



**HADEF**  
& PARTNERS

Winner for  
Arbitration Team  
of the Year  
**Corporate Counsel Middle  
East Awards, 2019**

Winner for IP Team  
of the Year  
**The Oath Awards  
Middle East, 2019**

Winner for UAE  
Dispute Resolution  
Team of the Year  
**Chambers Middle East  
Awards, 2019**

# Nice to meet you

## We are a full service firm

Hadef & Partners is a long-established UAE law firm with an outstanding team of 100 lawyers and 60 support staff in Abu Dhabi and Dubai.

**We understand the laws, traditions, challenges and opportunities of the region.** Our team consists of lawyers from the UAE, the Middle East and the international arena. We are experienced in advising on regional and international matters. English and Arabic are spoken by members of our team. Regional and international businesses and governmental entities value **our business acumen and approachable manner.**

## Our story

From the outset, we have sought to provide legal service to our clients based on three key values:

- **The interests of our clients come first**
- **Our integrity is uncompromising**
- **We provide a high quality service**

Our commitment to these values is fundamental to **achieving and maintaining the highest standard of legal service.** We believe that this focus is key to the reputation we enjoy among our clients and within the legal and business community.

## Your trusted advisor

Hadef & Partners is recognised as a **premier UAE law firm.** With four decades of experience, we maintain a strong brand in the UAE as well as internationally.

As a well respected UAE law firm, we perform a 'trusted advisor' role to federal and local governmental authorities on a range of matters.

We maintain close working relationships with governmental authorities and high profile organisations, enabling us to provide **advice with valuable local knowledge** and insight into regulations and practices.

# Hadef & Partners Capabilities

We know the UAE and are proud to be regularly involved in groundbreaking developments that shape the business environment. Although many of our lawyers have a specialist focus, our collaborative approach ensures that the expertise of the firm as a whole is available to meet the requirements of each transaction or case.

Dispute Resolution

Mergers &  
Acquisitions

Corporate

Maritime, Transport &  
Trade

Restructuring &  
Insolvency

Engineering &  
Construction

Employment

Technology,  
Media &  
Telecommunications

Trade Marks &  
Brand Protection

Financial Services

Government  
Regulation

Hospitality  
& Tourism

Commercial

Insurance

Property

Banking & Finance

Private  
Equity

Projects,  
Infrastructure &  
Energy

# What is said about us

*“They cover absolutely everything in a very timely manner. You cannot get a more dedicated, brilliant firm.”*

**Chambers Global, 2019**

*“Their Arabic-speaking lawyers are quite invaluable when issues of UAE law come up.”*

**Chambers Global, 2019**

*“UAE powerhouse with extensive expertise in, and depth of resources committed to, corporate and commercial mandates.”*

**Chambers Global, 2020**

*“A homegrown Emirati firm registered as advocates, its particular strength is acting as co-counsel with international firms on the UAE law elements of global deals.”*

**Legal 500, 2019**

*“committed and hard-working team with great legal knowledge,” and showed it was “very much concerned about the client’s interest, proactively working towards protecting the client’s rights.”*

**Chambers Global, 2020**

*“They have in-depth local knowledge as well as using their international practice as best as possible given the local context - they get that balance right.”*

**Chambers Global, 2019**