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1. **Name:** Abdulla Ziyad

2. **Date of Birth:** 11 May 1966 **Nationality:** Maldivian

Years of Work Experience: 24 years

3. Education:

- Sept 1999– Jun 2001 - Master's in engineering management (M. Eng Mgmt.) - University of Bahrain, State of Bahrain
- Sept 1994 – Jun 1998- B.Sc. in Civil Engineering (Honor's Distinction) -University of Bahrain, State of Bahrain
- Sept 1992 – Jun 1994- Associate Diploma in Civil Engineering-University of Bahrain, State of Bahrain

4. Directorship training and Certificates:

- 28 – 30 April 2024 – Director's Training Program – (lectures on Companies Act, Vital role of Directors, CMDA Laws and Regulations, Strategic vision for Board Directors, Taxation essentials, Business Ethics, Audit and Risk Management, Analysis of Financial Statements and Annual reports, Corporate Governance, Corruption and procurement, securing sustainable future) – organized by Capital Market Development Authority (CMDA) of Maldives.
- 06 – 08 May 2024 – Module-1: The Role of Directors: Duties, Responsibilities and Legal Obligations (Passed) -Singapore Management University, in partnership with Singapore Institute of Directors
- 26 – 28 June 2024 – Module-2: Assessing Strategic Performance: The Board Level View (Passed with Distinction) -Singapore Management University, in partnership with Singapore Institute of Directors

5. Membership in Professional Societies:

Registered Civil Engineer in Ministry of Construction and Public Infrastructure (Reg no: BD 050 76E, dated: 5 Feb 2006). Also, a member of Association of civil Engineers (Maldives).

6. Other Training:

- ✓ Participated in a study tour to various design facilities in Jordan, sponsored by Consulting Engineering Centre – Amman, Jordan
- ✓ Participated in Quality management course held in faculty of Management and Computing
- ✓ Participated in Quantity Surveying workshop held by IBS (Male')
- ✓ Participated in a workshop on Construction Claims held in Male' by Riyan Design and Management Consultancy in collaboration with Uni-Consultancy services (University of Moratuwa – Sri Lanka)
- ✓ Participated in International Training Course on Rural Infrastructure Development Planning and Management (3 weeks), at Sripatum University, Bangkok, Thailand
- ✓ Participated in Workshop on Claims Management for FIDIC Contracts

10 Dec 2012 – 12 Dec 2012

The 4th Asia Pacific Ministerial Conference on Housing and Urban Development (Amman - Jordan). Participated as the leader of the delegation.

31 May 2014 – 01 June 2014

The 10th Minister's Forum on Infrastructure Development in the Asia-Pacific region (Singapore). Participated as a delegate from an observer country.

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21 July 2015 – 24 July 2015

World Engineer's Summit on Climate Change (Singapore). Participated as a member representing Maldives, sponsored by Asian Development Bank.

11 Jan 2016 – 13 Jan 2016

The 6th SACOSAN (South Asian Conference on Sanitation) held in Dhaka, Bangladesh. Participated as Maldives Government head of delegation, giving keynote speech, signing the declaration on behalf of Maldives and giving the final speech.

15 May 2016 – 19 May 2016

The 41st Annual Meeting of the Islamic Development Bank Group (IDB) held in Jakarta, Indonesia. Participated as IDB Executive Director – Group C-1.

30 July 2016 – 04 Aug 2016

The 313st Board Meeting of the Islamic Development Bank Group (IDB) held in Jeddah, Saudi Arabia. Participated as IDB Executive Director – Group C-1.

04 May 2017 – 05 May 2017

High Level Segment to Basel Rotterdam Stockholm (BRS) conference held in Geneva, Switzerland. Participated as Maldives Government head of delegation in group discussions to find ways to combat pollution from industrial and chemical pollutants.

05 Sept 2017 – 08 Sept 2017

Asia-Pacific Ministerial Summit on the Environment, held in Bangkok, Thailand. Participated as Maldives Government head of delegation, giving keynote speech.

23 Nov 2017 – 24 Nov 2017

High Level Segment to 11th meeting of the Conference of Parties (COP) to Vienna Convention for Protection of Ozone Layer, and 29th Meeting of the Parties to the Montreal Protocol on Substances that deplete the Ozone Layer. Held in Montreal, Canada. Participated as Maldives Government head of and giving the keynote speech on behalf of Maldives.

23 Sept 2024 – 24 Sept 2024

12th High Level Official Meeting of Asia Pacific Regional Forum on Health and Environment (APRFHE). Participated as representative of Maldives Government as deputy head of delegation representing Ministry of Climate Change, Environment and Energy (MoCCEE), and giving the speech on behalf of Maldives.

Key Qualifications:

- Executive Management of Maldives Transport and Contracting Company (MTCC) as CEO of the company, and participating in board meetings in the capacity of Executive Board Member.
- Site Supervision of works for quality, quantity and time control. Further manage the Contractor and his works, document the activities, and apply contractual clauses as appropriate to ensure the works are done in an orderly manner
- Review of available coastal studies & design, reports and other available data relating to the Project
- Take overall responsibility for delivering the services in ensuring timely and effective delivery of the project.
- Be responsible for day-to-day management of the consultant team in delivering their responsibilities under the contract.
- Provide direct support to the Client in delivery of the project and reporting of progress to the concerned.

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- Monitor project progress and report progress and issues encountered and proposals for their resolution to all concerned.
- Take responsibility for preparation of monthly reports, review and finalization of sector reports and preparation of the project completion report to all concerned.

7. Countries of work experience: Maldives

8. Languages

LANGUAGE	Speaking	Reading	Writing
DHIVEHI	Native	Native	Native
ENGLISH	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent
ARABIC	Excellent	Excellent	Satisfactory

9. Employment Record:

From	01 Feb 2025	To	Present
Employer	Ministry of Tourism and Environment, Maldives		
Position Held	Minister of State		
From	22 Aug 2024	To	31 Jan 2025
Employer	Ministry of Climate Change, Environment and Energy, Maldives		
Position Held	Minister of State		
From	28 Nov 2023	To	22 Aug 2024
Employer	Maldives Transport and Contracting Company - Maldives		
Position Held	Chief Executive Officer		
From	Nov 2022	To	Nov 2024
Employer	AlHabshi Engineering Consultant Office - Kuwait		
Position Held	Project Manager for Fuvahmulah Coastal Protection		
From	Feb 2019	To	Oct 2022
Employer	ALIA Construction, Maldives		
Position Held	Project Manager		
From	Apr 2016	To	Aug 2017
Employer	Islamic Development Bank Group		
Position Held	Executive Director for Group C-1 (representing Afghanistan, Bangladesh, Maldives and Pakistan)		
From	Dec 2014	To	Nov 2018
Employer	Ministry of Environment and Energy, Maldives		
Position Held	Minister of State		
From	Apr 2012	To	Dec 2014
Employer	Ministry of Housing and Infrastructure, Maldives		
Position Held	Minister of State		

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From	Nov 2010	To	Feb 2012
Employer	Al-Habshi Engineering Consultants (ACO, Maldives)		
Position Held	Project Manager		
From	Aug 2007	To	Jan 2010
Employer	Ministry of Housing, Transport and Environment, Maldives		
Position Held	Senior Engineer		
From	Aug 2005	To	July 2007
Employer	Tsunami Emergency Assistance Program (TEAP, Maldives)		
Position Held	Sanitation Engineer		
From	July 2001	To	Aug 2005
Employer	Ministry of Construction and Public Infrastructure, Maldives		
Position Held	Civil Engineer		

10. Detailed Tasks Assigned

- Management of Maldives Transport and Contracting Company (MTCC) as CEO, planning with chiefs overseeing sectors and implementation of project portfolio (comprising building construction and re-pair, harbors, airports, dredging and reclamation works), land and sea transport network, ship repair and machinery repair facilities, trade in outboard engines and accessories, and procurement of building materials.
- Review the contract documents and ensure that contract conditions are being administered.
- Draft Client specific conditions in contract and prepare agreements and contracts for Contractors, if required
- Overview all contract documents are in line with the intended purpose and matches well.
- Monitors Contractor performance to determine what necessitates for amendments or extensions of contracts, and compliance to contractual obligations
- Analyze and approve/reject contractor claims for deviations from contract specifications and delivery schedules.
- Arrange tender documents and manage the tender process including final evaluation report acceptable to the funding institution and local procurement procedures.
- Have experience and knowledge of FIDIC contract conditions and procedures, capable of overseeing progress and compliance.
- Prepare procurement documentation in line with ADB fund guidelines and in accordance with country regulations.

11. Work Undertaken that Best Illustrates Capability to Handle the Tasks Assigned

Project: Construction of Coastal Protection onshore revetment (2700m long, Estimate: \$24 million)

Year: Nov 2022– Oct 2023

Location: Fuvahmulah Island - Republic of Maldives

Position Held: Project Manager

Activities Performed:

- Manage and oversee project activities and ensure scope is implemented in accordance with contract.
- Conduct periodic review meetings to assess the progress of the project.
- Liaison with various stakeholders of the project and overall reporting of key milestones on the project
- Planning coordination and day-to-day management of all project activities towards timely achievement of project milestones
- Establishment and control of project related quality assurance routines in coordination with the quality

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- Responsible for resource allocation and organization skills and ensure staff are working efficiently.
- Project control and inspection to verify compliance with contract.
- Invoice checking and payment certification issues.
- Formulate strategies to increase productivity and monitor project performance.

Project: Construction of Alia Residence (Private and commercial 13-storey building, 6500 sq.ft)

Year: Feb 2019 – Oct 2022

Location: Republic of Maldives

Position Held: Project Manager

Activities Performed:

- Total responsibility to manage the project to Client's requirements.
- Negotiate contracts with suppliers to reach lucrative agreements.
- Determine resources (manpower, equipment and material) required to finish tasks with attention to budgetary limitations.
- Managing all documentation and correspondences.
- Planning for all procurements
- Monitoring the daily activities at site, and liaising with all sub-contractors (electrical, AC, IT,.Etc.) and provide guidance as needed,
- Identify and improve problem areas, undertake design changes if necessary to facilitate smooth functioning.

Project: Urban Infrastructure projects

Year: 2014 - 2018

Location: Republic of Maldives

Position Held: Minister of State

Activities Performed:

- Total responsibility to formulate contract negotiations, chair progress meetings to manage 23 Urban Infrastructure projects, working to implement all Urban Infrastructure projects and development programs, participate at the top level in policy making to fulfill government objectives for the sector (in Ministry of Housing and Infrastructure, and Ministry of Environment and energy)
- Project Manager including contract management for a large urban infrastructure project funded by ISDB and SFD
- Projects administered with FIDIC RED Book 1997 edition. Claim management and overall contract administration including the liaison with IFI's and Implementing Ministry and the Ministry of Finance.
- Direct liaison with many IFI's including ADB, ISDB, SFD and OFID, ORIO, KFAED and ADFD

Project: Construction of Harbours for Tsunami Victims Project

Location : Republic of Maldives

Position Held: Project Manager

- Harbour projects (Ha-Hoarafushi, Ha-Ihavandhoo and K- Dhiffushi – Saudi Fund for International Development)
- B- Dharavandhoo, K- Kaashidhoo, B-Goidhoo, AA-Mathiveri, Th- Hirilandhoo, Ga-Dheevadhoo, Gdh-Vaadhoo – Islamic Development Bank

Activities Performed: contract administration, Environmental management, management and technical input to the Harbour Project works administered using FIDIC RED Book 1997 edition. Claim management and overall contract administration including the liaison with IFI's and Implementing Ministry and the Ministry of Finance.

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Project: Fuvahmulah Coastal Protection Project

Location : Republic of Maldives

Position Held: State Minister

Activities Performed: As the Client representative (Nov 2014 – Oct 2018), in charge of all negotiations during concept development and pre-construction stage of Fuvahmulah Coastal Protection Project prior to bidding, funded by Netherlands Enterprise Agency (ORIO) and Kuwait Fund (KFAED). Also contributed substantially to formulate all project deliverable documents in close corporation with the Consultant Royal HaskoningDHV (Netherlands).

Project: Thilafushi Reclamation Project

Location: Republic of Maldives

Client: Thilafushi Corporation Limited

Position Held: Project Manager

Activities Performed: Project Manager (2009 – 2010) Managing the contractual aspects and oversee its execution For the Client, Thilafushi Corporation Limited, in accordance with FIDIC RED book conditions.

Project: Villingili Harbours Project

Location: Republic of Maldives

Position Held: Liaison Engineer for Client

Client: Ministry of Construction

Activities Performed: (2001 – 2003), Worked as counterpart Engineer from Ministry of Construction during the inception and development phases of the project. (involved as the Liaison Engineer from the Ministry) for over 18 months.

Project: Construction Projects (schools, community centers)

Location: Republic of Maldives

Position Held: Engineer / Contracts Expert

Client: Ministry of Housing & Construction

Activities Performed: (2001 – 2004) and (2007 – 2009) served as Engineer, overseeing, and managing construction activities, ensuring contractual compliance with FIDIC conditions, liaison with Ministry and Funding institutions (IFI's)

Project: Small bore sewer system for various islands

Location: Guraidhoo, H.Dh.Kulhudufushi, K.Maafushi, K.Guraidhoo and Dh.Kudahuvadhoo

Position Held: Associate Engineer

Client: Asian Development Bank

Activities Performed: (from 2005 – 2006)

- Assist in preparation of proposal reports for sanitation projects including Bill of Quantities.
- Technical surveys for households on sanitation issues, preparation of questionnaires and analysis of data, and compilation of assessment reports.
- Dissemination of information on sanitation issues by conducting meetings with island communities.
- Preparation of an Initial Environment Examination Report for a small-bore sewer system.
- Preparation of Bid Documents, and full technical input and report drafting of the Bid Evaluation Report for a small-bore sewer system, in accordance with FIDIC conditions of contract.

12. Certification:

I, the undersigned, certify that to the best of my knowledge and belief, these data correctly describe me, my qualifications, and my experience.

Date: 01.03.2025

Signature :

