H.E. Salah Al Shamsi

Chairman of Liwa Investment, UAE

H.E. Eng. Salah Salem Al Shamsi is a prominent regional businessman and visionary. His dedication to excellence and progress is imbued in the core culture of Liwa Petroleum & Industrial Supplies.

H.E. Eng. Al Shamsi was the President of Abu Dhabi Chamber of Commerce from January 2006 to December 2009 and president of GCC Chamber of Commerce as well. Prior, he was appointed the Chairman and Managing Director of Emirates Global Capital Corporation Ltd in 1999 to lead the development of Saadiyat Island, one of the most ambitious projects in the UAE if not the entire Middle East.

Known for his accuracy, attention to detail and ability to consistently meet challenging goals, H.E. Eng. Al Shamsi started his career in 1981 at the Abu Dhabi National Oil Company (ADNOC). He served as the Executive Director of the Hydrocarbon Processing Directorate from 1984 to 1990, and was appointed Executive Director of projects from 1990 to 1996. In his 15 plus years at ADNOC, he was responsible for large projects in excess of USD 1 Billion and was in charge of operation and maintenance of ADNOC-owned operations such as power, gas treatment and gas liquefaction plants, and oil refineries. He brought about significant cost reductions while simultaneously improving productivity to deliver projects on time and under budget.