

Mohammad AlGergawi

Chairman of Dubai Holding

Mohammad AlGergawi is the Minister of Cabinet Affairs of the Federal Government of the United Arab Emirates. He leads the development of the UAE Federal Government Strategy and oversees the overall delivery and performance improvement.

He is the Chairman of Dubai Holding, which consolidates and provides strategic direction for various large-scale organizations in diversified sectors including investment and finance, healthcare, biotechnology, tourism, media, technology, real estate, industrial and energy sectors. Dubai Holding has 170 companies and over 34,000 employees.

AlGergawi is also the Chairman of The Executive Office of the Government of Dubai. He led and supervised the implementation of several initiatives and projects including Dubai Internet City, Dubai Media City, Dubai Shopping Festival, Dubai International Financial Centre and the Mohammed Bin Rashid Leadership Development Programme. He also led the Dubai Government Excellence Programme which achieved a transformational improvement in the government and positioned it as a regional benchmark. Moreover, he launched the Dubai Quality Award, which promoted excellence in Dubai's organisations.

On a regional level, AlGergawi is the Founding Chairman of the Young Arab Leaders, a Pan-Arab NGO and network that aims at improving the state of the region by focusing on its youth.

AlGergawi is also the Chairman of the Mohammed Bin Rashid Al Maktoum Foundation, which has an endowment of \$US 10 billion. The foundation aims to contribute to the development of a knowledge-based society in the Arab and Muslim region by focusing on education, research and culture, and through nurturing future leaders and empowering the youth to find innovative solutions to the regional challenges.

Previously, he held the post of the Secretary General of the Executive Council of the Government of Dubai, which is the Dubai Government Cabinet leading the strategic planning and implementation of Dubai's economic and social development. He also held the posts of the Chairman of the Dubai Development & Investment Authority, and the Managing Director of the Dubai Media Incorporated.



He is recognized for a number of social and cultural contributions. He was a founding member of the Dubai Autism Center and the UAE Disabled Sports Federation. AlGergawi also occupied the post of the Vice Chairman of the Dubai Center for Special Needs.

AlGergawi received numerous honours and recognition certificates in the UAE and the region, among those the Moroccan Royal Order of Merit by His Majesty King Mohammad VI of Morocco and the American Business Award by the American Business Council in Dubai.

He graduated from the US, and is married with three children.

