

# Bahrain good pal: Survey

One of the friendliest countries to Egypt

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Egyptians consider Bahrain to be one of the friendliest countries to Egypt, a survey revealed.

Among 26 countries, Bahrain is considered by Egyptians as the third friendliest country to Egypt according to an opinion poll conducted by the Egyptian Centre for Public Opinion Research (Baseera).

Basheera used a sample of 1551 citizens aged 18 and above across the country to come to this conclusion.

Saudi Arabia was voted as the top friendliest country while Kuwait came second and Bahrain, Sudan, Oman,

Tunisia and Morocco followed. In ninth place was China, which is the top ranking non-Arab country in the list. Russia closely followed in 10th place. "The positive rating of Saudi Arabia was the highest amongst respondents with

Arab country, coming in ninth place," Basheera said in a statement.

Israel was voted as the most hostile as "different categories of respondents showing very much the same reaction to Israel".

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less than university education and those aged over 50. China was the highest ranking non-

USA, Iran, Turkey, Qatar and Denmark were in the list of hostile nations.

# Gulf Hotel GM notches up Helmsmen Award

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The Gulf Hotel Bahrain's General Manager Rahim Abu Omar was recently honoured with the Helmsmen Award from the Jordanian chapter of the International Association "Golden Helmsmen of Tourism".

Abu Omar, of Jordanian nationality, is one of the pioneering hoteliers with more than 29 years of international hotel management having worked in the United Arab Emirates, United Kingdom, and Lebanon. A Hotelier of The Year Awardee of 2009 in Jordan, Rahim Abu Omar has been also recognised as one of the top 50 influential hoteliers in the Middle East 2009 selected by Hotelier ME.

He played an instrumental role in opening five hotels, including Metropolitan, Habtoor Grand in Dubai and Beirut. "I would like to thank the association for this recognition. I have always loved being an hotelier and the hospitality industry has been my world," Abu Omar said.

"I take pleasure from taking care of my guests from experience as I always believe that in this field, not only we



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providing them the most highest care and attention to giving them a memorable

do serve but to also leave a hospitable legacy to our guest," he added.



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