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Khulood is currently the Communications and Government Relations Manager at Shell Markets. She started her career in the area of HR in HSBC Bank in Dubai where she worked as a trainer for management and leadership courses and she worked as a coach for UAE national graduates and supervisors. In 2005, she moved to Shell Exploration and Production in Dubai. In her first assignment she was responsible for launching successfully the first Shell Excellence Award for the Middle East Region and help creating the Regional Internal Communications strategy. She held various posts at Shell that covered Communications, Recruitment, Planning and Global HR projects. She started her current role the role of Communications and Government Relations Manager in January 2012 where she is responsible for internal and external communication in addition to managing stakeholders. She has a passion for learning and development and champions Diversity & Inclusion in the workplace. Her mission in life is to empower the youth. She holds a bachelor degree in Finance and a Masters degree in Business Administration. In addition to her job, Khulood is a member of the Sheikh Mohammed Bin Rashid Programme for Leadership Development-Young Leaders. In her personal time, Khulood enjoys traveling.