

UAERG

UAE
RESTAURANTS
GROUP

MEMBERSHIP



WHO WE ARE

UAERG is the unified voice of the UAE restaurant industry — bringing together operators, stakeholders, and regulators to shape the direction of the sector.

As a collective platform, we represent the interests of the industry, facilitate meaningful dialogue, and drive initiatives that strengthen competitiveness, transparency, and long-term sustainability.

We exist to ensure the UAE restaurant industry grows stronger — together, strategically, and with a clear, unified voice.



WHY UAERG MEMBERSHIP MATTERS

The UAE restaurant industry is evolving rapidly — and the most influential voices are not operating in isolation. They are part of a collective that shapes the sector. UAERG brings together the operators, stakeholders, and decision-makers driving this change. Membership ensures you are not just keeping up with the industry — you are actively influencing it.

Membership gives you:

- **Influence**: Be part of the conversations shaping policies, regulations, and industry standards
- **Access**: Engage directly with regulators, sector leaders, and key stakeholders
- **Opportunities**: Build relationships that lead to partnerships, collaborations, and commercial growth
- **Insights**: Stay ahead of market trends, regulatory developments, and industry shifts
- **Visibility**: Align your brand with the collective voice of the UAE restaurant industry
- **Collective Strength:** Be part of a unified industry that carries greater weight together than alone



HOW UAERG CREATES VALUE & MEMBER BENEFITS

UAERG turns industry insight into action — ensuring membership delivers tangible value and measurable impact.

What UAERG Does:

- Supports industry forums, roundtables, and networking events to drive meaningful engagement
- Facilitates structured dialogue with regulators and authorities
- Secures partnerships and advantages for members
- Provides timely industry updates, intelligence, and insights
- Leads sustainability initiatives and sector-wide programs
- Drives committees focused on key industry priorities



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What Members Gain:

- Representation in discussions and decisions impacting the industry
- Direct access to key stakeholders and decision-makers
- Valuable insights on regulations, trends, and market shifts
- Opportunities for collaboration, partnerships, and growth
- Increased visibility and credibility within the UAE F&B ecosystem

UAERG ensures your membership translates into access, influence, insight, and growth.



MEMBERSHIP CATEGORIES

Membership is structured based on annual revenue to ensure fairness and accessibility:

- **Tier 1:** Restaurants with revenue of AED 110M+ & HORECA suppliers – AED 15,000 per annum
- **Tier 2**: Restaurants with revenue of AED 76M-109M – AED 12,500 per annum
- **Tier 3:** Restaurants with revenue of AED 36M-75M – AED 6,000 per annum
- **Tier 4:** Restaurants with revenue of AED 6M-35M – AED 4,000 per annum
- **Tier 5:** Restaurants with revenue of AED 5M & below; single outlets and individual professionals (chefs, etc.) – AED 2,500 per annum
- **Student Membership:** AED 240 per annum

For smaller operators, membership can often be recovered by attending a single UAERG event — accessing opportunities that would otherwise be out of reach.

Membership ensures operators of all sizes can connect, influence, and grow together.



LEADERSHIP

Industry Leadership & Representation



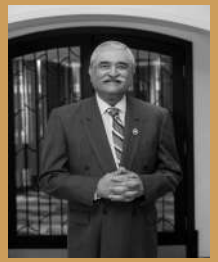
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JOIN UAERG

Be part of the platform shaping the future of the UAE restaurant industry.

UAERG brings together operators, stakeholders, and decision-makers — creating a space where relationships are built, insights are shared, and opportunities are unlocked.

The industry is moving and the most engaged and forward-thinking businesses are already part of UAERG.

Membership ensures you are part of the conversation, not on the sidelines.

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