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# **New Directions and New Opportunities in the Saudi Arabian Market**

Executive Roundtable with  
The Royal Commission for Jubail and Yanbu

Las Vegas, NV  
September 12, 2023

# Agenda

9:30 am - 10:00 am	Registration and Networking
10:00 am - 10:05 am	<b>Welcome Remarks</b> Susanne Lendman, Interim President & CEO, U.S.-Saudi Business Council (USSBC)
10:05 am - 10:15 am	<b>Keynote Remarks</b> Eng. Abdulaziz M. Alshingiti, Director General, Investment Development Division, Royal Commission for Jubail and Yanbu (RCJY)
10:15 am - 10:35 am	<b>Business Environment in Saudi Arabia</b> Presentation by Mr. Abdullah Al Bassami, Ministry of Investment
10:35 am - 10:55 am	<b>Opportunities in the Royal Commission Cities</b> Presentation by Mr. Mohammed Yousef Faraj, RCJY
10:55 am - 11:05 am	<b>Government Policies and Guidelines</b> Presentation by Ms. Sara Al Zahrani, Ministry of Energy
11:05 am - 11:15 am	<b>Investment Incentives</b> Presentation by Mr. Mohammed Aleisa, Saudi Industrial Development Fund
11:15 am - 11:55 am	Q&A and Discussion Session
11:55 am - 12:00 pm	Closing Remarks by Ms. Susanne Lendman
12:00 pm - 12:20 pm	Networking Break & Setup for Lunch
12:20 pm - 1:20 pm	Lunch
1:20 pm - 1:40 pm	Break & Setup for One-on-One Meetings
1:40 pm - 5:00 pm	One-on-One Meetings

## Speaker Biographies

### **Eng. Abdulaziz M. AlShanqiti**

#### **Director General, Investment Development Division, RCJY**

Eng. Abdulaziz M. Alshingiti played a crucial role in the growth of the Royal Commission for Jubail and Yanbu (RCJY). With a career spanning over a decade, he has held various leadership roles, including Director General of the Investment Development Division since February 2022. He began his career as Mechanical Engineering Supervisor at Saudi Binladin Group and in February 2009, he transitioned to his first role in RCJY as Manager of Residential Investment Development. Eng. Alshingiti steadily climbed the ranks, serving as Manager of Industrial Investment Development, Industrial Cluster Manager, and Director of Industrial Investment Development, among others. Beyond his individual accomplishments, he has also played an integral role in various committees for national transformation programs and national industrial strategies. Collaborating with experts from diverse backgrounds, he has contributed valuable insights and helped shape important initiatives that drive the growth and development of the country. Eng. Alshingiti graduated from King Abdulaziz University in Jeddah, Saudi Arabia with a Bachelor of Engineering and Desalination Technology.

### **About the RCJY**

With a history dating back to its establishment in 1975 by Royal Decree, the Royal Commission for Jubail and Yanbu (RCJY) operates with financial and administrative autonomy, tasked with implementing essential infrastructure plans that have transformed Jubail and Yanbu into prominent industrial hubs. RCJY is driven by a vision to be the preferred choice for investors in petrochemical and energy-intensive industries, making a substantial contribution to Saudi Arabia's growth. RCJY's mission revolves around strategic planning, promotion, development, and efficient management of petrochemical and energy-intensive industrial cities, emphasizing customer satisfaction and fostering strong partnerships with investors, employees, local communities, and all stakeholders. Over the years, RCJY has expanded its reach to oversee four industrial cities: Jubail and Yanbu Industrial Cities, Ras Al Khair City for Mining Industries, and Jazan City for Primary and Downstream Industries, achieving notable milestones and relentlessly pursuing further achievements in the future.