

## **Speaker Series**

## G I N A C H A M M A S



Date: Sun. Oct 2, 2022

Time: 12:00 PM Pacific 3:00 PM Eastern 10:00 PM Beirut

### Place: Zoom <u>Click to Register</u>

# How to Stop Corruption & Prosecute Those Who Stole

### PROFILE

Gina J. Chammas is a Lebanese American expert in the anticorruption field; she is a Certified Anti-Corruption Manager(CACM) who started her career in Audit and Investigation with Deloitte USA after graduating from The University of San Diego. She was the first Lebanese woman to sit for the CPA exam in California. She is newly appointed President of LACPA - IFAC Relations and Technical Committee by LACPA. She was the first woman elected President of LACPA (2011-2012) and remained the President of the Mutual Fund of members of LACPA. She served as a member of the Committee on Retirement Fund. She progressed into serving in courts as an expert witness or sworn expert. She established a development consulting firm named Tomorrow's Advice s.a.r.l. (1996), followed by an international consulting firm. Her Audit practice "ISA Lebanon" recently became a member of the International Network McMillan Woods Global. She was appointed end of 2018 as Advisor to The American Anti-Corruption Institute (AACI) in the MENA Region. She serves now as President of Lebanon Certified Anticorruption Managers LCACM, an NGO established on August 10, 2020. Ms. Chammas' anticorruption efforts and activities in Lebanon started in 1996, concentrating on "Solidere" breaking the constitutional right to private property ownership, abuse of power and conflict of interest by public officials, and fraud in many areas such as Solid Waste Management, Power Sector, Banned Pharmaceutical Drugs in foreign markets and sold in Lebanon, Finance and Taxes, Customs and other direct costs of corruption, privileges given to banks and the concentrated powers in the hands of the position of Central Bank Governor, Banking Secrecy Abuse, and the ownership of the Central Bank to private like operating banks and companies, among many others. In 2019, Ms. Gina Chammas introduced to Lebanon the concept that fighting corruption is not a Hobby. It requires Intelligent Knowledge of fighting corruption and corruption prevention simultaneously.

### Q / A

Please prepare your questions in advance and send them to ferris@ournewlebanon.org by Saturday, Oct 1st at 10 pm.

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