



### **Hind S. Bahwan**

Founder and Chairperson, Bahwan CyberTek Group

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Ms. Bahwan is the Founder and Chairperson of Bahwan CyberTek Group which is focused on IT, logistics and engineering projects.

Ms. Bahwan is also the Chairman of HBTI DMCC – an independent, privately-owned commodity trading company trading crude oil and oil products, with a comprehensive network of logistics, freight and storage facilities. She is involved in and has served on the Boards of a variety of public and private organizations. She is a Member of the Middle Centre Advisory Board of the London School of Economics, a Member of the Middle East Advisory Board of Coutts & Co., and a Board Member of the Family Business Network (FBN) for GCC. She is also the Chairman of the Omani French Friendship Association.

She had served as a Member on the Middle East Advisory Board of the Deutsche Bank and on the board of Oman's Public Authority for Social Insurance. She had previously chaired the Oman Chapter of Young President's Organization (YPO).

Ms. Bahwan is a recipient of many honors including the Legion Of Honor Award From France's Ambassador to the Sultanate Of Oman in 2019, Ernst & Young's 'Oman's Young Entrepreneur of the Year 2000', Arabian Business 'e-Achiever of the Year' award from H.H. Sheikh Mohammed Bin Rasheed in 2001, 'IT Women of the Year 2002' award by UNDP, 'Global Leaders for Tomorrow' award by the World Economic Forum in 2003, 'Global Young Leader' by the World Economic Forum in 2007 and 'Woman of Power Award' by Asian Business Leadership Forum in 2011.

Most recently, in 2017, BCT, under the leadership of Ms. Bahwan, was featured as a Stanford case study titled "The evolution of Bahwan CyberTek and its journey beyond 2017". This makes BCT one of the elite organizations around the world that have had the honour of becoming a Stanford Case Study.

Ms Bahwan is a graduate in Computer Science, a Harvard Business School alumna and a Kellogg School of Management Executive Scholar in leadership and management.