

Attieh & Chebli



Counselors and Attorneys at Law

FIRM PROFILE

COUNSELS ACROSS LEGAL SYSTEMS

United States - Lebanon

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PROFILE SUMMARY

Attieh & Chebli is an international law firm operating from Beirut and Houston. It advises on Lebanese, United States, and cross-border matters, drawing on experience across American, European, and Arab legal systems. This profile introduces the firm, its offices, its leadership, and the work entrusted to it.

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THE FIRM

Built where legal systems meet

The firm is structured to address several legal fields within one practice, allowing related legal needs to be coordinated as part of the same matter. It works across different legal systems, most notably American, European, and Arab legal systems, and navigates the legal traditions that inform them. It adapts its analysis, strategy, and execution to the law and institutions governing each matter.



ETHICS & STANDARDS

The standards behind the practice

Effective legal counsel depends on understanding not only the law, but how legal matters move through the institutions responsible for them. Drawing on more than 35 years of experience, Attieh & Chebli combines that institutional knowledge with careful legal analysis, discretion, and practical execution, standards developed through long-term practice and applied across every legal field in which the firm works.

THE FOUNDER

A practice built on judgment, integrity, and trust

Attieh & Chebli was founded by Sami Khalil Attieh, a distinguished lawyer whose reputation was built on professional rigor, ethical judgment, and an unwavering commitment to his clients.

Mr. Attieh approached disputes with clarity and discipline. He sought efficient resolutions and the strongest achievable outcome, while remaining fair, principled, and professional in the conduct of every matter. His advocacy was respected not only by clients and colleagues, but also by opposing counsel, who knew him as an honorable adversary, firm in protecting his clients' interests, yet measured in method and steadfast in upholding the standards of the profession.

Over the course of his practice, he was entrusted with complex disputes, corporate advisory work, real estate portfolios, and fiduciary responsibilities requiring discretion, diligence, and sound judgment. Individuals, companies, nongovernmental organizations, public entities, and fellow lawyers sought his counsel on matters where trust and experience were essential.

He founded the firm and guided its growth around those same principles. His legacy continues in a practice committed to careful counsel, professional independence, ethical advocacy, and the responsible stewardship of every matter placed in its hands.



BEIRUT · HEADQUARTERS & REGIONAL PLATFORM

The firm's home jurisdiction

Attieh & Chebli's headquarters in Beirut is the firm's home jurisdiction and its principal institutional base in Lebanon, from which the firm has practiced Lebanese law for more than 35 years.

In Lebanon, effective legal counsel depends on understanding not only the law, but how matters move through courts, public administrations, registries, banks, businesses, and family structures.

Beirut sits on the Mediterranean sea, at the intersection of continents. For matters that connect Lebanon with the markets and jurisdictions around it, that position remains a practical advantage, not merely a historical one.



LEADERSHIP

**Maguy Chebli**

Managing Partner · Co-Founder

For more than 35 years, Maguy Chebli has practiced Lebanese law, with particular depth in real property law, inheritance, and contracts. As co-founder and Managing Partner of Attieh & Chebli, she leads the firm's Lebanon practice from Beirut, continuing to anchor the institutional knowledge on which the firm's Beirut practice is built.

LEBANON PRACTICE

The full range of Lebanese law

Multiple legal disciplines under one roof.

Attieh & Chebli is a full-service law firm in Beirut, Lebanon, advising businesses, families, institutions, and international clients across multiple legal fields, including corporate, commercial, property, inheritance, and dispute matters under Lebanese law.

Corporate & Commercial in Lebanon

Formation, governance, and ongoing counsel under Lebanese law for both the balance sheet and the families behind it.

Lebanese Real Estate & Property Management

Property transactions in Lebanon, property management, real estate litigation, and trusted representation of owners under Lebanese law.

Litigation & Dispute Resolution in Lebanon

Lebanese litigation and the negotiated routes around it, with clients told honestly what they need to know from the outset.

Contracts

Tailored agreements that preserve rights and clarify obligations.

Employment Law

Practical counsel across the employment relationship.

Inheritance & Private Wealth

Securing the succession of estates across generations.

Intellectual Property in Lebanon

Protecting your innovations from imitation and unfair competition.

General Counsel Services

A personal legal department, outsourced.

Lebanese Administrative Law & Government Representation

Representing clients in dealings and disputes with public authorities.

HOUSTON · UNITED STATES & INTERNATIONAL PLATFORM

The firm's American and International platform

Attieh & Chebli US is the firm's American platform, mainly built for corporations, transactions, arbitration, technology, and the work of connecting the United States with Europe and the Arab region.

Houston places the firm within Texas's growing share of American economic activity, while its energy, trading, and professional-services depth gives the platform direct commercial relevance to clients, investors, and counsel across the Gulf and the Levant.



LEADERSHIP



Carl Jose Sami Attieh

International Lawyer · New York Attorney

The firm's United States Practice is led from Houston by Carl Jose Sami Attieh, who is admitted to the New York Bar and educated across American, French, and Lebanese legal systems. He is responsible for developing the firm's cross-border practice, identifying new markets and opportunities, and expanding its international work.

UNITED STATES PRACTICE

The firm's United States platform

U.S.-admitted. International reach.

Attieh & Chebli's United States Practice advises businesses, founders, investors, and international clients on entering and operating in the American market, U.S. transactions and disputes, intellectual property, technology, and matters connecting the United States with Lebanon, Europe, and the Arab region.



U.S. Market Entry & Inbound Investment

Counsel for businesses, founders, entrepreneurs, and investors entering, establishing, and expanding their presence in the United States.

Corporate Advisory in the United States

Corporate structuring, governance, transactions, and ongoing legal counsel for businesses operating in the United States.

Dispute Resolution in the United States

From dispute prevention and strategic clause drafting to resolution, litigation, arbitration, and enforcement in the United States.

U.S. Transactions & Contracts

Commercial agreements and U.S. transaction documents, drafted with precision and tailored to the legal and commercial context.

Intellectual Property in the United States

Protecting, registering, managing, licensing, and enforcing intellectual property in the United States.

Technology Law in the United States

Technology, software, data privacy, and digital-business counsel for ventures and platforms operating and growing in the United States.

INTERNATIONAL PRACTICE

Cross-border matters. One firm to carry them through.

Attieh & Chebli advises on transactions, disputes, and strategic matters spanning American, European, and Arab legal systems. Its coordinated approach keeps legal analysis, commercial judgment, and strategy aligned across jurisdictions.

Cross-Border Transactions & Contracts

International commercial agreements and cross-jurisdictional contract provisions, drafted with precision and tailored to the legal and commercial context.

International Arbitration & Dispute Resolution

From dispute prevention and strategic clause drafting to resolution and enforcement.

Foreign Direct Investment & International Projects

Counsel for foreign direct investment and international projects, from structuring and regulatory approvals to implementation across jurisdictions.

International Corporate Structuring & Market Entry

Structuring and incorporating companies, holding structures, and cross-border corporate arrangements across jurisdictions.

International Tax & Asset Protection Strategies

Cross-border legal strategies for tax-efficient structuring, asset protection, and the organization of ownership across jurisdictions.

Private Wealth, Trusts & Foundations

Structuring private wealth, succession, trusts, and foundations for continuity across generations and jurisdictions.

Multi-Family Office Services

Coordinated legal counsel for families whose assets, businesses, and affairs cross borders.

International Intellectual Property

Protecting, managing, commercializing, and enforcing intellectual property across jurisdictions.

International Technology Law

Counsel for technology companies, digital platforms, applications, e-commerce businesses, and software ventures operating and expanding across international markets.

NETWORK & ALLIANCES

A network built around the matter

The firm's professional network includes peer lawyers, accountants, translators, real-estate professionals, appraisers, land surveyors, notaries public, and technical experts. These relationships let Attieh & Chebli coordinate legal work with the professional and technical input a matter requires, giving clients and strategic allies one coherent point of counsel.



Direct Representation

Before courts, public authorities, and counterparties.

Co-Counsel & Local Counsel

Supporting Lebanese and international law firms.

Fractional General Counsel

An outsourced legal department for startups and businesses.

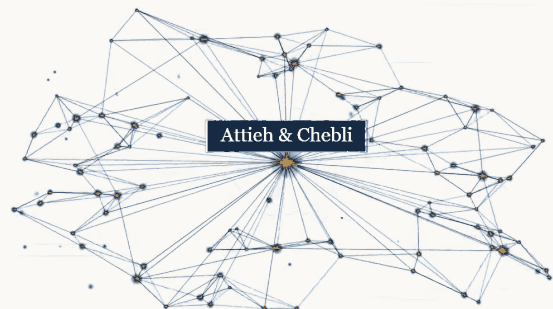
Flexible Engagements & Consultations

For consultations, individual matters, or defined projects.

ALLIANCES

Attieh & Chebli maintains an alliance with Shibly Intellectual Property (Shibly IP), a Lebanon-based intellectual-property firm providing IP services across the Arab region through its own network of agents around the world.

The firm is continuously developing its professional relationships worldwide, most notably in the United States.



OFFICES & CONTACT

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