

## Bandar Alhamidani

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### Biography:

Bandar has worked in Australian and Saudi Arabian law firms. Fluent in both Arabic and English, Bandar currently handles files in the Corporate Commercial Departments of Al Tamimi & Company's Riyadh office, where he has gained a considerable amount of experience in dispute resolution and general corporate matters. Bandar is also a member of the Sports & Event management group.

With extensive experience with respect to the laws relating to international sports law and Saudi sports law, Bandar represents a number of Saudi sports clubs and Saudi sporting bodies and advises on international sports law and Saudi Arabian Sports Law issues with his primary focus on laws and regulations relating to Professional Football. Bandar assisted with the drafting of regulations of Saudi Arabian Football Federation and has drafted and advised Regulations including those relating to player transfers and discipline regulations.

Bandar has also worked and advised on various areas of Saudi Arabian corporate and commercial law in addition to establishing companies and branch offices for foreign investors.

Prior joining the firm, Bandar was a legal advisor at the Chamber of Commerce & Industry in Riyadh where he was responsible for handling a variety of different types of commercial disputes

### Professional memberships:

Licensed as a Lawyer in Saudi Arabia.

CAS Arbitrator.

Arbitrator before Saudi Sport Arbitration Centre.

Licensed as an Arbitrator in Saudi Arabia.

Former Chairman of the Disciplinary Committee of Saudi Arabian Football Federation.

4th Deputy Chairperson of the AFC Entry Control Body.

A member of the Legal Committee at Arab Gulf Football Federation.

A member of International Association of Sports Law.

### Seminars and publications:

Attended 6th international congress on football law in Madrid 2017

Speaker at 4th AIAF congress - the future of justice in football in Abu Dhabi 2016

Attended 6th international congress on football law in Madrid 2015

Attended the Executive Programme in International Sports law 2015

An author of a book, The FIFA Regulations on Working with Intermediaries. It's Implementation at National Level "the Implantation of the FIFA Regulations in Saudi Arabia" 2015

Published articles in Law Updated Latest Legal News and Developments 2011-2012-2014-2017

### Languages

• Arabic

• English

### Education

Master in International Sports Law, ISDE, Madrid.

Master of Law, Wollongong University.

Diploma in International Sports Law, Sports Law and Policy Centre.

Bachelor of Law, King Saud University.