

## EO Bahrain Launches Farouk Almoayyed Bahraini Global Student Entrepreneur Award



The Entrepreneurs' Organization (EO) Bahrain Chapter, in collaboration with Almoayyed Computers Middle East (ACME), has announced the Farouk Almoayyed Bahraini Global Student Entrepreneur Award. The initiative honors the legacy of the late Farouk Almoayyed, a visionary business leader and champion of entrepreneurship. The award strengthens EO's Global Student Entrepreneur Awards (GSEA) program, focusing on supporting students who manage impactful ventures while pursuing their education. Mohammed Farouk Almoayyed, Chairman of Almoayyed International Group, emphasized that the award empowers future generations to build a foundation for Bahrain's innovative economy. Bob Thaker, Chairman of GSEA EO Bahrain, noted that the partnership aligns with Bahrain's Vision 2030 to nurture a vibrant entrepreneurial ecosystem.

### PWA Announces New Leadership Board for 2026



The Pakistani Women's Association (PWA), a registered charity in Bahrain since 1998, has officially introduced its newly appointed Board for the 2026 tenure. United by a commitment to service and community empowerment, the new leadership aims to build upon the association's long-standing legacy of impactful social work in the Kingdom. The new board is led by President Shahmeen Islam and Vice President Wajeeha Zarrar. The executive team includes General Secretary Saba Saleem, Assistant General Secretary Isma Farhan, and Treasurer Faiza Gulzar. Additionally, Rahila Nadeem has been appointed as the PR Head, while Syeda Ayesha will serve as the Community Head. This team of dedicated women is set to carry forward the PWA's mission of uplifting the community through various charitable initiatives.

## Bahrain's Chief of Police and British Delegation Discuss Aviation Security Cooperation



His Excellency Lieutenant General Tariq bin Hassan Al Hassan, Chief of Police, received a delegation from the British Ministry of Transport led by Ms. Amanda Segal, Head of Aviation Security Capabilities. During the meeting, the Chief of Police welcomed the delegation and discussed various aspects of security cooperation. The talks focused on enhancing the exchange of expertise and the implementation of joint training exercises to strengthen the security and safety system in accordance with international standards. The discussions underscored the importance of bilateral partnerships in maintaining rigorous aviation security protocols. The meeting was also attended by Brigadier General Mohammed Abdullah Al-Haram, Assistant Chief of Police for Operations and Training.

## Jayasankar Viswanathan Honored with Prestigious Chembai Sangeet Samrakshak Award



Mr. Jayasankar Viswanathan, the Chief Operating Officer of Uneeco Bahrain, was conferred with the prestigious Chembai Sangeet Samrakshak Award at a grand ceremony held in Chennai. The award, instituted by Dr. T.V.G.'s Academy of Indian Music & Arts (AIMA), was presented by the academy's founder, the legendary musician and Padma Bhushan awardee Dr. T. V. Gopalakrishnan. The honor was bestowed upon Mr. Viswanathan in recognition of his significant and sustained contributions to the promotion and preservation of Indian classical music. Beyond his role as a senior management professional and businessman, Mr. Viswanathan is highly regarded in Bahrain as a dedicated philanthropist. He has long been a patron of Indian arts and culture, providing selfless support to community initiatives.

### OICC Kozhikode Fest: Large-Scale Blood Donation Camp Held at King Hamad Hospital



As part of the 'Kozhikode Fest' in Bahrain, the OICC Kozhikode District Committee organized a large-scale blood donation camp at King Hamad University Hospital, Muharrraq. The event saw significant participation from the expatriate community. Coordinated by Wajid M. and Rasheed Muipoth, the initiative included a ceremony honoring the hospital staff with mementos for their support. National President Gafoor Unnikulam, Working President Bobby Parayil, and several district and national leaders, including Sreejith Panay and Biju Bal CK, visited the camp to extend their greetings.

## KPA Bahrain Presents 'Education Excellence 2025' Awards



The Kollam Pravasi Association (KPA) Bahrain presented the 'Education Excellence 2025' awards to 32 students who excelled in their 10th and 12th-grade exams in Bahrain and Kerala. The ceremony at Crystal Palace Hotel was inaugurated by Pravasi Bharatiya Samman awardee K.G. Baburajan. KPA President Anoj Master presided over the event, with Indian School Principal VR Palaniswamy and New Indian School Principal Gopinath Menon as guests of honor. General Secretary Prasanth Prabudhan welcomed the gathering, and Treasurer Manoj Jamal gave the vote of thanks. Award Committee Convener Anil Kumar delivered the introductory speech. The event was moderated by Children's Parliament members Nivedya Vinod and Jessica Prince.