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UAE, Israel and Bahrain Celebrate Two Years of Peace



This month marks two years since the signing of the Abraham Accords – the historic agreement that established diplomatic relations between the UAE and Israel, and between Israel and Bahrain, reached with support from the US.

Over these past two years, economic and cultural ties between the countries have flourished, and cutting-edge partnerships have been expanded in the areas of climate, health and technology.

Watch UAE Ambassador Yousef Al Otaiba, Bahraini Ambassador Shaikh Abdullah bin Rashid Al Khalifa, and Israeli Ambassador Mike Herzog mark the occasion in a [special video message](#).

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UAE Embassy to Host Women's Art Exhibition in Washington, D.C.



*While the Coffee
Grounds Settle:
Stories from
Women in the UAE*

9.23.22
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10.14.22

11am - 6pm

CURATED BY DIRWAZA

FATHOM GALLERY GEORGETOWN
WASHINGTON, DC



Presented by the UAE Embassy in Washington, D.C. and Dirwaza Curatorial Lab, an Abu Dhabi-based creative incubator, *While the Coffee Grounds Settle: Stories from Women in the UAE* features artworks by a diverse group of female artists from across the UAE. It celebrates and honors women who have contributed immensely to the development and progress of the UAE's vibrant and diverse cultural ecosystem.

The exhibition is open to the general public 23 September – 14 October from 11:00AM to 6:00PM each day (with the exception of 12 and 13 October) at the Fathom Gallery in Georgetown. Admission is free.

The launch of the exhibition coincides with the return of Georgetown's [Art All Night](#). As part of the Art All Night programming, the exhibition will be open to visitors from 11:00AM to 10:00PM on 23 September and includes free coffee, snacks, and live music.

On 27 September at 6:00PM, the UAE Embassy will jointly host a panel discussion with the Arab Gulf States Institute in Washington (AGSIW) featuring the curator and several artists from the exhibition. This event will explore the crucial role of the female voice in the contemporary UAE arts and culture scene. You can [register here to tune in virtually](#) on Zoom.

[Learn more.](#)

Breaking News: For 11th Year, Arab Youth Name UAE Top Place to Live



Young people surveyed in the [2022 Arab Youth Survey](#) named the UAE the top place to live and the country they would most like their own to emulate for the 11th year running.

Respondents cited the UAE's growing economy, employment opportunities, safety and effective leadership as the main factors contributing to the country's desirability.

Read the full results of the survey [here](#).

From the Feed



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The United States celebrates the second anniversary of the Abraham Accords and normalization agreements. We will continue to strongly support a process that is transforming the Middle East and beyond.



[@ThaniAlZeyoudi](#)

I was delighted to meet the American Jewish Committee on their latest visit to the #UAE. They are important supporters of UAE-US relations, interfaith dialogue and the

landmark Abraham Accords - the second anniversary of which we celebrate this week. @AJCGlobal AEUSIL



[@DrAlnoaimi](#)

I had the pleasure of receiving @AJCGlobal delegation and enjoyed the discussion about the great added value that the #AbrahamAccords brought to the region



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The UAE and Utah have a lot in common. When we work together, incredible things will happen.

Thank you to the business, government, and cultural leaders who met with Team Utah. We look forward to strengthening our state's relationship with the United Arab Emirates.



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At #UNGA77, the UAE and US Climate Envoys, H.E. Dr. Sultan Al Jaber and @ClimateEnvoy

John Kerry reconnected for a discussion on the links between progressive #climateaction & strong economic growth & welcomed Kerry's continued support of the UAE as host of #COP28UAE.



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Noura Al Kaabi, Minister of Culture & Youth, alongside Mubarak Al Nakhi, met with a US Congress delegation to discuss how the two nations can collaborate on cultural & youth issues, and how UAE's focus on culture is influencing national as well as local strategies & policies.



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Last week UAE @economyae H.E. Abdullah Bin Touq Al Marri visited the US for a series of meetings & appearances. During a keynote panel at the @SALTConference, Minister Bin Touq hailed the UAE as a hub for commercial expansion, trade, & economic growth.

UAE-US Trade by the Numbers



In 2021, UAE-US bilateral trade totaled

\$23 billion

with the US exporting more than \$17bn of goods and services to the UAE –
A 16% INCREASE 📈 FROM 2020.

Top categories of US exports to the UAE in 2020 included: electronics, nuclear materials, passenger vehicles, and aircraft and spacecraft. Trade with the UAE supports more than 120,000 American jobs.



This Month in History

Thirteen years ago this month, the Dubai Metro launched, giving the UAE's most populous city a world-class public transportation system.

Since then, the Metro's many stations and concrete viaducts have become a core part of the urban fabric of the city.

The Metro, which extends nearly 75 kilometers around Dubai, now carries over 600,000 commuters each day.



50 Years of US-UAE Friendship

Learn how the US and UAE are united for the next 50.



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