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# منتدى الاقتصاد الرقمي Digital Economy Forum

Second Edition

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Together, we shape the digital future

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## Event Profile



# Organized in collaboration with

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Development Fund,  
The International Chamber of Commerce  
in Iraq (ICCIraq)  
Arab Federation for Digital Economy,  
and organized by PTC Company for  
Training and Conference Organization.



# Description

The first edition of the Digital Economy Forum in 2024 witnessed broad participation from global companies, international organizations, and both the public and private sectors in Iraq. The forum addressed digital challenges and concluded with practical recommendations supported by clear performance indicators.

In its second edition, the forum builds on those outcomes to move toward establishing an integrated digital economy, with a focus on legislation, infrastructure, financial technology, and the development of human capital.

The forum represents a significant national initiative that brings together specialists from inside and outside Iraq to work with transparency and dedication, placing the country's interests above all else. Its goal is to provide Iraq with a clear digital strategy, attract experts, and benefit from international standards and the experiences of advanced nations in order to reach the optimal level.

# Vision

To establish the Iraqi Digital Economy Forum as the national reference that leads innovation and partnerships toward a fully integrated digital economy aligned with the Sustainable Development Goals 2030 (SDGs).



# Main Themes

**Digital Legislation and Laws**



**Digital Infrastructure**



**Digital Human Capital**



**Digital Transformation in the Financial Sector**



# Objectives

1

Discussing the legislations and regulations that enhance Iraq's digital economy

2

Discussing ways to develop digital infrastructure to enhance the digital .economy

3

Finding practical solutions to develop digital human capital by equipping talent with hands-on skills aligned with labor market demands, to ensure support for innovation and the .advancement of Iraq's digital economy

4

Discussing the challenges of modern technology in the financial sector and working on solutions that contribute to building a more efficient and inclusive .digital financial sector

# Forum Activities

## Broad attendance



**Opportunities to network with over 500 participants from international organizations, embassies, and companies.**

## Specialized Exhibition



**A specialized exhibition showcasing the latest digital solutions from global and local companies.**

## Discussion Sessions



**High-level panel discussions with Iraqi ministries and institutions.**

# First Edition Implementations

1. Strategic recommendations adopted by higher authorities to accelerate digital transformation.
2. Launch of the Iraqi Digital Space Forum to discuss legislation and policies.
3. Launch of the Iraqi Smart Cities Forum to develop national standards for smart cities.
4. Launch of the Digital Entrepreneurship Forum to empower startups and innovators.



# The First Edition of the Digital Economy Forum

Due to the importance of the digital economy, which is considered the main axis around which all fields revolve, serving as the compass through which we identify directions and diagnose the actual need to enhance national income. The first edition of the forum resulted in pivotal outcomes that formed a solid foundation for advancing the digital economy in Iraq, through the dialogue sessions discussed in the forum. The key outcomes of the first edition were as follows:

# First Edition Partners of Success



# Our Related Work

## The Iraqi Digital Space Forum

We take pride in the success of the Iraqi Digital Space Forum, held in Baghdad on November 18, 2024, organized by the National Security Advisory and the Communications and Media Commission, in cooperation with the Federation of Iraqi Chambers of Commerce and the International Chamber of Commerce – Iraqi National Committee, and managed by PTC for Training and Conference Organization. The forum provided scientific content that transparently reflected the Iraqi reality and fostered constructive discussions between the public sector, private sector, and international organizations on the challenges that need to be addressed. The forum brought together a distinguished group of international experts and global companies such as the Ministry of Information and Telecommunications of Pakistan, ITU, HD, as well as reputable local and regional firms and decision-makers from relevant Iraqi institutions. The forum concluded with a set of recommendations submitted to decision-makers, summarizing the key challenges and proposing solutions presented by Iraqi and international experts, thereby adding practical steps towards advancing Iraq to its optimal level.

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# Our Related Work

## Iraqi Digital Entrepreneurship Forum

We take pride in the success of the Iraqi Digital Entrepreneurship Forum, held in Baghdad on January 29, 2025, in partnership with the Federation of Iraqi Chambers of Commerce, the International Chamber of Commerce – Iraq, the Riyada Initiative of the Prime Minister’s Office, and the Ministry of Trade – Directorate for Private Sector Development, with the participation of the Arab Federation for Digital Economy. The forum was organized by Al-Taquadum Group for Training and Conference Organization and the CIPPAR Organization for Digital Economy Development and Sustainable Development, and was hosted by Al-Turath University. The forum provided scientific content that transparently reflected the Iraqi reality and fostered constructive discussions between the public sector, private sector, and international organizations on the challenges that need to be addressed. It brought together a distinguished group of experts, reputable local and regional companies, and decision-makers from relevant Iraqi institutions, concluding with a set of recommendations submitted to decision-makers after summarizing the challenges and presenting solutions by Iraqi and international experts, thereby contributing to advancing Iraq towards its optimal level.

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 Iraq



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The Digital Skills Standard



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# Our Related Work

## Iraqi Smart Cities Forum

"We take pride in the success of the Iraqi Smart Cities Forum, held in Baghdad on 28–29 May 2025, organized by the Iraqi Chambers of Commerce Union in cooperation with national and international institutions and organized by Al-Taqaddum Group. The forum brought together international experts, leading global companies, and Iraqi decision-makers, including the EU, ITC, WEGO, ITU, FCC, ICC, UN-Habitat, Smart Cities World, and Smart Cities Council. Discussions addressed Iraq's challenges in smart city development, and the forum concluded with strategic recommendations submitted to decision-makers to advance Iraq's digital and urban transformation."



# Organizing Company PTC

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