

## Candidate Questionnaire Form: 2024-2026 Election

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1. How many years have you been a member of AmCham Abu Dhabi?

**2 years**

2. Please specify if you are an Individual, Corporate, Platinum, Eagle Club or Falcon Club Member.

**Corporate Member**

3. In what ways have you been an active member?

	Current or previous Board Member
✓	Contributed as a speaker at past AmCham events
✓	Attended 3 or more AmCham Abu Dhabi events
✓	Chair/co-chair any committee. Please circle committee below

4. Which committee(s) have you participated in as an active member?

	Finance (internal)
✓	<b>Industry Committee</b>
	Human Resources (internal)

	Membership
	Programs and Events
	U.S. - U.A.E. Public Affairs

- Arts, Culture, and Education
- Banking & Finance Sector
- BioTech
- Business Leadership Alliance
- Climate & Sustainability
- Defense, Aerospace & Security
- **Energy** ✓
- Healthcare
- Legal Affairs
- Tech & Innovation
- Travel & Trade Industry
- uSME

5. Do you currently serve on the board of any company, business group or association?  
Please list below.

- **Section Liaison – International Society of Automation – UAE Chapter**
- **Industrial Advisory Board – Society of Petroleum Engineering – Abu Dhabi Chapter**

6. List any previous Board experience:

- **Served on Industrial Advisory Board for Al Ghurair University**

7. Are you willing to attend Board meetings, committee meetings, stakeholder engagements, etc. during work hours and, if needed, volunteer on weekends for events?

**Yes**

8. If you are elected to the 2024-2026 Board of Directors, how will you contribute to the overall strategic growth and governance of AmCham Abu Dhabi? What **3 specific ideas** do you have for AmCham Abu Dhabi to further its mission in the next 1-3 years? How will you help implement and deliver results?

**If Elected:**

- **Will work closely with Committees to bring more value-add for their members aiming for smaller and more focused engagements with stakeholders they identify.**
- **Support expanding the reach to other organizations whose mission and purpose align with AmCham's such as and not limited to professional relevant societies operating in the Abu Dhabi EcoSystem!**
- **Embrace fresh blood addition to the committees to drive new insights, innovative engagements, expanded networking as well as succession and continuity.**