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**Hussam Shobokshi**

Hussam Shobokshi chairs Ouswah United Holdings – an investment holding firm that invests in private as well as public opportunities in the MENA as well as the developed markets.

Hussam was a founding partner and Chairman of Saray Capital - from 2014-2022 - with focus on listed equities and commercial real estate in the MENA as well as developed markets. Earlier, Hussam was Managing Director – Regional Head for MENA for Private Equity at Standard Chartered Bank based in Dubai, UAE.

Hussam is an independent and non-executive director of Al Hassan Ghazi Ibrahim Shaker, the Saudi based publicly listed leading white goods manufacturer and distributor.

In addition - Hussam serves as the independent and non-executive director on the board of the Dubai based Middle East Venture Partners (MEVP) - the MENA regions leading venture capital firm.

Recently, Hussam has been appointed as a board member of Orascom Industrial Parks - formed in 1998- as one of the first private sector industrial real estate developers in Egypt. Furthermore, Hussam founded and currently chairs AlThuraya Foundation, a UK registered charitable foundation that focuses on granting hope and opportunity to outstanding young individuals, building and developing the MENA region's prospects through scholarships to the world's most prestigious universities.

In 2020, Hussam acquired the designation of Chartered Director from the Institute of Directors in the UK. Hussam graduated with a Bachelor of Science degree in Management (Honors), from the University of Pennsylvania –the Wharton School of Business.