

## **Shafeeq Ghabra (Kuwait)**

Professor Shafeeq Ghabra has been the Director of the Kuwait Information Office since August 1998. He is a full Professor of Political Science at Kuwait University, where he began teaching in 1987. From 1996 to 1999 he was the editor-in-chief of Kuwait's Journal of The Social Sciences, and he writes weekly columns on political affairs for Kuwait's daily Al Ra'y Al A'am, Lebanon's daily Al Nahar and the U.A.E.'s Al Bayan. Ghabra has been a visiting professor of Political Science at The College of William and Mary and a visiting scholar of Political Science at George Mason University's Institute of Conflict Analysis and Resolution.

Ghabra is a frequent lecturer on topics including Kuwait, Iraq, Arabian Gulf security and political issues, democratization in the Arab world, the Middle East peace process, Islamic affairs, Arab-Western relations, and the public opinions of Arabs and Americans vis-à-vis each other. He is a long-time advocate of democratic reform in the Middle East. Author of four books and scores of articles and papers, Ghabra received Kuwait's highest award for scientific research in the Humanities and Social Sciences from the Kuwait Foundation for the Advancement of Sciences.

Ghabra received his PhD in Government by the University of Texas at Austin in May 1987. He received his MA in Political Science from Purdue University in Indiana, and his BA in Political Science from Georgetown University in Washington, DC in 1975.

This document was created with Win2PDF available at <http://www.daneprairie.com>.  
The unregistered version of Win2PDF is for evaluation or non-commercial use only.