

MCA Awards 2018 Finalist

Young Consultant of the Year Sara Al Tunisi, GE Healthcare Partners

Beginning her consulting career in late 2012, Sara Al-Tunisi is the youngest Senior Consultant with GE Healthcare Finnamore (GEHCF) globally. She broke the glass ceiling by being the first Saudi woman to travel nationally with the aim of improving public hospitals across Saudi Arabia using Change Management, Lean and Six Sigma to implement customized solutions to address hospital needs and improve performance. During her short time at GE, she has risen from Associate to Consultant to Senior Consultant because of her strong client management expertise, team spirit and her critical thinking skills.

Having progressed through multiple roles ranging from team member to co-leading first-ofa-kind transformation programs within the Ministry of Health, she was trusted to do something that no other woman in the business had ever been tasked to do – present to the Minister of Health and Jeff Immelt (GE Global CEO).

Sara is considered the GEHCF cultural ambassador for Saudi Arabia. Her leaders routinely request that she represent the Saudi division to the global team, with the goal of changing their perspective about working in the Kingdom and successfully motivating them to undertake the journey to be part of the national healthcare transformation.

Sara is regarded as a role model in her company, having been one of 26 women globally selected for "Grow" – a women's leadership program at GE – and selected as one of 6 women to be a mentor for the Women in Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (STEM) in collaboration with local university students.

