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I am the Vice-Chancellor of the University of Buraimi, Sultanate of Oman. I have more than 25 years of experience in the academe, and more than 13 years of experience in the management of higher education and research.

I am one of the External Reviewers of Oman Academic Accreditation Authority (OAAA), and the Board Treasurer of the Oman Association for Quality in Higher Education (OAQHE). I was also Consultant for Quality Assurance and Accreditation where I re-engineered institutional and academic approaches of some universities and schools in Bahrain and Qatar for successful quality and accreditation reviews. I notably contributed to the design and revision of various curricula for both graduate and post graduate levels in France and Bahrain; and a leader in bridging eastern and western educational systems in specific institutions in the GCC countries. Since 2006, I focused my professional activities on Institutional Strategies, Research, Program/ Curricula Development and Review, and Quality Assurance in Education.

I have PhD in Computer Science and Information Technology and have more than 60 international publications indexed by ACM, IEEE, DBLP and others. In additions, I am a reviewer in various international scientific journals as well as a keynote speaker/ chair in numerous international conferences on scientific, technical, pedagogical, quality and accreditation.

My exposure to quality and accreditation in various Higher Education Institutions (HEIs) in addition to the dynamic academic requirements/ challenges that need to be addressed motivate me to serve in the INQAAHE Board. I hope to bring about developments and enhancements in the HEIs through innovative approaches for QA evaluation, integration of dynamic adaptive QA system, and smart cloud platform for QA support, practices and experience sharing.