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Professor Dr. Jassim Ali Salem Nasser Al Shamsi served as a Dean of the College of Shariah and Law (now College of Law) from 2006 to 2013 at the United Arab Emirates University. He obtained a doctorate in Law and Islamic Shariah. He started his academic career in 1990 and achieved professorship in 2001. He has been a member of the Higher Shariah Authority of the UAE Central Bank since its inception. He is also a Chairman of the Board of Trustees of the International Islamic Centre for Reconciliation and Arbitration since 2017. He serves as a chairman and a panel member on several Shariah Committees of Islamic financial institutions in UAE. He has also worked as a consultant for the United Arab Emirates University for several years and held several positions at the university and the College of Law and Shariah. He also serves as a member of the “Minister of the Interior Award for Scientific Research” committee in the country since 2011. He is an advisor to the Federation of Chambers of Commerce & Industry and has participated in developing and amending some laws in the United Arab Emirates. He is a recipient of several awards inside and outside the country, such as the Shoman Award for Arab Scientists in Jordan in 1996 awarded by the International Islamic Chamber for his achievement of the system and regulations. He was also awarded with the Al Owais Award for Scientific Innovation from the President and His Highness Sheikh Mohammed bin Zayed Al Nahyan – “The state’s federal personality for the year 2012”. He works as an arbitrator and lawyer and appears before all levels of courts. He has written several books on technical topics, such as: “Guarantee of Exposure and Entitlement,” “Contract of Sale; A Comparison of Islamic Jurisprudence and Law,” “The Theory of Right: A Comparison of Islamic Jurisprudence and Law,” and “The Theory of Law.” Also, he has many scientific research papers published in prestigious university journals to his name and has participated in many scientific conferences locally and internationally.