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My First Post of 2025

My first post of 2025 is one of success. I am happy to announce that the **Commission for Academic Accreditation** (CAA) in the UAE has approved our Master of Law in Cyberlaw and Artificial Intelligence as an addition to our **College of Law - Abu Dhabi University** academic programs. This is a unique program in the region and is very much needed in the marketplace. The CAA has also recently approved our PhD in Law.

Many congratulations 🎉 to our Dean, Professor **Talaat Dowidar** and Head of Department, Dr. Dina Imad Joubblatt, Ph.D. as well as all our colleagues in the College of Law. A special thanks to our AI guru and VC, Dr. **Hamad Odhabi** and Dr. **Mohammed Razik Parakandi** Director of Accreditation, for their help in developing this exciting program. The total number of new academic programs approved by the CAA has now reached 8 in the last few weeks.

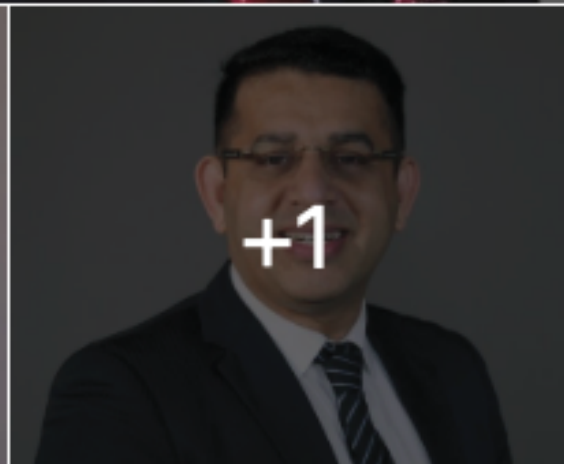
I would like to take this opportunity to acknowledge the great work of our **Ministry of Higher Education and Scientific Research**, as well as the CAA, in transforming higher education in the UAE. We are all committed to their vision and state-of-the-art guiding strategies.

Stay tuned for more academic programs to be approved, as we are on a mission to develop offerings that respond to the needs of the marketplace in the UAE and beyond.

Happy New Year

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