

Hussein Ali Albishi

Candidate for IFHIMA President-Elect · 2025-2028

“A global profession, strengthened region by region.”

Why I am standing

- Two terms on the IFHIMA Board and former Regional Director for the Eastern Mediterranean — a candidate who has already delivered for the Federation.
- Founder and President of SHIMA, the region's first HIM association, built from the ground up to strengthen professional identity and workforce development.
- Led the winning bid for the IFHIMA 19th Congress in Dubai and co-hosted it successfully, while championing membership growth and international engagement.

My priorities

- Grow the Federation in the first 6 months through new corporate members and 1–2 new national associations from the Eastern Mediterranean.
- Convene an ICD-11 Global Summit in 2027 to accelerate workforce readiness and adoption.
- Strengthen HIM advocacy with governments and health systems so the profession remains central to digital-health transformation.
- Expand IFHIMA's webinar and continuing-education program worldwide.
- Strengthen IFHIMA's collaboration with the WHO Global Initiative on Digital Health to better position HIM in global digital-health implementation.

Credentials

BSc HIM · CHIM · CIA · CRCR · Founder & President, SHIMA · Former IFHIMA Regional Director, Eastern Mediterranean · Former Lead, HIM & Coding, Ministry of Health, Saudi Arabia.

My ask

- Nominate and elect me as your President-Elect for 2025-2028.
- Together, let us grow the Federation, strengthen the profession, and deepen IFHIMA's global partnerships and impact.

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