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Talal Abu Ghazaleh was born in Jaffa, Palestine on April 22, 1938. Just as he turned ten he, with his family, were forced out of their homeland as a result of the Zionist invasion of Palestine, seeking refuge in neighboring Lebanon. In 1960, he earned a Bachelor of Science degree in Business Administration from the American University of Beirut. Later on he earned a number of honorary doctorates. In 1972, he founded an accounting company in Kuwait. He started work from the the trunk of his car until he managed to rent office space. Presently, this small company grew into a global organization with a hit brand name called Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Global (TAG.Global), a truly global family of companies that provide world-class professional and educational services, working through more than 100 offices worldwide.

Dr. Talal Abu-Ghazaleh's stature and acumen have made him a man of vision and purpose. His varied accomplishments had granted him access to many world leaders, including kings, princes, presidents of state, ministers, ambassadors, as well as leaders of the world trading system and Internet pioneers. In Amman, he served as a member of the Jordanian Senate for two terms. Throughout the years, he chaired, and/or served as member of innumerable United Nations' governing bodies and other multilateral international organizations. He presided over global holding companies and professional service firms, information and communication technologies' initiatives and a host of socioeconomic development institutions. Recognized as one of the most influential leaders in the world, with lifetime achievements, international leadership, books, awards and honors as part of his impressive record, Dr. Talal Abu-Ghazaleh made, and he continues to make,

distinctive and outstanding contributions to education, accountancy, Intellectual Property, business administration and management, commerce, ICT, science and technology, law and other fields of economic development. He is a builder of institutions with a sense of history and a vision for the renaissance of the Arab region within the context of an emerging knowledge-based world.

A true visionary, Dr. Talal Abu-Ghazaleh authored a series of books and articles, and through his inspired leadership as reflected in TAG.Global's varied activities, he nurtured a new paradigm of global development which he characterized as the Fourth Industrial Revolution – as an emergence of a 'Knowledge Era' based on the digital age that promises a wealth of opportunity and astounding progress for all. Dr. Talal Abu-Ghazaleh's contribution to ensuring the Arab world's full participation in this revolution.

Believing passionately that access to quality education is a human right, Dr. Talal Abu-Ghazaleh established numerous educational institutions. These range from 'Knowledge Centers', where young Arabs can get free online access to the global knowledge treasures; to the College of Innovation that nurtures young creators, to the online Digital University where accredited educational programs are available to everyone, everywhere at affordable cost. These facilities and institutions have been cultivated and innovatively created by Dr. Talal Abu-Ghazaleh and the companies he leads. At the behest of his leadership, these companies provide an active power-house enabled with the needed dynamism to change and keep up with the latest technological advancements, concepts and ideas in the world.



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## 1. Academic Degrees and Certificates

- Honorary Ph.D. in Arts, Canisius College, Buffalo, USA (1988).
- Honorary Ph.D. in Humane Letters, American University of Technology, Lebanon (2022).
- Honorary Ph.D. in Humane Letters, Lebanese American University, Lebanon (2018).
- Honorary Ph.D. in Management and Economics, Jerash University, The Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan (2016).
- Honorary Ph.D. in Business Administration, Mutah University, The Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan (2015).
- Honorary Ph.D. in Human Arts, Bethlehem University, Palestine (2014).
- Bachelor of Science in Business Administration, The American University of Beirut, Lebanon (1960).
- Student Council President, American University of Beirut, Lebanon (1960)

## 2. Official Assignments

- Senator, Jordanian Upper House, The Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan (2016-2019).
- Senator, Jordanian Upper House, The Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan (2010-2011).

## 3. Decorations

- Decoration of Independence of the First Order by His Majesty King Abdullah II bin Al-Hussein, Raghadan Palace, The Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan (2016).
- Decoration of Independence of the Third Order by His Majesty the Late King Hussein bin Talal, Raghadan Palace, The Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan, The Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan (1967).
- ‘Knight Medal for Building Arab Awareness’ in recognition of his economic contributions, community initiatives, and his efforts to support youth, Arab Youth Council for Integrated Development, Cairo, Egypt, (2022).
- First-Class Arab Tourism Decoration, Arab Tourism Organization, Jeddah, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, (2021).
- “Commendatore dell’ Ordine della Stella d’Italia” (Commander in the Order of the Star of Italy) by HE Mr. Sergio Mattarella, President of the Republic of Italy (2019).
- Decoration of Order of Commander of Civil Merit, His Majesty King Philip VI, King of Spain, Spain (2018).
- Decoration of Enhancing the Sino-Arab Relations by HE Mr. Xi Jinping, President of the People’s Republic of China (2016).
- Decoration of Creativity in Innovation and Digital Transformation by Regional Donor Organizations, Kingdom of Bahrain (2016).
- Decoration of Prince Salman bin Abd-Alaziz for Business Youth (2012).
- The Presidential Decoration presented by President of the Republic of Lebanon General Émile Lahoud, Lebanon (2001).
- Decoration of Legion of Honour (Chevalier de la Légion d’Honneur), France (1985).
- Decoration of the Republic of Tunisia by HE President Habib Bourguiba, Republic of Tunisia (1985).

## 4. Chairmanships

- Chair of La Verticale Africa-Mediterranean-Europe (La Verticale AME), Belgium (2021-present).
- Chair, Board of the Consortium for Sustainable Urbanization (CSU), USA (2021).
- Chair, Association of Lebanese Business People in the World (RDCL World), Lebanon (2020).
- Co-chair of La Verticale Africa-Mediterranean-Europe (La Verticale AME), Belgium (2019-2021).
- President of the Business Leaders Council under the umbrella of La Verticale, Belgium (2019).
- Chair of the Talal Abu-Ghazaleh University College for Innovation (TAGUCI), The Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan (2017).
- Honorary President of the Bosphorus Summit's Board of Trustees, Turkey.
- Chair, (Digital Technologies for Sustainable Urbanization Network)-UNSDG 11, NY (2011).
- Chair of the Honorary Council of the Consortium for Sustainable Urbanization, USA (2015).
- Honorary Chair of the Palestinian Association of Certified Public Accountants, Palestine (2015-present).
- Chair of the Arab Coalition of Services Industry, Lebanon (2015).
- Chair of the Jordanian National Orchestra Association (JOrchestra), The Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan (2014).
- Chair of the Talal Abu-Ghazaleh University College of Business (TAG-UCB), Kingdom of Bahrain (2012).
- Chair of the Talal Abu-Ghazaleh International University (TAGI-UNI), Lebanon (2012).
- Chair of the Research Center and Strategic Action, Switzerland (2012).
- Chair of the All for Palestine Initiative, France (2011-present).
- Chair of the Economic Policy Development Forum (EPDF), The Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan (2011- present).
- Chair of the Arab States Research and Education Network (ASREN), Germany (2010- present).
- Chair of the United Nations Global Alliance for ICT and Development (UN-GAID), USA (2009- 2010).
- Chair of the Afro-Asian Knowledge Society Council, Egypt (2009).
- Chair of the Arab World of Internet Institute, USA (2008).
- Vice-Chair (with Kofi Annan and Ban Ki-Moon) of UN Global Compact (UNGC), USA (2007-2016).
- Chair of the Board of Directors, UN Global Compact (UNGC), USA (2006-2008).
- Chair of the Arab Organization for Quality Assurance in Education (AROQA), Belgium (2007-present).
- Chair of the Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Graduate School of Business (TAGSB), The Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan (2006 - 2017).
- Co-chair of the United Nations Information and Communication Technology Task Force (UN ICT TF), USA (2006-2010).
- Chair of Evian Group Governing Body, Switzerland (2006-2009).
- Chair of the Evian Group-Arab Region (EGAR), Switzerland (2006-2009).
- Chair of the Business Action to Support the Information Society (BASIS), International Chamber of Commerce (ICC), France (2006-2008).
- Chair of the Board of Trustees, Perspective Europe, France (2005-2007).
- Chair of the Advisory Committee on Internet Governance, United Nations Information and Communication Technologies Task Force (UN ICT TF), USA (2003-2004).
- Chair of the International Chamber of Commerce Task Force (ICC TF) on Internet Governance, France (2003-2004).

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Chairmanships

- Chair of the Commission on E-Business, Information Technologies and Telecoms, International Chamber of Commerce (ICC), France (2001-2008).
- Chair of the Arab Regional Network of the United Nations Information and Communication Technologies Task Force (UN ICT TF), USA (2001-2004).
- Chair of the Working Group on Human Resources and Capacity Building (HRCB) of the United Nations Information and Communications Technologies Task Force (UN ICT TF), USA (2001-2002).
- Chair of the Arab Internet Names Consortium (AINC), The Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan (2001).
- Chair of the Committee of Experts mandated by the United Nations Secretary-General to draft the International Accounting Standards for Environmental Accountability, USA (1999).
- Chair of the United Nations Committee of Experts on Professional Qualifications Standards, Switzerland (1995-1998).
- Chair of the Middle East Council, Center for Strategic and International Studies, USA (1995-1997).
- Chair of the United Nations Conference for the Development of Accounting Education, USA (1995).
- Chair of the United Nations Intergovernmental Working Group of Experts on International Standards of Accounting and Reporting (UNISAR), USA (1995-1996).
- Chair of the Committee for the Newly Industrialized and Developing Countries Affairs, the International Accounting Standards Committee (IASC), UK (1989-1995).
- Chair of the Affairs of the Modern Industrialized Nations and Developing Countries, the International Accounting Standards Committee, UK (1989-1992).

#### **4.1- Societies Chairmanships:**

- Chair of the Arab Intellectual Property Mediation and Arbitration Society (AIPMAS), The Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan (2003-present).
- Chair of the Licensing Executives Society-Arab Countries (LES-AC), The Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan (1998-present).
- Chair of the Arab Knowledge Management Society (AKMS), USA (1989-present).
- Chair of the Arab Society for Intellectual Property (ASIP); in consultative status with the World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO), Germany (1987-present).
- Chair of the International Arab Society of Certified Accountants (IASCA); in consultative status with the U.N. Economic and Social Council (ECOSOC), UK (1985-present).

## **5. Selected Board Memberships**

- Member of the Federation of Arab Tax Experts, Egypt (2022-present).
- Member of the Board of Trustees, American University of Technology (AUT), Lebanon (2022-present).
- Member of the Arab Advisory Council, Arab Parliament (2022).
- Member of the Advisory Committee, UNESCO Regional Center for Quality and Excellence in Education, KSA (2021).
- Member of the Advisory Board of INSEAD Global Talent Competitiveness Index (GTCI), France (2017).

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*Selected Board Memberships*

- Member of United Nations Social Impact Fund High-Level Advisory Board (UNSIF-HLAB), Switzerland (2017).
- Honorary Membership conferred by the Kuwaiti Association of Accountants and Auditors, Kuwait (2017).
- Special Ambassador, the World Tourism Organization (UNWTO), Spain (2017).
- Member of the Founding Committee of the Council of Islamic Donor Institutions, Qatar (2016).
- Member of the Advisory Board of the Global Talent Competitiveness Index (GTCI), France (2014).
- Member of the Advisory Board of Hamdan bin Mohammed Smart University, UAE (2014).
- Member of the Bretton Woods Committee, USA (2014).
- Member of the Global Social Responsibility Ambassador of CSR Regional Network, Kingdom of Bahrain (2014).
- Member of the Royal Commission to Enhance the Integrity System, The Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan (2013-present).
- Member of the Council on Arab Relations with Latin America and the Caribbean (CARLAC), under the presidency of HE Dr. Leonel Fernandez, Former President of the Dominican Republic, UAE (2013).
- Member of the World Trade Organization (WTO) Panel on Defining the Future of Trade, Switzerland (2012).
- Member of the Festival of Thinkers, UAE (2011-present).
- Member of the International Advisory Board, University of Bahrain, Kingdom of Bahrain (2010-2011).
- Member of the International Advisory, E-City for King Hamad ibn Isa Al Khalifa, Kingdom of Bahrain (2009).
- Member of the Honorary Board Membership, Afro-Asian Peoples' Solidarity Organization, Egypt (2008).
- Member of the Executive Board, International Chamber of Commerce (ICC), France (2006-2009).
- Member of the Board of Trustees, Arab Anti-Corruption Organization, Lebanon (2007-present).
- Member of the International Chamber of Commerce (ICC), France (2007).
- Member of the Advisory Board, Evian Group, Switzerland (2005-2009).
- Member of the Board of Directors, King Hussein Foundation, The Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan (2005-present).
- Member of the International Consultative Board, the World Coalition, USA (2005).
- Member of the Board of Directors, World Links Arab Countries Advisory Council, USA (2004-2005).
- Member of the Board of Directors, World Links Worldwide, USA (2003-2004).
- Member of the Public Sector Consultative Group, International Federation of Accountants (IFAC), USA (2003- 2006).
- Member of the Board of Trustees, King Hussein Cancer Center (KHCC), The Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan (2003-2006).
- Member of the Board of Trustees, National Music Conservatory (NMC), The Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan (2003- 2005).
- Member of the Advisory Board, Knowledge Economy Community, Development Gateway, World Bank, USA (2002- 2005).
- Member of the Advisory Board, Industry Advisory Commission, the World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO), Switzerland (1999-2000).
- Member of the Board of Advisors, Middle East Council of the Center for Strategic & International Studies (CSIS), USA (1995-1997).

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**Selected Board Memberships**

- Member of the Board, International Federation of Accountants Council (IFAC), USA (1992).
- Member of the Board, International Accounting Standards Committee (IASC), UK (1988-1990).
- Member of the Arab Thought Forum, The Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan (1988-present).
- Member of the Board, International Auditing Practices Committee (IAPC) of IFAC, USA (1987-1990).
- Member of the Board of Governors, Keck Center for International Strategic Studies, USA (1985-1988).
- Member of the Board of Trustees, American University of Beirut, Lebanon (1980-1982).

## 6. TAG.Global Initiatives

### 6.1- In Education and Capacity Building:

- Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Confucius Center (TAG-Confucius), The Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan (2008).
- Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Cambridge IT Skills, The Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan (2001).
- Designed and produced TAGITOP, top-of-the-line laptop capability with netbook portability.
- Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Knowledge Society, which empowers the Arab youth as part of TAG.Global's Corporate Social Responsibility.
- Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Knowledge Award: grants scholarships to distinctive Palestinians to study at TAGSB.
- Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Grant presented to West Bank and Gaza citizens to attain Certified Arab Professional Accountant qualifications.
- Grant to first-ranked Arab university graduates in accounting to attain the Certified Arab Professional Accountant qualification.
- Launch of the Adel Al-Sa'di Award for Excellence for the first-ranked student in the Arab Certified Accountants Society.
- The Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Center for Business Research at Canisius College.

### 6.2- In Media and Journalism:

- Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Knowledge Media Platform | [www.tag-news.com](http://www.tag-news.com)
- Intellectual Property News Agency | [www.agip-news.com](http://www.agip-news.com)
- Information Technology News Agency | [www.tagitnews.com](http://www.tagitnews.com)
- Education News Agency | [www.tageducanews.com](http://www.tageducanews.com)
- Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Business and Culture Radio & TV Production and Broadcast | [www.tagbc.fm](http://www.tagbc.fm)

### 6.3- In Community Service:

- Electronic Jerusalem Market, an electronic portal and a live commercial marketplace between Palestine and the world to support Arab Palestinians in Jerusalem.
- The Palestinian Exchange Market, an electronic portal for the facilitation of work of Palestinian businessmen with the world.
- Jordanian Association for Family-Owned Businesses to raise awareness on and develop standards of governance.
- TAG.Global's cooperation with Qatar Center for Supporting Civil Society and the Regional Network for Corporate Social Responsibility.

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TAG.Global Initiatives

- Professional services to improve the roles and performance of Jordan News Agency (Petra).
- Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Knowledge Forum - “A space for dialogue and exchange of knowledge”.
- Center of Governance for raising awareness and for the exercise of the social role in serving the society.
- Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Cambridge Center for IT Skills: contributing to the building of a knowledge society.
- Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Computer Refurbishment Center and its projects and initiatives widely distributed among charitable organizations and schools.
- E-training Center in Gaza Camp to provide the youth with electronic knowledge skills.
- TAG.Global is a partner to Prince Sultan bin Abd-Alaziz Award for Business Youth.

## 7. Music Patronages

- Patron, Bethlehem Orchestra, Palestine (2021).
- Patron, Palais Garnier, France (2016).
- Patron, Jordanian National Orchestra Association (JOrchestra) musical concerts, The Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan (2014-Present).
- Patron, the Second Modernity: The Artistic Collaboration of Fairuz and Ziad Rahbani Conference, Anis Makdisi Program in Literature, American University of Beirut (AUB), Lebanon (2006).
- Patron, Walid Gholmieh Symphonies (2006).
- Patron, Private Concert by Ramzy Yassa and Ghada Ghanem, UK (August 2004).
- Patron, L’Association pour le Rayonnement de l’Opéra national de Paris (AROP), France (2004-present).
- Board of Trustees and Chair, National Music Conservatory (NMC), The Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan (2003-2005).
- Patron, Lebanese National Symphony Orchestra (LNSO), Lebanon (2003-present).
- Patron, l’Opéra de Paris, France (2001-present).
- Patron, Private concert by the Mozarteum Orchestra of Salzburg, Austria (2000).
- Patron, 28<sup>th</sup> General Assembly for the International Music Council, The Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan (1999).
- Patron, TAGO Golden Jubilee Concert, UK (1997).
- Patron, Private concert by Ramzi Yassa, USA (1994).
- Patron, Freunde der Salzburger Festspiele, Austria (1976).

## 8. Publications (supervision and support)

### 8.1- Books by TAG:

- PRO-ACTIVE Programming (PROPRO), Known as “Artificial Intelligence” (AI), (2023).
- The Humor of Hardships, (2023).
- Because I Love the Truth, (2022).
- Where is the World Heading? (2021).
- Inevitable Digital Future, (2020).
- The 2020 Global Crisis and the 3rd World War, (2019).
- Brave Knowledge World, (2018).

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- Talal Abu-Ghazaleh – the Right to Return, (2017).
- Blankets Become Jackets, (2015).
- Short story: The Dreaded Echo, (1958).

**8.2- Books about TAG:**

- The Truth in Few Minutes, Salameh Mahasneh, (2024).
- Talal Abu-Ghazaleh: A World Leader in Business Serving Humanity through the United Nations, Sarbuland Khan, (2024).
- Talal Abu-Ghazaleh: Global Knowledge Worker in Serving International Organizations, Amaal Al-Damen, (2024).
- The Global Knowledge Worker, Ramez Quneibi, (2022).
- Talal Abu-Ghazaleh in this Changing World, Muhammad Sharif Al-Jayousi, (2024).
- Candles That Lighted the Gulf Space, Dr. Ali Mohammed Al Naboodah & Nahed Altadfe, (2021).
- A Man from the Future, Jawad Al-Anani, (2019).
- A Reading of Talal Abu-Ghazaleh, Laila Alrefai, (2019).
- Did life passes you by?, Manaf Baaj, (2019).
- Talal-Abu-Ghazaleh... A Man of Knowledge, Karim Pakradouni, (2018).
- Talal, Son of Adibeh, Areej Younis, (2017).
- From Suffering to Universalism, Jaafar aloqaily, (2017).
- Talal-Abu-Ghazaleh... Rising to the top, Maher Maklad, (2016).
- Talal Abu-Ghazaleh... Secret of Glory-Man from My Country, Laila Alrefai, (2014).

**8.3- Dictionaries:**

- Talal Abu-Ghazaleh ICT Dictionary, 2<sup>nd</sup> edition (2013).
- Talal Abu-Ghazaleh IP Dictionary, 2<sup>nd</sup> edition (2013).
- Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Dictionary of Patents (2012).
- Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Legal Dictionary (2012).
- Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Collocations Dictionary (2012).
- Talal Abu-Ghazaleh ICT Dictionary, 1<sup>st</sup> edition (2008).
- Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Accountancy & Business Dictionary (2001).
- Talal Abu-Ghazaleh IP Dictionary, 1<sup>st</sup> edition (2000).
- Talal Abu-Ghazaleh English-Arabic Dictionary of Accounting, 1<sup>st</sup> edition (1978).

**8.4- Professional Publications**

- The Imperative of a WTO Reform Agenda, Switzerland (2013).
- WTO at the Crossroad, Switzerland (2012).
- Arab Certified Management Accountant (2012).
- Guide to Using ISAS in the Audits of Small- and Medium-sized Entities (2012).
- The Vest Pocket Guide to IFRS (2012).
- Guide to Quality Control for Small-and Medium-sized Practices (2012).

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*Publications (supervision and support)*

- Islamic Commercial Law (2010).
- Islamic Banking and Takaful (2010).
- Islamic Capital Markets and Instruments (2010).
- Accounting for International Fund (IF) Institutions (2010).
- Leaders Outlook, TAG Graduate School of Business Magazine (2010).
- International Financial Reporting Standard for Small and Medium-sized Entities (2009).
- The Licensing Executives Society International (LESI) Guide to Licensing Best Practices (2007).
- Anti-Money Laundering Guide (2006).
- Guide to Corporate Governance (2006).
- International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS) Workbook and Guide (Wiley) (2006-2008-2011).
- Authorized Arabic World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO) Intellectual Property Handbook: Policy, Law and Use (2005).
- Official Arabic Translation of the International Accounting Standards in the Public Sector (2005).
- Official Arabic Translation of International Standards on Auditing Practices and Business Ethics (2005).
- Authorized Arabic translation of the “Guide for Legal Retention Period for the Merchant Books and Auditor Work Papers (2004).
- Authorized Arabic “International Financial Reporting Standards” (2003-2013).
- Handbook of International Standards on Auditing, Assurance and Ethics Pronouncements (2001-2013).
- Authorized Arabic “International Accounting Standards in the Public Sector” (2001-2013).
- Authorized Arabic “International Standards on Auditing and Code of Professional Conduct” (2001).
- English Translation, “Intellectual Property Laws of the Arab Countries” (2000).
- Authorized Arabic “International Accounting Standards” (1st edition 1999, 2nd edition 2000, 3rd edition 2001).
- Authorized Arabic “Business Guide to the World Trading System” (1999).
- Authorized Arabic/English “Accounting and Financial Reporting for Environmental Costs and Liabilities” (1999).
- Trademark Laws in the Arab Countries: Country Guides (1998).
- Official Arabic version of the “International Standards on Auditing” (1st edition 1998, 2nd edition 2001, 3rd edition 2002).
- Official Arabic version of the “Business Guide to the World Trading System” (1st edition 1998, 2nd edition 2000).
- Accounting as a Tool for Decision Making in Tourism (1983).

## 9. Honorary Awards

- Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Annual Award for Innovation, EdTech Syndicate of Lebanon, in recognition of his support to innovation and creativity in all fields, Lebanon (2022)
- The Most Prominent Arab Scientific Personality Award of the Year 2020, the Human Development Training Center, UAE (2021)
- ‘Jordan Business Honorary Award’, Jordan Business Magazine, The Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan (2019).

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*Honorary Awards*

- Honorary Shield, presented by the Gold Award for Sustainable Development, and the United Nations Commissioner for the Advancement of the United Nations’ Goals for Sustainable Development 2030, Oman (2016).
- The Worldwide Alumni Association of AUB (American University of Beirut) Distinguished Alumnus Award for 2016, Lebanon (2016).
- Honorary Award for recognition and acknowledgement of the strong partnership with the United Nations Development Program, The Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan (2016).
- UN21 Award for Remarkable Leadership, New York, USA (2015).
- Abu-Ghazaleh Social Responsibility Awards launched by CSR Regional Network for his efforts in social initiatives, Kingdom of Bahrain (2014).
- Honorary Shield, presented by President Abdul Rahman Sewar Al Zahab, Sudan (2014).
- Visionary Leader Award from the Asian Education Leadership Awards, UAE (2013).
- The Arab Award for Innovation Media from His Highness Sheikh Jaber Mubarak Al Hamad Al-Sabah, Kuwait (2012).
- Man of the Year Award from the Palestine International Institute, The Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan (2012).
- Distinction Award, presented by Canisius College, USA (2011).
- Award of “Arab ICT Personality” of the Year 2010 from the Union of Arab ICT Associations, Kingdom of Bahrain (2010).
- Honorary Award, presented by the Arab Federation for the Protection of Intellectual Property Rights (AFPIPR), The Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan (2009).
- The International Lifetime Achievement Award, UAE (2008).
- IP Hall of Fame Academy, USA (2007).
- Gold Mercury International Award from His Royal Highness Prince Khalifah bin Salman Al Khalifah, Kingdom of Bahrain (1978).

## 10. Certificates of Appreciation

- Certificate of Appreciation, presented by the Arab European Center for Human Rights and International Law in cooperation with the Arab Federation for Development and Economic Integration, United Arab Emirates (2022).
- Certificate of Appreciation, presented by the Research and Translation Center, Prince Sultan University, KSA (2017).
- Certificate of Appreciation, World’s Most Prominent Chartered Accountants, Journal of International Accounting, UK (2014).
- Certificate of Appreciation, One of the World’s 500 Most Influential Arabs, Arabian Business Magazine, UAE (2012).
- Certificate of Appreciation, Palestinian Business Forum, The Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan (2011).
- Certificate of Appreciation, Bahraini - American Cultural Exchange Society, Kingdom of Bahrain (2010).
- Certificate of Appreciation, General Directorate of Education, KSA (2010).
- Certificate of Appreciation, Youth Media Forum, The Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan (2010).
- Certificate of Appreciation, Islamic University, Palestine (2005).
- Certificate of Appreciation, Global Leadership Award, UK (1997).
- Certificate of Appreciation, International Accounting Standards Board, UK (1988-1990).

## 11. TAG.Global Members

1. **Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Global (TAG.Global)** **tag.global**  
The Global Organization for professional services and education
2. **Talal Abu-Ghazaleh & Co. International (TAG-Audit)** **tagi.com**  
Audit and Accounting Services
3. **Talal Abu-Ghazaleh & Co. Consulting (TAG-Consult)** **tag-consultants.com**  
Management, Economic, and Financial Consulting Services
4. **Abu-Ghazaleh Valuation & Financial Consulting (TAG-Valuation)** **tagvaluation.com**  
Asset Valuation and Branding Services
5. **Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Domains (TAG-Domains)** **tagidomains.com**  
ICANN Accredited Registrar
6. **Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Information Technology International (TAG-ITI)** **tagiti.com**  
Consultation, Development and Implementation in the Field of Information and Communication Technologies (ICT)
7. **Talal Abu-Ghazaleh E-Solutions (TAG E-Solutions)** **tagesolutions.com**  
Software Solutions
8. **Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Intellectual Property (AGIP)** **agip.com**  
Registration and Protection of Intellectual Property Rights
9. **Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Legal (TAG-Legal)** **tag-legal.com**  
Legal Services
10. **Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Multimedia (TAG-Multimedia)** **media.tag.global**  
Media Consultants
11. **Talal Abu-Ghazaleh International Press & Publishing (TAG-Publish)** **tag-publication.com**  
Services and Consultations in the Field of Printing and Publishing
12. **Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Recruitment & Human Resources Development (TAG-Recruit)** **tagirecruitment.com**  
Human Resources and Recruitment Services
13. **Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Tenders (TAG-Tenders)** **tagtenders.com**  
Tenders and Bids
14. **Abu-Ghazaleh Translation, Distribution & Publishing (TAG-Translate)** **tagtranslate.com**  
Professional Interpretation and Translation Services
15. **Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Global Digital University (TAG-GDU)** **tagiuni.global**  
Highly Accredited Online Academic, Professional Programs and Digital Educational Programs

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- 16. Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Confucius Institute (TAG-Confucius)** [tagconfucius.com](http://tagconfucius.com)  
Teaching Chinese Language
- 17. Talal Abu-Ghazaleh E-Training (TAG E-Training)** [tagitc.com](http://tagitc.com)  
Providers of Accredited IT Training and Certification Services
- 18. Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Digital Training (TAG Digital Training)** [tagitc.com](http://tagitc.com)  
Organizing, Holding and Sponsoring Training Courses, Workshops and Seminars face to face (customized) and online.
- 19. Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Knowledge Center (TAG-KC)** [tagks.com](http://tagks.com)  
It is the CSR arm of TAG.Global which helps the youth enter labor market through offering them training courses and linking them with employers
- 20. Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Knowledge Forum (TAG-KF)** [tag-forum.org](http://tag-forum.org)  
Event Organizing Services
- 21. Electronic Arabic Encyclopedia Registration Website (TAGEPEDIA)** [register.tagepedia.org](http://register.tagepedia.org)  
Enriching the online world with Arabic content
- 22. International Arab Society of Certified Accountants (IASCA)** [iascasociety.org](http://iascasociety.org)  
Professional Certificates, Membership, Training Courses, and Professional Publications
- 23. The Arab International Society for Management Technology (AIMICT)** [aimict.org](http://aimict.org)  
Capacity building and advanced IT training
- 24. Talal Abu-Gazalah for Quality Assurance in Education (TAG-Eduqa)** [aroqa.org](http://aroqa.org)  
Quality of Education
- 25. Talal Abu-Ghazaleh for Cloud Computing Services (TAG-Cloud)** [tagicloud.com](http://tagicloud.com)  
Cloud Computing Consulting Services (CCCS)
- 26. All 4 Palestine Organization (All4Palestine)** [all4palestine.com](http://all4palestine.com)  
Compilation of Prominent Palestinian Profiles
- 27. Family Business Governance Center (FBGC)** [fbgc.jo](http://fbgc.jo)  
Family business and governance
- 28. Arab Omani Management Training Institute (AOTI-Oman)** [tagi-aoti.com](http://tagi-aoti.com)  
Organize, hold and sponsor training courses, workshops and seminars
- 29. Abu-Ghazaleh Intellectual Property News Agency (AG-IP News)** [agip-news.com](http://agip-news.com)  
Providing media services in the field of intellectual property

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Media Services in the Field of Information Technology
31. **Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Education News Agency (TAG-Educa News)** tageducanews.com  
Media services in the field of education
32. **Arab Center For Dispute Resolution (ACDR)** acdr.aipmas.org  
Domain Name Dispute Resolution
33. **Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Proctored Testing Centers (TAGI-Metric)** tagimetric.com  
Third Party Proctored Examinations and Assessments.
34. **Talal Abu-Ghazaleh for Dispute Resolution Center (TAG-Resolution)** tagresolution.com  
Arbitration to settle conflicts in the field of trademarks
35. **Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Computer Refurbishment Center (TAG-CRC)** tagcrc.com  
Refurbishing and developing computers
36. **Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Design & Publishing (TAG-Design)** tagidesign.com  
Graphic design consultations
37. **Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Academy for Languages (TAG-Lingual)** tag-languages.com  
Languages Training and educational courses
38. **Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Internal Audit (TAG-Internal Audit)** taginternalaudit.com  
Internal Audit Services
39. **Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Foundation (TAG-Foundation)** tag-foundation.org  
Initiatives in areas of social development, economy, training, and thought and research forums
40. **Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Patents (TAG-Patents)** patents.agip.com  
Patents services
41. **Talal Abu-Ghazaleh International Diploma in IT Skills (TAGDIT)** tagitc.com  
Providers of Accredited IT Training and Certification Services
42. **Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Business and Culture Radio (TAGBC.FM)** tagbc.fm  
Radio Channel for Disseminating Thought, Culture and Education
43. **Talal Abu-Ghazaleh for Technologies (TAGTech)** tagtech.global  
High Tech Laptops, Tablets & Smart Phones
44. **Talal Abu-Ghazaleh Projects (TAG-Projects)** tagtech.global  
Management of Training, Educational, Entrepreneurial and Innovative Projects,  
and Granting Necessary Accreditation in Capacity Building

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- Shanghai

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- Mumbai
- New Delhi

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- Erbil

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- Salalah
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- Ramallah

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