

**U.S. Chamber's U.S.-Qatar Business Program to Host Event with Qatar Airways CEO**

**WASHINGTON, D.C.** – As part of the U.S. Chamber of Commerce's Business Culture Series during the Qatar-U.S. Year of Culture, the Chamber's U.S.-Qatar Business Program will host a virtual event featuring keynote remarks from Qatar Airways CEO Akbar Al-Baker along with a panel of business leaders on April 6, 2021. The discussions will focus on Qatar Airways leadership in the aviation and tourism sector, their support during the COVID-19 pandemic, plans for the future and investment opportunities. The panel will then discuss the business community perspective including their work with Qatar Airlines.

**WHO:**

**Khush Choksy**, Senior Vice President, Middle East, Turkey, and International Development, U.S. Chamber of Commerce

**Steve Lutes**, Vice President for Middle East Affairs, U.S. Chamber of Commerce

**Ambassador Greta Holtz**, Chargé D'Affaires, U.S. Embassy Qatar

**Akbar Al-Baker**, CEO, Qatar Airways

**Omar Arekat**, Vice President, Commercial Sales and Marketing, Middle East, Africa, and Turkey, Boeing

**Jim Currier**, President, EMEA Aftermarket, Honeywell Aerospace

**Aziz Koleilat**, Vice President, Sales & Marketing Eastern Europe, CIS, Russia, Middle East& Turkey, GE Aviation

**WHAT:**

Virtual Event with Qatar Airways CEO

**WHEN:**

Tuesday, April 6 2021

9:00 – 10:00 a.m. ET

**WHERE:**

Credentialed members of the media are invited to attend. Please [register here](#) and choose 'Credentialed Press' as your registrant type.

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