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## GCC Investment in an Era of Digital Transformation

Under the patronage of His Royal Highness Prince Salman bin Hamad Al Khalifa, Crown Prince, Deputy Supreme Commander and Chairman of the Bahrain Economic Development Board, we look forward to welcoming you to Gateway Gulf 2020, in Manama, Bahrain.

Gateway Gulf 2020 will offer unique insights into investing across the region, including a GCC perspective on the pace and impact of regional tech transformation. Delegates will have the opportunity to engage closely with top-level government officials and private sector leaders from across the region, as well as shape the dialogue leading up to the G20 Summit

**90+**  Speakers

**40+**  Countries represented

**750**  C-level participants

 **A \$2 trillion regional investment pipeline**

 **A \$1.5 trillion market ranked amongst the world's top 10 economies**

## Who

750 global and regional investors and business leaders from a range of sectors: energy, technology, finance/fintech, real estate, retail, tourism, media & entertainment, manufacturing, transportation, logistics, healthcare and more.

## Why

Familiarise yourself with the enormous investment opportunity in the gulf during this current era of digital transformation, in which governments across the Gulf are introducing a plethora of new legislation, projects and opportunities aimed at bringing investors into the region. Gateway Gulf 2020 is an interactive forum in which delegates will be able to trade perspectives and insights with top regional leaders.

## What

### ▶ Investment in an Era of Volatility



High degree of volatility, unpredictable geo-strategic developments and the pace of technological transformation raise the complexity in investment decision-making

### ▶ Sectors Driving Long-term Growth



Economic diversification across the Arab World has created the rise of new priority sectors, all of which are being disrupted by emerging technologies

### ▶ Emerging Centers of Innovation



Digital transformation has spurred GCC countries to develop innovation hubs with fit-for-purpose legislative frameworks, the development of human capital and substantial investments across technological infrastructure

## Hosted by Bahrain EDB

The Bahrain Economic Development Board (EDB) is an investment promotion agency with overall responsibility for attracting investment into the Kingdom and supporting initiatives that enhance the investment climate. The EDB works with the government and both current and prospective investors to ensure that Bahrain's investment climate is attractive, to communicate the key strengths, and to identify where opportunities exist for further economic growth through investment. The EDB focuses on several economic sectors that capitalise on Bahrain's competitive advantages. These sectors include financial services, manufacturing, ICT, tourism, logistics and transport.



If you are interested in participating or would like to receive additional information about the event, please contact us by email at [info@gatewaygulf.com](mailto:info@gatewaygulf.com).