

DR Ned Fawaz



Ned Fawaz is the Founder and Chief Executive Officer of Energy International Corporation (EIC), a company serving the Mechanical, Electrical, Industry. As CEO Ned Fawaz is responsible for the expansion in worldwide business including the tactical and strategic sales.

EIC has evolved and expanded to be a company with global reach with distinctive divisions and departments offering customers and clients a wide range of niche products and services. Today Energy International has 7 offices overseas and about 200 employees.

Beginning his career over 42 years ago, Ned Fawaz has an extensive background in the mechanical and electrical equipment industry. He studied Mechanical Engineering at York Institute in York, Pennsylvania and worked for 10 years for York International.

Traveling around the world for business, especially in Africa and the Middle East, Ned Fawaz has acquired unique insights to business practices and social traditions of the respective national platforms, by understanding many aspects of the local values, priorities, and socio-political implications: these being the key success factors for business, in the constantly changing economic scenarios worldwide.

ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- In March 2008, Dr. Ned Fawaz was awarded the highest Lebanese Medal for Lebanese Ex-patriates throughout the world. This **Presidential Award** is given to Lebanese who have served Lebanon and the Lebanese immigrants around the globe.
- In May 2004, Dr. Ned Fawaz was conferred an honorary Degree of Doctor of Laws by the Davenport University of the State of Michigan in recognition of his exceptional business acumen and achievements coupled to his contribution to the welfare of the community.

In addition to his business prowess and achievements, Ned Fawaz continues to devote his energies and talent for community services. The following is representative of his multifaceted social activities:

- Founder and First Chairman of the **American Arab Chamber of Commerce, Michigan**– 1992-1998, Executive Officer for Life. [Website:americanarab.com]
- President and Founder (1998) of the **Lebanese International Business Council (LIBC)**, an international organization with several thousand members around the globe, promoting networking and cooperation among international **www.LIBC.net**
- Member of the Board of **Michigan District Export Council (DEC), USA**, appointed by the Secretary of Commerce, with objectives to encourage and increase the export of U.S. products, technology and equipment abroad.
- Ned Fawaz is one of fifteen individuals from across the country, who were appointed by **President Obama** (May 2011) to the **S. Small Business Administration's (SBA) Council on Underserved Communities (CUC)**. Building on SBA's core programs and Recovery initiatives, the CUC will provide input, advice and recommendations on strategies to help strengthen competitiveness and sustainability for small businesses in underserved communities. These strategies will be focused on increasing

entrepreneurship and technical assistance, creating new and strengthening existing outreach and training, and raising awareness in underserved communities of SBA programs and services.

PERSONAL

Ned Fawaz lives with his wife in West Bloomfield, Michigan, USA and has four children and five grandchildren.