



Global



Quality



Collaborative

# A guide to our industry expertise

Energy and Natural Resources

Grant Thornton Bahrain



“Grant Thornton is a global network ready to meet unique demands of today’s business. Delivering fresh perspectives, practical solutions and consistent high quality through a more personal, agile and proactive approach.”



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# Focus on: Global and Local presence

## International Presence



**\$6.6bn**  
global revenues



**138**  
countries



**750+**  
offices



**62,000+**  
people

## Middle East Presence

Bahrain | Saudi Arabia | UAE | Oman | Qatar | Kuwait | Egypt | Iraq | Jordan | Yemen



**9**  
countries



**1,000+**  
people

## Bahrain Presence

Audit and Assurance | Business Risk Services | Tax Advisory | Transaction Advisory |  
Business Process Solutions | Technology Advisory | Legal and Regulatory Compliance



**1,500+**  
clients



**6**  
Partners



**11**  
Directors and Senior Managers



**140+**  
employees



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**Over 80%**  
of clients rate us as  
world-class in the areas  
that matter most to them

# Our Brand Promise



**Care about people and relationships**

## **We make business personal.**

Uncovering the right answer starts with asking the right questions. So we invest in listening, building relationships, and understanding your concerns. Which allows our team to focus on the real issues, challenge you constructively, collaboratively engage and offer solutions that are both illuminating and actionable.

Going beyond expectations through empathy, collaboration and personalisation.



**Be more agile**

## **We work at the pace that matters. Yours.**

Issues arise, goals evolve, needs change. And our team is poised to change with them. Our flatter structure and agile approach quickly adapts to your way of working. We aren't limited by geographical borders. We've replaced silos with relationships. We simplify the complex, making the technical accessible. So you're always ready to react at the speed of today's business.

Going beyond to provide speed, clarity and flexibility.



**Value different perspectives**

## **We value diverse perspectives.**

Sometimes the path forward isn't clear until you change your point of view. Which is why we foster an open culture where the boldest ideas can flourish. We celebrate fresh thinking. We combine deep industry expertise with newly uncovered insights. And we leave no stone unturned until you have the whole picture. So you can make decisions with confidence.

Going beyond to nurture fresh thinking, diverse solutions and confident decisions.



**Show the way**

## **We don't predict the future. We help you shape it.**

Uncovering the right answer starts with asking A brighter tomorrow starts with a clear eye on the horizon and compass to guide you. Which is why we match proactive insights to practical applications. Working closely with regulators, funders and standard setting bodies to help define the business landscape. Creating sustainable growth through positive progress. So, no matter the road ahead, you're moving forward.

Going beyond to offer proactive insights, practical guidance and positive progress.



**Keep a sharp focus on quality**

## **We are committed to delivering consistently high quality.**

Every time you work with us, no matter which member firm in our network, you'll find the same rigorous approach, professional standards and commitment to excellence. And we're constantly leveraging our technical expertise and technological innovations to set the bar even higher.

Going beyond to set the standard for quality, expertise and innovation.





With a clear focus on “making life easy” for our clients, our teams work closely with our clients’ Senior Management in evaluating, implementing, operating, and monitoring technology investment to derive maximum benefits. Our purpose is to make our clients more successful, provide solutions to complex problems and enable them to achieve their goals.

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# Energy and Natural Resources

Demand for a more secure source of energy is a daily newsmaker in the energy industry. Price volatility, political and economic pressures, risk management practices, availability of drilling rigs and even access to talent greatly affect the way you conduct business.

Energy markets worldwide are undergoing major changes. Grant Thornton can help you understand and navigate the challenges, and make sure you have the solutions you'll need to capitalise on opportunities to unlock your potential for growth.

In addition to our local expertise, strong cross-border connections have led to an increased demand from our clients for our global capabilities. Rapidly growing businesses are either already operating internationally or planning cross-border expansions. This creates a need to adapt to challenging market conditions, dealing with complex events, transactions and restructuring.



As a global organization we focus on providing the best-in-class services designed to deliver real value and support investor confidence.

We use the same tools, methodologies, training and standards across geographies to ensure consistency and cohesion - and our scale and depth means we have dependable teams in all jurisdictions.





# How Grant Thornton's solutions can help you

Our approach in supporting you to assess, protect and restore value in your business starts with helping you to regain control by stabilising the business, whilst developing a robust and realistic turnaround plan. We draw upon our deep expertise across a range of different areas, customised to your specific needs.

Successful turnarounds require the development of a credible plan that has been stress tested against various scenarios, along with a transparent communication strategy that meets the needs of all stakeholders. Building trust, and not breaking promises, will be critical if the plan is to be realised.



# Why Grant Thornton?



We have experienced teams advising companies across the full breadth of the energy and natural resources including upstream and downstream and from conventional resource extraction through to developing the latest clean technologies.



Worldwide, we have an extensive and diverse list of clients in this industry. This practical experience has given us a deep understanding into the unique issues facing the industry.



We offer a wide range of assurance, tax and advisory services. So whatever challenge you face, we have the breadth and depth to help you succeed.



# Services We Offer

We are experienced in energy and natural resources sector and are able to tailor our approach and services to the particular requirements of the energy and natural resources industry.

Our market knowledge and technical expertise in a wide range of services allow us deliver client service excellence in a seamless way.



## Business Risk Services

- Internal audit
- Governance
- Business process improvement
- Forensic investigations
- Data analytics
- Quality assurance review
- Regulatory Compliance reviews
- Policies and procedures



## Audit & Assurance

- Financial statement audits
- Financial statement compilations
- Financial statement reviews
- IFRS advisory
- Agreed-upon-procedures
- Statutory certification for government levy and import duty exemptions



## Taxation

- Impact assessment
- VAT compliance
- Preparation and submission of returns
- VAT Technology advisory
- Country by Country Reporting
- Base Erosion Profit Shifting (Transfer Pricing)
- Economic Substance Reporting



## Technology Advisory

- Technology advisory and strategy
- Technology adoption
- Technology effectiveness review
- Information protection and Cyber security
- Policies and procedures
- ISO 27001, ISO 22301 and PCI
- DSS Certification Program
- Knowledge development
- IT Governance and management
- Project management



## Legal and Regulatory Compliance

- Company formation with MOICT and obtaining CBB Licenses
- Legal document preparation and services thereafter
- Secretarial services for board meetings
- Trademark and Intellectual property registration
- Liquidation of MOICT and CBB licensees
- Regulatory advisory for CBB licensing, IPO and rights issue



## Transaction services

- M&A Advisory
- Capital markets
- Valuations
- Debt advisory
- Due diligence
- Business planning
- Feasibility studies



## Business Process Solutions

- Business process outsourcing (BPO)
- Global compliance and reporting solutions (GCRS)
- Shared services
- Bookkeeping and Financial Accounting
- Payroll and personnel administration
- Human Resources Solutions

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