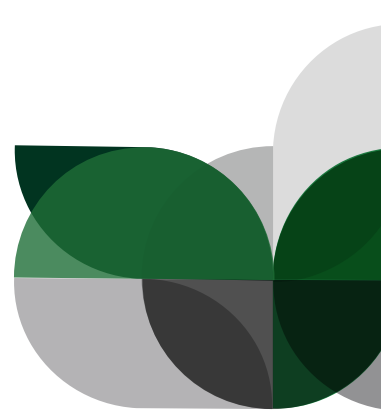




Middle East

We collaborate with Trench & Associates DMCC, a full-service law firm in Dubai, and are committed to meeting our clients' needs in the Middle East. We offer a devoted team that is uniquely focused on the region and specialises in the following areas:

Corporate Finance

- › assisting clients in the establishment of mainland and free zone companies in the UAE
- › advising on domestic and cross-border / multi-jurisdictional mergers, share and asset acquisitions and disposals
- › advising on capital and/or asset reorganisations and restructuring
- › setting up of DIFC Foundation as an alternative wealth structuring vehicle
- › initial public offering and dual listing

Commercial

- › advising on contractual and corporate joint ventures and partnerships
- › advising on franchise arrangements
- › advising on trading, sale of goods and services and other dealings
- › tax advisory and consulting

Private Client

- › advising on estate planning
- › advising on succession including wills and probate
- › handling probate and inheritance matters
- › advising high net worth individuals in respect of restructuring their private property ownership

Dispute Resolution

- › advising on arbitration procedures and conducting arbitration proceedings
- › advising on civil, commercial, criminal, banking, corporate, construction, insurance, real estate and employment litigations

Employment

- › advising on employment and consultant contracts
- › advising on disputes and litigation arising out of employment contracts and consultancies

Property

- › providing expert and specialized assistance concerning contract negotiation, reorganization, and resolving property-related issues

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