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# **11th General Recruitment Expo begins**

## More than 2000 jobs up for grabs

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Labour and Social Development Minister Jameel Humaidan yesterday inaugurated the 11th edition of the General Recruitment Exhibition organised by the Ministry.

The two-day exhibition being held from April 25-26 targets qualified jobseekers from various academic disciplines. More than 70 commercial establishments are offering jobs to fill more than 1,200 vacancies in addition to 800 vacancies available for jobseekers from the Ministry's "Available Vacancies Databank," according to the minister.

"The ministry continues to organise variety career shows on a wider scale to expedite the recruitment of jobseekers and meet the growing demand from fresh graduates entering the labour market," said the Minister in his inaugural speech. "Joblessness is a challenge that requires mustering of efforts by all official and private entities to provide jobs for the growing number of jobseekers and to maintain the ratio of joblessness within normal safe limits," he added.

The exhibition's most noticeable feature was the availability of 2,000 vacant jobs in various sectors and disciplines, added the minister.



## **UCB organises Career Day**



Prof. Salah A. A. Emara

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The University College of Bahrain (UCB) organised its Annual Career Day at its Saar Campus yesterday. The event was held for providing job opportunities to students.

"The Career Day is a great opportunity for graduates to network with employers and make career choices. Not only the students benefit immensely from this interaction but also enable them to prepare for the world of recruiting," said Prof. Salah A. A. Emara, President of UCB.

The Annual Career Day serves as a platform for students to bring together graduates with potential employers. Bahrain Islamic Bank, Batelco, Zain, Nestle, Ahrafs BGDC, Tamkeen, Memac Oglivy, Mesk Holdings, Skip lino and One GCC took part in the Annual Career Day.



Representative of companies along with the faculty of University College

## **Career Week 2017 inaugurated**



Education Minister Dr Majid bin Ali Al Nuaimi visiting a stall at the exhibition

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Education Minister Dr. EMajid bin Ali Al Nuaimi inaugurated the Career Week 2017 at Bahrain Training Institute (BTI) with the participation of 16 government and private institutions, yesterday.

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Al Nuaimi expressed his gratitude and appreciation to the exhibition organisers and the participants.

The Ministry of Education (MoE)'s Acting Undersecretary for Educational and Curriculum Affairs and BTI's general director Dr. Fawzi Al Jowder said the exhibition is aimed at attracting secondary school students and familiarise them with the needs of the local labour market. The exhibition will assist them in choosing the course of study and seek jobs in public and private sector establishments.

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The annual career show will enlighten the students and alumni on available jobs and the required specialisation.



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