

## Dr. Richard Gibb, Provost, Abu Dhabi University

Abu Dhabi University's search for a talented and experienced individual to join its ever-growing family and take on the demanding role of Provost has finally reaped a fruitful outcome, as Dr. Richard Gibb joins ADU as its newly appointed Chief Academic Officer. An accomplished scholar who has published more than 50 refereed journal articles, four authored books and numerous articles on various academic topics, Dr. Richard Gibb brings with him valuable skills and great vision that will enrich the growth of the University. Commenting on this valuable addition to Abu Dhabi University's pool of intellectual resources, Dr. Nabil Ibrahim Chancellor of ADU said: "With several years of experience as Pro-Vice Chancellor of University of Plymouth in the UK, a D. Phil from the University of Oxford, I am certain Dr. Gibb will play a key role in helping us revolutionize our scientific research initiatives as well as continue in our path to achieving excellence on all operational and academic levels. His previous experience in the UAE includes an appointment as Director at the Higher Colleges of Technology and later headed HCT's Faculty of Engineering Technology and Science, across 17 campuses spread throughout the UAE. We are delighted that Dr. Gibb has joined Abu Dhabi University for the next stage of his already distinguished career and look forward to his contributions to ADU's academic journey".