

While remaining a leader in LNG and oil production, Qatar has expanded its economy beyond hydrocarbon dependency. Qatar's rapid diversification includes immense spending on projects for infrastructure, construction, and health services. Qatar is leading the way in energy production, water treatment, and IT infrastructure and remains a strong trading partner to the United States— creating opportunities for trade and investment across all sectors.

#### **Qatari** Investments

**\$35 Billion:** Qatar plans to invest over \$35 billion in the US in the next five years. Qatar invests globally in projects including infrastructure, energy, and real estate. Qatar Investment Authority (QIA), the State's sovereign wealth fund, worth more than \$250 billion. The State donated \$100 million to New Orleans to rebuild after Hurricane Katrina, and QIA invested \$1.5 billion in the construction of CityCenterDC. Qatar Petroleum invested \$2 billion in the construction of the Golden Pass LNG facility in Texas.

### National Vision 2030

**Four Pillars:** Qatar National Vision 2030 is the foundation of Qatar's national transformation. Focusing on economic, social, human, and environmental development, QNV 2030 is the State's roadmap to creating a self-sustaining, modern state. QNV 2030 is the foundation for all economic diversification taking place in the country.

# Education in Qatar

**Six Prestigious Institutions:** Weill Medical College (Cornell University), Carnegie Mellon University, Georgetown University, Virginia Commonwealth University, Northwestern University, and Texas A&M University all have satellite campuses in Qatar's Education City— a world-class learning and research center. Qatar spends over \$875 million annually funding research and development.

### Healthcare

**\$4 Billion:** Qatar spends over 2% of its \$211.8 billion GDP on healthcare; more than \$4 billion. Qatar's National Health Strategy is a comprehensive plan to fully develop the State's healthcare system as part of the Qatar National Vision 2030. In the GCC, Qatar ranks number one in terms of per capita healthcare spending, and is pushing to become a medical research leader in the region.

## World Cup 2022

**\$200 Billion:** Qatar will host the World Cup in 2022 and is investing nearly \$200 billion in infrastructure, twelve stadiums, hotels & residences for the influx of more than 400,000 fans and tourists. The investments will not only be used for the World Cup, but for the development of Qatar for years after.