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Suzanne is an Entrepreneur, Investor and Independent Advisor who intertwines experience with governments, global business and social enterprise. She is currently the CEO of a private office of a Sovereign in the Middle East managing a diverse portfolio of activity from Education, R&D programmes to Investment opportunities, and is a Special Advisor to EXPO 2020 Dubai, the next World Exposition sanctioned by the BIE.

Her work in the Middle East includes leading a multi-million dollar technical feasibility and commercial viability study in the aerospace and energy sectors, including the creation of a diverse team of 40 plus scientists, lawyers, communication and finance specialists, and the convening of a global gathering of leaders to contribute cross-border collaboration. An in depth understanding of the renewable energy and energy transmission markets, and the space sector adds to experience including diversification of a national economy, pharma, telecoms, automotive and the complex world of transnational governing bodies.

She has led and supported senior teams to identify and develop in to fresh opportunity spaces to meet new economic realities, and designed strategy that delivers positive social impact at the same time as creating financial value. In emerging and developing economies she has an additional focus for capacity building small community-based organisations to improve livelihood opportunities, micro-entrepreneurship and the quality of education.

Suzanne is the creator of three successful commercial enterprises and a social enterprise. She influences and encourages practical solutions to global issues through a number of nonexecutive roles: as part of an international Advisory Group for the Prince of Wales Youth Business International developing a new generation of young entrepreneurs; a Trustee of The Great Generation, a social enterprise that works to inspire systems change to tackle 21st century challenges; an International Advisory Council Member of Fundação Dom Cabral, the Brazilian business school, debating the future of business education; a Global Ambassador of Leaders' Quest improving the quality and impact of leaders around the world.