation Camp in collaboration with Al Baraka Group to 46 university students. Students got to learn the spirit of entrepreneurship, unleash their creativity and find innovative solutions to challenges in the banking industry.

Special thanks to Al Baraka Group for hosting the workshop and to our valuable judges & volunteers for their great support and efforts.

## INJAZ Bahrain Visit Canadian School

Canadian School Bahrain Leadership Welcomed Ms. Hana Sarwani, Executive Director of INJAZ Bahrain to the Canadian School Bahrain. Following the success of the Grade 5 & 6 INJAZ Bahrain workshops, CSB leadership team and Ms. Hana discussed further training programs to be implemented in the upcoming academic year 2022- 2023. Whilst on campus, Ms. Hana and INJAZ Bahrain team were taken on a tour of the school to see the state-of-the-art-facilities and visit students in class. Ms. Hana praised the CSB and Al Salam Junior Banking Program stating the educational model presents a new and innovative idea through vocational training for our students.





## BisB "Future Leaders" Program

Bahrain Islamic Bank launched the first Future Leaders Camp for children in collaboration with INJAZ Bahrain. The goal of the program is to enable participating children to get the chance to meet business leaders through interactive & educational field trips to nurture their innovative and critical thinking with various activities. 48 primary level students, 19 intermediate level students and 23 secondary level students participated in this year's Future Leaders Camp.

Special thanks to Bahrain Bourse, IKEA, Ebrahim Khalil Kanoo for hosting the educational trips and Seef Mall for hosting the Treasure Hunt.

## INJAZ Bahrain Collaborates with MLSD

INJAZ Bahrain in collaboration with Ministry of Labour & Social Development (MLSD) organized special workshops for unemployed women. The aim of this initiative is to encourage female empowerment, unleash hidden potential, creativity and spread the entrepreneurship spirit.

Participants were provided with an opportunity to meet female experts to help them build self-confidence and develop their skills. It was a great opportunity for all participants to raise their concerns in regards to women in the workplace.



## INJAZ Bahrain takes part in HIPO Youth 2022

INJAZ Bahrain in collaboration with HIPO Youth and BIPA introduced the "INJAZ Bahrain Innovative Business Plan" Award for the second year!

An Innovation Camp Workshop was held where students got the opportunity to explore the entrepreneurship world & find solutions to real business challenges in a fun & creative way. Additionally, INJAZ Bahrain Executive Director, Ms. Hana Sarwani took part of the judging panel in the final stage of the HIPO competition in it's 4th season.



# INJAZ Bahrain launches New Brand

Brands age over time. Most brands need to refresh every 10 to 20 years just to stay relevant and their message is aligned with the changes and trends that are happening around the world. Although our fundamentals remain the same, JA has changed a lot since the inception of the current triangle in 1986. It was time to review the current messaging and branding elements to ensure it aligns with our potential audiences and take the opportunity to update to a modern, tech-forward, youth-friendly brand.



## NBB supports CP Teams

National Bank of Bahrain met our talented Young Entrepreneurs to explore ways of collaboration and support. During the meeting, our entrepreneurs attended the meeting to pitch their companies to NBB representatives in order to find ways of support

## INJAZ Bahrain on TikTok!

INJAZ Bahrain recently launched its TikTok account and a new campaign "Future Jobs" in partnership with INJAZ Al Arab and TikTok Mena.

The new campaign aims to inspire Arab youth to consider new demands in the job market and identify the needed skills to match the profiles available in growth sectors and booming industries.





## Summers Programs at BAPCO Club

INJAZ Bahrain in collaboration with BAPCO held several Junior ICamp and STEM workshops to BAPCO employees' children this summer. The workshops fostered an understanding of the spirit of Entrepreneurship among the students. It was a great opportunity for students to unleash their creativity and come up with innovative products and ideas through exciting activities.

Special thanks to BAPCO for their tremendous support towards our youth.

## "Young Leader" Program at Youth City

INJAZ Bahrain was pleased to take part of this year's Youth City that was held during the month of August 2022. A new program "Young Leader" was designed specifically for primary and intermediate level students with an aim of focusing on key growth areas, building leadership skills and encourage creative thinking.

We would like to extend our sincere gratitude and appreciation to the Ministry of Youth and Sports Affairs for their great support towards youth empowerment.



## Regional YEC Training Kick Off

Our national champions in preparation of the regional YEC scheduled to be held in Dubai on 31st October 2022.

Wishing team "Salamtek" from Ibn Khuldoon National School and team "Pots by RECAF" from British University of Bahrain all the best in their journey!



# Lean Six Sigma Yellow Belt Staff Workshop at Alba Club

Alba and INJAZ Bahrain have partnered in developing the national human capital through knowledge-based and upskilling programmes to help realise Bahrain's Economic Vision 2030.

Alba customised a 1-day course on Lean Six Sigma Yellow Belt at Alba Club. The CEO Ali Al Baqali along with the CSO Waleed Tamimi and Sr. Manager HR & Training Rawdha Salman Al Aradi awarded the INJAZ Bahrain employees of the Lean Six Sigma Yellow Belt course with completion certificates.



## INJAZ Bahrain offers Educational and Fun Summer Programs



INJAZ Bahrain successfully concluded its educational and fun summer programs that were held for Primary, Intermediate & Secondary level students over the last two month. INJAZ Bahrain is pleased to witness the participation of over 2,500 students.

The workshops delivered were designed to equip students with the skills and practical experience required to implement in real business world. Alongside, the aim was to encourage students to foster an understanding of Entrepreneurship, Financial Literacy and Work Readiness in one day workshops.

INJAZ Bahrain would like to extend its sincere appreciation and gratitude to our partners Brinc Batelco, Muharraq Youth Center, Youth City, Al Mabarrah Al Khalifia and Bapco for their continued support towards the growth and development of our youth.





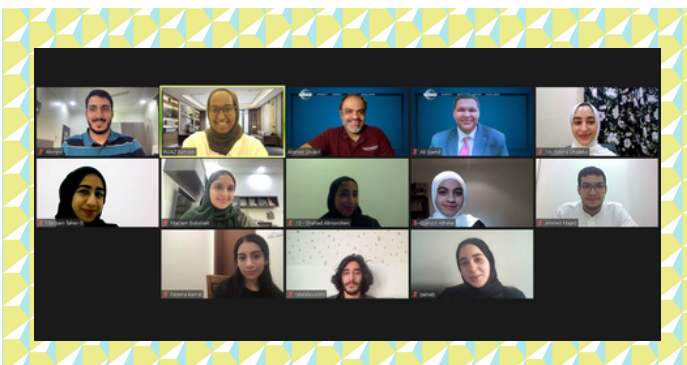
## Team Mirage meet H.E Aymen Almoayed

Company Program Alumni, Team Mirage from University of Bahrain recently met His Excellency Mr. Aymen Almoayed, Minister of Youth and Sports Affairs to further discuss their project.

During the meeting, H.E Aymen Almoayed commended the great efforts made by the Team Mirage in implementing modern technology to serve their company and move towards achieving more successes, stressing the support of youth projects that enhance sustainability opportunities in the entrepreneurship sector and spread the culture of creativity among the youth group and enhance entrepreneurial experiences through Develop youth skills.

## Internship Opportunities

As part of INJAZ Bahrain further opportunities to our alumni, 24 students were provided with internship opportunities this summer. INJAZ Bahrain Alumni trained in the biggest organizations around the kingdom that include Al Salam Bank, NBB, KHCB, YK Al Moayyed, Banagas, GPIC, BisB, BBK, Ebrahim Khalil Kanoo and stc Bahrain.



## Toastmasters Speech Craft Course

INJAZ bahrain Alumni successfully concluded the Toastmasters Speech Craft Course where they learned the secrets of strong inspiring speech, body language, facial expressions and words of choice with distinguished toastmaster Ahmed Shukri. All participants received international certificate of completing the Toastmasters Speech Craft Course.

# THANK YOU

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Thank you for your continued support, engagement & for helping our youth get the knowledge, skills & experience to be successful in the future!