

## **MEEZA Continues Support for Education City Students**

**March 24, 2010:** MEEZA, the Managed IT Services and Solutions provider based in Qatar, has furthered its support of local education by providing Carnegie Mellon University Qatar (CMU-Q) students with a tour of MEEZA's world-class IT facilities and lending its support to this year's Education City Quiz Challenge (ECQC).

As part of MEEZA's ongoing support for Qatari education, the company hosted CMU-Q students on March 9, taking them on a tour inside the company's high-security Data Centre as well as the state-of-the-art Command and Control Centre.

Supported with presentations and an exclusive Q&A session with senior MEEZA executives, the tours were designed to give CMU-Q students a taste of how the IT knowledge they are gaining at university can be put to use in the IT industry.

The 2010 ECQC, held on Thursday March 11, is an annual event which tests the general knowledge of students from across Education City's campuses. The team from Weill Cornell College in Qatar, 'Panadol', was this year's winner with CMU-Q Team 'Manic Mohawks' reaching the final.

The annual ECQC provides an ideal forum for Education City to showcase the quality of its students in support of the country stated aim of growing its knowledge-based economy. Supporting local students and giving them the opportunity to see the latest IT technologies and speak to international IT industry experts is central to MEEZA's community objectives.

Mr. Rashid Al-Naimi, Chairman of MEEZA stated: "MEEZA's continued involvement in supporting students in Education City is part of the company's aim to support the Qatar 2030 vision. Through these initiatives, MEEZA is helping the next generation of Qatari citizens to realize their potential and prepare to undertake fulfilling careers in the IT industry."



## **About MEEZA:**

MEEZA, a Qatar Foundation joint venture, is a managed IT Services and Solutions provider offering a wide range of services to clients, from creating and managing IT infrastructure to providing technology consulting. MEEZA has moved quickly to become a leader in the creation and management of IT infrastructure, with the objective of helping to accelerate the growth of Qatar through the provision of world class Managed IT Services and Solutions.

MEEZA's offerings include Managed Services & Data Centre Services, Software-as-a-Service, Consulting Services and Workplace Services. The world-class MEEZA Data Centres, known as M-VAULT possess managed storage, network and security systems as well as disaster recovery capabilities. MEEZA has also established a centralised Command & Control Centre that monitors and optimises MEEZA services to their clients 24x7x365. Additional Data Centres are being established in Qatar. With their multiple, interconnected and geographically diverse Data Centres, MEEZA is uniquely positioned to offer Cloud Services to clients across the region.

MEEZA works with their clients to fully understand their specific IT challenges and offer costeffective IT services to help them focus on their core business and scale rapidly. Delivering best in class IT security levels, MEEZA helps their clients minimise business risk, reduce IT capital expenditure and speed up time to market for new initiatives.

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