

## Boubyan's Award for Research in Islamic Finance & Economy 2022 – 2023

### **Boubyan Bank is inviting researchers to submit their scientific papers on Islamic finance & economy.**

Subjects include, but are not limited to, the following:

1. Minor ignorance that ultimately turns to awareness of profit and the effect thereof on the contracts of mu'awadhah (Compensatory Contracts).
2. Effect and controls of independence of the body corporate of subsidiaries on intra-group loans (exchanged loans between subsidiaries and associates).
3. A comparative study of Wa'ad "Unilateral Promise" and Muwa'ada "Bilateral Promise" under the Kuwaiti Law and the effect thereof on agreements to extend credit limits.
4. Pledging a portfolio of shares that includes (prohibited, mixed, and Sharia-compliant shares).

### **Participation Conditions:**

1. The researcher, or researchers in joint researches, must be a Kuwaiti national (s) or a resident (s) of Kuwait.
2. Individual researchers or groups of researchers may participate and compete for the award.
3. The research must not have been published - or received an award - before, and must not have already been submitted for publishing. It should not also be part of a doctoral or master's thesis or a book that was published before.
4. The research must be in Arabic.
5. As per the technical requirements and for coordination purposes, it should not exceed 35 pages, including tables, list of references, and appendixes.

6. Satisfy the conditions of scientific research in terms of adopting the critical approach, exploring various views on the research subject, and ensuring scientific documentation and listing of references.

7. Main Judgment Criteria for Researches:

1)	Soundness of the adopted scientific approach adopted in the research.
2)	Covering the main elements of the research and tackling them in a balanced manner.
3)	The research should focus on the modern era and the reference criteria and resolutions.
4)	Originality and flow of tackled ideas in the research.
5)	Excellence and usability of the findings reached by the researcher.
6)	The researcher's adoption of scientific rules in documenting references.
7)	Sufficiency of the resources and references used by the researcher.
8)	The researcher's focus on comparative approach in his research subject.
9)	Sharia verification and proof for research aspects.
10)	Accuracy and clarity of the research language.

8. The research must not have been submitted to participate in earlier editions of the award.
9. The bank shall be vested with the right to withdraw the award from winning researches which are found to be in violation of the conditions of the scientific rules.
10. The bank shall have the right to benefit scientifically from the research and shall be entitled to copyright of research papers submitted in paper or electronically, and the bank shall not have any obligation to publish/not publish winning researches.
11. The researcher may publish the research/study, provided to state that it has been one of the researches provided by Boubyan's Award for Research in Islamic Finance & Economy.
12. The research shall be submitted in a typed form using MS Word through the email address dedicated to the award: [shareahc@bankboubyan.com](mailto:shareahc@bankboubyan.com)

13. The research should be accompanied by a C.V., personal photo, and a copy of the Civil ID.
14. The researches should be submitted at the award's email, maximum by March 05<sup>th</sup> 2023.

## Technical and Coordination Requirements:

The researcher should abide by technical and coordination requirements as per the following:

Table of Technical and Coordination Requirements	
<b>a) Number of pages:</b>	The research should be typed using MS Word, and should not exceed 35 (A4) Pages along with the tables, list of references, and appendixes.
<b>b) Page Margins:</b>	Header and Footer: (2.54 cm) Right and left margins. (3 cm)
<b>c) Headings' Font:</b>	Font: (Times New Roman) Font size: (16) Bold for Headings
<b>d) Body Font:</b>	Font: (Times New Roman) Font size: (14) non-bold for the body and the summary. Line spacing in each page: (1.5)
<b>e) Font in footer:</b>	Font: (Times New Roman) Font size: (12) non-bold for the body and the summary. Line spacing: (1)

## Value of Prizes:

Three prizes will be offered as follows:

First Prize:	KD 2,000
Second Prize:	KD 1,500
Third Prize:	KD 1,000

For more information about the award, please call: 51699944 , or contact us using the award's email: [shareahc@bankboubyan.com](mailto:shareahc@bankboubyan.com)