

Photo of the Day



KUWAIT: Kuwait City skyline during sunset. — Photo by Mohammed Sewilam (KUNA)

FFC participates in 2019 Horeca Kuwait exhibition



KUWAIT: On Monday, January 14, 2019 and for three consecutive days, Fresh Fruits Company (FFC), one of Yale Group's companies, participated in 2019 Horeca Kuwait, one of the most important annual hospitality exhibitions in Kuwait. FFC, established in 1988, has more than 30 years of experience in fresh produce and organic products. FFC has established its brand as a leader in this industry both inside and outside Kuwait. Fresh Fruits Company presented the most important exotic fruits and vegetables, as well as organic products, during the exhibition in a distinctive and interesting manner. The most important chefs and leading catering companies, who are interested in choosing the highest quality of fruits, vegetables and unique organic products for their clients, visited the company's booth. It is worth noting that FFC has three branches in Kuwait, two located in Shuwaikh Industrial area and one in Maidan Hawally.



Kuwait, Romania eye closer media cooperation

VIENNA: Kuwait's Ambassador to Romania Talal Al-Hajri held talks yesterday with the new Director General of Romania's National News Agency Claudia Nicolae. Talks addressed ways to boost media cooperation between AGERPRES and Kuwait News Agency, Hajri stated to the Kuwaiti state-run news agency. Hajri also conveyed an official invitation by KUNA's Chairman and Director General Sheikh Mubarak Al-Duaij Al-Sabah to Nicolae to visit Kuwait. KUNA chief intends to discuss with his Romanian counterpart joint coordination and media cooperation, in

addition to reviewing a draft on bilateral cooperation agreement, he added. Meanwhile, the AGERPRES chief affirmed keenness to boost and coordinate cooperation and expertise exchange with KUNA, said the Kuwaiti diplomat. She also welcomed Sheikh Mubarak Al-Duaij's invitation to visit Kuwait and vowed to meet it in the near future, extending a similar invitation to KUNA chief to visit Romania, he added. Established in 1889, AGERPRES is considered as one of Europe's oldest news agencies. It has a network of correspondents around key world capitals. — KUNA



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185,000 jobs made available on Bayt.com

KUWAIT: The Middle East's largest jobsite, Bayt.com, announced that it ended the year 2018 with more than 185,000 jobs announced on the site. As reported by the jobsite, these numbers are just a portion of the hiring done by employers in the Middle East in 2018, as they exclude vacancies that were filled using the CV Search technology; through which companies browse the Bayt.com database and reach out to job seekers directly to interview and hire them. The Bayt.com database currently has 34,800,000 CVs, which are viewed by over 40,000 employers across the Middle East and North Africa and internationally.

"In 2018, we witnessed a clear growth in job availability from one month to the next, signaling companies' success and satisfaction with using

Bayt.com to hire top talent," said Omar Tahboub, General Manager, Bayt.com. "We have certainly multiplied our efforts to ensure we are making more jobs, and more diverse opportunities, available on our site. We aim to empower the very active job seekers who register on Bayt.com and visit our site regularly for their career building endeavors. As we kick start 2019, we should be well-prepared for an even larger volume of jobs and job search activities."

Hiring activity was not the only increase during 2018 on Bayt.com. More than 5,300,000 new job seekers joined Bayt.com during 2018. New and returning job seekers were very active in searching for new career options. In total, over 172 million visits were made to Bayt.com and nearly 18 million applications were submitted by the end of 2018.



Omar Tahboub