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Meet to focus on fisheries sector investment

MUSCAT: An economic evening is being organised by The Public Authority for Investment Promotion and Export Development (Ithraa) next Tuesday entitled "Aqua Creatures: The Blue Economy" at the headquarters of the Public Authority of Civil Aviation (PACA).

The evening sheds light on the most important opportunities and challenges related to fisheries and fish aquaculture sector.

The Sultanate of Oman is the largest producer of fresh fish in the GCC, with an average production of 204,800 tonnes over the past years, amounting to 446.8 million tonnes, valued \$446.8 million. The government investments in fisheries and aquaculture have attracted the attention of many businessmen and investors interested in the sector.

Sajida bint Rashid Al Ghaitiya, Director of Media at Ithraa

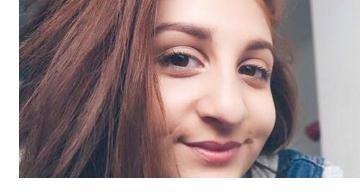
said that the fisheries sector is one of the most reliable sectors when it comes to the development and economic diversification of the Sultanate. It is also a priority to enhance food security and therefore promotes opportunities for investors and interested businessmen, clarify the business opportunities associated with the production and distribution chain, and discuss the challenges and how to overcome them within

the framework of public-private cooperation. She added that the business community in the Sultanate is capable of playing an important role in the development of the aquaculture sector. There are many opportunities for small and medium enterprises (SMEs) wishing to invest in the sector, which the specialists will talk about during the evening. —ONA

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OMAN OIL SME WINNERS ANNOUNCED

A wedding supplies firm, a fire protection company and a nursery are just some of the lucky winners of a national SME programme organised by Oman Oil. Oman Oil Marketing Company has announced the 10 winning SMEs of Tasweik 2016 each of which will be receiving OMR 8,000 as part of the initiative.

EMBASSY TO LAUNCH YOUNG PAKISTAN FORUM OMAN

In celebration of Pakistan's Independence Day, the embassy is hosting their first round-table discussion revolving around the youth of the country with the launch of the Young Pakistan Forum Oman (YPFO) in Muscat.

Central Bank of Oman



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ATM and Point of Sale Infrastructure Environment Upgrade Request for Proposal

The Central Bank of Oman (CBO) is the central ATM and POS switch in the Sultanate of Oman and is seeking the services of a turnkey bidding contractor for the design, delivery, implementation, migration, and support for CBO's ATM and POS Environment at both the Head Office (Ruwi) and KOM Sites.

Interested companies in this field will be sent a fillable electronic file only after signing an NDA and paying applicable fee for the RFP and its documents. The fee is non-refundable.

The Pre-Qualification details are as below:

TITLE	DESCRIPTION	FEES
ATM and POS Environment Upgrade RFP/2000822/2017	Turnkey environment upgrade of the Mission Critical infrastructure and related software infrastructure along with the services of design, delivery, implementation, migration, and support.	OMR 1000/-

Instructions to Bidders

- Deadline for RFP Collection: 17th of August 2017 by 2:00 PM.
- Deadline for submission of the proposals : 12th September 2017 by 2:00
- All clarifications must be sent to: TenderCommittee@cbo.gov.om Chairman, Tender Committee, Central Bank of Oman, PO Box 1161, PC 112, Ruwi, Sultanate of Oman.



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