

**Under the patronage of the Governor of the Central Bank of Iraq**

**The Banking Technologies Conference**

**Is to be held Under the slogan**

**(Developing the infrastructure for Information technology and Payment Systems)**

## **Introduction**

Given the advancement in the banking sector, business methods and bank customer service in a manner that would rise to the international service standards, The Iraqi Private Banks League, under the patronage of the Central Bank of Iraq, is privileged to invite you to participate in the Banking Technologies Conference due to be held at Babylon Hotel in Baghdad on the 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> of May 2017

This conference comes after endeavors made by Iraqi banks to develop their business based on the vision and strategy of the Central Bank of Iraq aimed at uplifting this sector, developing their business and integrating modern technology in their banking systems and to utilize the successful experiences provided by the international companies in applying banking systems and software in many countries of the region as a means to connect the bank branches and electronic management in addition to e-payment services using the cards or the mobile, thus facilitating and encouraging the winning of more clients benefitting from the technology to speed up providing services to them.

Based on the foregoing, the Iraqi Private Banks League has adopted holding this significant event endeavoring to advance the banking business in Iraq and to keep up with the latest products of international banks and financial institutions.

## **Highlights of the conference agenda**

### **Day one**

- **Official opening by official invitees**
- **Conference topics:**

#### **Topic One**

##### **Strategies of the Central Bank of Iraq (CBI) and Iraqi banks in building an IT-based banking system**

- **CBI's readiness for projects of developing its services and future vision**
- **Iraqi private banks and their experiences in using information technology**
- **Role of IT and systems in developing the Iraqi banks**

#### **Topic two**

##### **E-banking and e-payment services**

- **Requirements and infrastructure needed by Iraqi banks**
- **Successful experiences achieved by the financial institutions in e-payment services**
- **Utilizing the experiences of banks and financial institutions operating in the region**

#### **Topic three**

- **Role of banking systems in developing the banking sector and banking services**
- **The importance of enriching the banking system with supporting software and systems**
- **Managing and developing data centers for Iraqi banks**
- **Security and information protection systems**

- **Mobile payment services and technologies**

## **Day two**

- **Special presentations delivered by international companies about most modern applications, systems and innovative software of banking business**
- **Communication companies and their role in supporting the modern payment systems**
- **Spreading the culture of mobile payment in the Iraqi financial institutions and banks and educating their beneficiaries**
- **Software and applications of international companies that support the digital payment systems**
- **Direct meetings to be organized by the Iraqi Private Banks League between the private banks and international companies**

**Note:** The conference topics will be updated early enough based on the companies' latest products exhibited in their presentations that are to be sent to the team organizing the conference.