

EDARA signed MOU for Scientific Collaboration with Trends Research & Advisory Center

The signing ceremony was held on 12 October through Zoom between Brussels, Belgium and Abu Dhabi, UAE.

EDARA, is delighted to announce a new international partnership for scientific collaboration with the Middle East. A MOU was signed on 12 October 2022 between **Trends Research & Advisory**, represented by its CEO, **dr. Mohammed Abdullah Al-Ali**, from Abu Dhabi, and the **European Development And Research Academy (EDARA)**, represented by its general director, **dr. Brahim Laytouss**, from Brussels.

EDARA, emphasized the importance of international scientific partnerships to address global issues and find durable solutions for a peaceful and prosperous world. As such there is a natural fit with **Trends Research & Advisory**, with a strong expertise and international reputation in areas such as peacebuilding and research in geopolitical, economic and social fields.

The cooperation will focus on the following areas: Publications, Research & Training, Surveys & Public Opinion Research and Symposium & Lectures. Both parties welcome the opportunity to advance durable and practical strategies to analyse, prevent and address violent extremism and terrorism and to exchange best practises in different areas.

Through the partnership **Trends Research & Advisory** is able to expand its international scope through access to leading European expertise, viewpoints and audiences; while **EDARA** significantly enhances its research capacity and international reach.

TRENDS Research & Advisory was established in Abu Dhabi (UAE) in 2014 with the objective to be an independent research and advisory center in Abu Dhabi and positively contribute to scientific studies. The Center conducts research and engages in a constant endeavour to find scientific and objective answers to global trends

EDARA, was founded in 2012 , and is an EU –independent and non-profit Research center for scientific and strategic research studies and its headquarter is in Brussels. Through research, analyses, reports, training, conferences and surveys it aims to improve policy and decision making on European and international level.

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