HBKU’s College of Law seminar focuses on SEZs, taxation policy

The College of Law at Taimel College, HBKU has continued its International Law seminar (GULF TIMES) with a collection exploring the relationship between International Law and the law of Special Economic Zones (SEZs). The seminar is being held in cooperation with the Ministry of Culture, Tourism, and Antiquities, and the Academy of Scientific Research and Technology (ASTS). The College of Law was represented by Amat Karam, who is noted with introductory remarks about the history and regulatory framework of SEZs, as well as the current challenges and opportunities they present. The seminar was moderated by senior professors, and the Academy of Scientific Research and Technology also provided the necessary expertise.

The seminar focuses on the legal frameworks and regulatory aspects of SEZs, including the legal and economic considerations that drive their development. The discussions will cover a range of topics, including the role of international law in the operation of SEZs, the impact of tax incentives and fiscal policies on SEZs, and the legal and regulatory challenges that arise in the operation of SEZs. The seminar will also explore the role of SEZs in promoting economic development and the challenges they face in achieving their objectives.

Doha Bank CEO underscores role of “Digital Innovation in Financial Services”

By Peter Morgan

Digital innovation is continuously shaping the financial services landscape. As the industry continues to be driven by technological advances, it becomes evident that new and innovative solutions are needed to cater to the evolving needs of customers. The role of technology in financial services is becoming increasingly prominent, with the importance of digital innovation being recognized across the industry.

Doha Bank, one of the leading banks in Qatar and the Middle East, has been at the forefront of digital innovation in the financial sector. The bank has been proactive in adopting and implementing new technologies, which have enabled it to provide a range of services to customers in a more efficient and convenient manner.

“Today, economic conversations are full of buzzwords like ‘smart cities’ or ‘digital transformation.’ While these are important topics, it is crucial to recognize the role of digital innovation in the financial services sector,” said Mr. Amr Fahmi, CEO of Doha Bank. “Digital innovation has the potential to transform the way financial services are provided, creating new opportunities for growth and development. In today’s fast-paced world, digital innovation is not just an option, but a necessity.”

The seminar will explore the role of digital innovation in the financial services sector, focusing on the benefits and opportunities that it presents. It will also discuss the challenges and risks associated with digital innovation, and how financial institutions can effectively implement these technologies to stay competitive.

Foreign, Gulf institutions keep key index near 11,900 points

By Fredrick V. Peron

The increased regional economic growth of several Gulf countries and the strong economic performance of the Gulf region has been reflected in the Gulf Index, which measures the performance of the Gulf Cooperation Council (GCC) countries. The index has been rising steadily over the past few years, with the financial and economic growth of the GCC countries driving the index upwards.

The Gulf Index has shown a steady increase in recent years, with the GCC countries recording strong economic growth. The index has been tracking the performance of the GCC countries, with the United Arab Emirates (UAE) leading the way. The UAE has been experiencing strong economic growth, driven by its oil and gas industry, which has been providing a significant boost to the country’s economy.

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China property behemoth finds funds to avert bond payment default for now

By Feng Xiaoling

China Evergrande Group has managed to avert a bond payment default, a sign that the country’s property sector may be moving out of a wider credit squeeze but much remains to be done.

The property behemoth had missed a $108 million payment on an overseas bond on September 20, raising fears it may be the latest in a months-long wave of defaults that has rattled investor confidence in the sector.

Evergrande, China’s biggest privately owned developer, said last week it had lost control of $10 billion in overseas debt, leading to concerns about its ability to meet its financial obligations.

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The company, which is also known as Evergrande Group, is one of the world’s largest property developers. It is based in China and is known for its large-scale developments and high-risk business plans.

The company has a long history of financial difficulties and has faced numerous defaults in the past. It has also been involved in various controversies, including allegations of fraud and corruption.

The company’s recent default has sparked concerns about its ability to meet its financial obligations and has led to a decline in its stock price.

The company’s current situation is a result of its aggressive expansion strategy, which has led to a large debt burden.

The company’s failure to meet its financial obligations could have serious implications for the Chinese economy and the global financial markets.

The company’s default has also raised concerns about the stability of the Chinese property market and the broader Chinese economy. The company’s failure to meet its financial obligations could lead to a decline in consumer confidence and a decrease in property sales.

The company’s default has also raised questions about the role of the government in regulating the Chinese property market. The government has been criticized for not doing enough to regulate the market and prevent these kinds of failures.

Overall, the situation is a reminder of the risks associated with the Chinese property market and the broader Chinese economy. The government will need to take action to prevent similar failures from happening in the future.
BoJ discussing phasing out pandemic support as economy reopens

China markets begin turnaround after being priced for collapse

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sing phasing out the emergency support measures it has put in place to cope with the COVID-19 pandemic. Officials are considering reducing the size of the purchase program and starting to discuss when to start preparing to pare back the stimulus. The Bank of Japan has been providing its asset purchase program, which involves buying government bonds, to keep the yield on 10-year Japanese government bonds at a target level.

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China markets began to turn around after being priced for collapse. The Shanghai Composite Index and the Hang Seng Index both rose more than 1% on Monday, reversing a month of declines. The recent gains were driven by an increase in optimism about the global economy and a rebound in risk appetite.

China's economic growth is expected to pick up in the second quarter, as the country begins to recover from the pandemic. The government has been implementing a range of stimulus measures to support the economy, including tax cuts and increased spending on infrastructure projects.

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For years, a tough businesswoman, a former National Post editor and lifestyle guru, has been associated with the company, crusading to restore its reputation. She takes a firm but measured tone as she speaks to shareholders, and her presence is felt throughout the organization.

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