

8th Elets World Education Summit **Bahrain 2017**

Bahrain, a leader in human capital development, witnessed a grand confluence of eduleaders, thinkers, experts and education stakeholders during the 8th World Education Summit 2017 Bahrain, which was organised from 8-9 March jointly by The Bahrain Bayan School and Elets Technomedia Pvt Ltd – an Indian company with focus on building a digitally empowered knowledge-based society.

The summit's focus was on finding ways to provide quality educational service to students through a system that leverages Information and Communication Technology for effectively imparting education.

Inaugurated by the Minister of Education, Kingdom of Bahrain, HE Majid Bin Ali Al-Nuaimi, the two-day global education summit served as a unique platform for eduleaders, experts and education industry leaders from the Gulf region and across the world to deliberate and share their knowledge, experiences and the best practices that are pivotal for creating an effective knowledge-based society.

Divided into segments like School Education and Higher Education, innovative ideas such as modernising education policy through positive education, collaborative learning in globalised environment, growing demand for private education in Bahrain and education



HE Majid Bin Ali Al-Nuaimi, Minister of Education, Kingdom of Bahrain, addressing the 8th World Education Summit Bahrain 2017.



The Minister of Education, Kingdom of Bahrain, inaugurating the 8th World Education Summit Bahrain 2017 on March 8.

for skill fulfillment: global experiments emerged as the key themes around which the discussions were held at the summit.

The summit aimed at achieving the common goal of globalising educational practices and ultimately improving student outcomes. Inspirational talks on education technology and high-level networking opportunities formed the cornerstone of this global conference.

Elets Technomedia also brought out a special issue of Digital Learning magazine, which was released by the education minister of Bahrain. The magazine comprised of special stories on the growth path of education in the MENA region along with the case studies of individuals and organisations.

The summit was an attempt from Elets Technomedia to showcase the scope of global investment in aiding the growth of education sector in the MENA region.



Kamal Gupta, Chief Operating Officer (COO), Global Indian International School, addressing a session at the 8th World Education Summit Bahrain 2017.



Dr Ravi Gupta, CEO & Editor-in-Chief of Elets Technomedia Pvt Ltd (left), presenting a copy of DL Bahrain special issue to Tahir Nadeem Qadri, Chief Executive Officer (CEO), American Lyceum International School, during the summit.



Dr Andie Webb, Director, High School & Secondary Education of The Bahrain Bayan School, sharing her thoughts at the summit.



From L to R: Dr Noora Al Ghatam, Assistant Professor, University of Bahrain; Dr Farzana Abdulla Marghy, Director, Scientific Research Directorate, Ministry of Education; Dr A K Bakshi, Vice Chancellor, PDM University, India; Dr Vimal Rarh, Deputy Director, Centre for e-learning, Shri Guru Teg Bahadur (SGTB) Khalsa College, University of Delhi, India; Dr Marc Poulin, Assistant Professor, Canadian University, United Arab Emirates; Dr Ravi Gupta, CEO & Editor-in-Chief, Elets Technomedia Pvt Ltd.



Manjula Pooja Shroff, Managing Director (MD) & CEO, Kalorex Group, sharing her views on managing effective institutions.

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Bahraini dignitaries including Minister of Education, Kingdom of Bahrain, H E Majid Bin Ali Al-Nuaimi and Dr May Al Otaibi, Chairperson of the Board of Directors, The Bahrain Bayan School, attending the 8th Elets World Education Summit 2017.



Christine Nasserghodsi, Director of Innovation & Entrepreneurship, Gems Education, UAE; Dr Andie Webb, Director, High School & Secondary Education of The Bahrain Bayan School being presented with a copy of DL Bahrain special issue.



Dr Riad Hamza, President, University of Bahrain, sharing his thoughts during the 8th Elets World Education Summit Bahrain.

From L to R: Ryan Pinto, CEO, Ryan Group of Institutions; Kamal Gupta, Chief Operating Officer, Global Schools Foundation, Dubai and Dr Ravi Gupta, CEO & Editor-in-Chief, Elets Technomedia Pvt Ltd, during the session on Role of Owners in Developing Teachers' Skills For Efficient Education Delivery.



Dr Farzana Abdulla Marghy, Director of Scientific Research Directorate, Ministry of Education speaking during WES Bahrain 2017.



Dr Khaled Saeed Tabbara, Vice President, Arabian Gulf University, expressing his views during a session, at the 8th Elets WES Bahrain 2017.





Dr Chhaya Shastri, Director-MT Educare Ltd, India, during a session on Digital Education — The Way Forward at the Summit.

Nyla Khan, Associate Director of Innovation and Development, Kids World Nursery, United Arab Emirates, sharing her valuable thoughts at the summit.



Sahar Al Majzoub, Head, Social Science and Languages Department, Curriculum Directorate, Ministry of Education, Kingdom of Bahrain, speaking at the session on Integrating Arabic and Global Education for Holistic Learning, Well Being and Skill Training.



Andrew Westerman, Director of Education and Training, Ebdaach, United Arab Emirates, addressing the summit.



Nawal Ebrahim Al Khater, Assistant Under Secretary, Planning and Information Directorate, Ministry of Education, Kingdom of Bahrain, speaking during a session on - How Can Education System Integrate Innovation in Classroom.

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Ahmed Janahi, Community Engagement Manager, Tamkeen, speaking during the session *Creating Successful Incubation for Ensuring Innovation and Entrepreneurship*.



Arunabh Singh, Director, Nehru World School, India, sharing his valuable thoughts during the session on *Creating Successful Incubation Models for Ensuring Innovation and Entrepreneurship*.



Anju Sharma, Principal Secretary Higher and Technical Education Department, Government of Gujarat, India, sharing her thoughts on enhancing higher education quality.



Tan Sri Dr Khair Bin Mohamad Yusof, Director General of Education, Ministry of Education, Malaysia, speaking on *Modernising School Education Policy with Positive Education*.



Eduleaders showcasing the special issue of *Digital Learning* magazine on WES Bahrain.



Shehjad Jamal, Senior Manager, Colliers International, United Arab Emirates, sharing his thoughts on the growing demand for private education in the Middle-East Region.



Ahmad Hasan Ahmed, Project Manager, His Majesty King Hamad Schools of the Future Project speaking on Innovation in Classrooms for Nurturing Globalised Students.



Tahir Nadeem Qadri, CEO, American Lyceum International School, Oman sharing his thoughts.



Noora Isa Al Khalifa, Director of Technology, The Bahrain Bayan School, sharing her thoughts at the summit.



From L to R: Brendon Doyle, International Advisor to the Angolan Network of Media Libraries, ReMa (Rede de Mediatecas de Angola), Southern Africa; Sahar Al Majzoub, Head, Social Science and Languages Department, Curriculum Directorate, Ministry of Education, Kingdom of Bahrain; Ahmad Hasan Ahmed, Project Manager, HM King Hamad Schools; Tahir Nadeem Qadri, CEO, American Lyceum International School, Oman; Noora Isa Al Khalifa, Director of technology, Bahrain Bayan School and Dr Ravi Gupta, CEO & Editor-in-Chief, Elets Technomedia, showcasing the DL special issue on Bahrain.

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Minister of Education, Kingdom of Bahrain, H E Majid Bin Ali Al-Nuaimi giving Edupreneur Award to Manjula Pooja Shroff, MD & CEO, Kalorex Group, India



Amit Rana, Pro Vice Chairman, Delhi Public School, Panipat City, Haryana, India, getting Edupreneur Award from Minister of Education, Kingdom of Bahrain, H E Majid Bin Ali Al-Nuaimi



Arjumand Zaidi, Director, St Xavier's Convent School, Lucknow, India receiving Edupreneur Award from the Education Minister of Kingdom of Bahrain for empowering the economically weaker people of Indian society in terms of education.



Minister of Education, Kingdom of Bahrain, H E Majid Bin Ali Al-Nuaimi conferring Prof (Dr) A K Bakhshi, Vice - Chancellor, PDM University, Bahadurgarh, India with Edupreneur Award.



Dr Vimal Rarh, SGTB Khalsa College, University of Delhi, India (right), getting Edupreneur Award from H E Majid Bin Ali Al-Nuaimi, Minister of Education, Kingdom of Bahrain.



Arunabh Singh, Director, Nehru World School, Ghaziabad, India (right), receiving award on behalf of his school from Minister of Education, Kingdom of Bahrain.

Kamal Gupta, Chief Operating Officer, Global Schools Foundation, Dubai (right), receiving award in Innovative Interventions in Preschool Teaching & Learning category from Minister of Education, Kingdom of Bahrain, H E Majid Bin Ali Al-Nuaimi.





Minister of Education, Kingdom of Bahrain, H E Majid Bin Ali Al-Nuaimi giving Editor's Choice Award for Academic Excellence to Pravin Tiwari, Principal, Central India Public School, Nagpur, India (second from left).



Savita Venkat, Principal, Bombay Cambridge School, Mumbai, India (second from left), getting Global Collaborative Learning Environments on behalf of her school from Minister of Education, Kingdom of Bahrain, H E Majid Bin Ali Al-Nuaimi.



B G Shenoy, Director, Global Indian International School, Dubai (third from left), getting Innovative Interventions in Preschool Teaching & Learning Award from H E Majid Bin Ali Al-Nuaimi, Minister of Education, Kingdom of Bahrain.



Inderpreet Singh Tuli, Director, Edify School, Nagpur, India (second from left), receiving award for Introducing Innovations in Teaching Pedagogy from the Education Minister of Kingdom of Bahrain for empowering the economically weaker people of Indian society in terms of education.



Global eduleaders and education stakeholders participating in the summit.