

# Civilian Aide to the Secretary of the Army

**TEXAS (CAPITAL REGION)** 



## ABDUL B. SUBHANI

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Mr. Abdul Subhani is a Pakistani born American businessman, author, investor, and philanthropist. He founded Centex Technologies, a Texas-based IT Consulting Company. He balances his duties as CEO with his other roles as President of Subhani Ventures, and President of Subhani Foundation, a non-profit he founded in 2010 that supports youth education and community outreach. Abdul also routinely speaks and lectures around the world on his most passionate subjects: defense transformation, cybersecurity, and community service. He is an investor focused on process improvement, digital transformation, cyber security, and digital forensics.

#### **EDUCATION**

M.S., Information Systems, Tarleton State University

Mr. Subhani has several certifications to include. Microsoft Certified Systems Engineer, Certified Ethical Hacker, Certified Fraud Examiner, Certification in Risk and Information Systems Control, Certified Internal Controls Auditor, Certified Internet Marketer, Certified Project Manager for E-Business, Certified Anti-Terrorism Specialist, CMMC – Registered Practitioner, Texas Licensed Private Investigator, FBI InfraGard Member, Certified E-Commerce Consultant, and a Certified Data Privacy Solutions Engineer.

#### MEMBERSHIPS AND OTHER AFFILIATIONS

MILITARY: Member, Central Texas Chapter and Capital Area Chapter of the Association of the United States Army.

CIVIC: Member the Exchange Club, member of the Advent Health Hospital Community Advisory Board, and a Cabinet member of the Chancellor's Council of the Texas A&M University System. Past Chairman of the Boys & Girls Clubs of Central Texas, Past Chairman of the Greater Killeen Chamber of Commerce, Past Chairman of the Texas A&M University Central Texas Foundation Board, Past Vice Chairman of Austin Community College Foundation Board, and Past member of Austin Area Research Organization.

### AWARDS AND RECOGNITIONS

Mr. Subhani has earned numerous awards including the President's Lifetime Achievement Award from the NAACP, President's Student Service Award in recognition of outstanding community service, Outstanding Achievement for Youth award from the Central Texas Youth Coalition Incredible Kids Celebration, State of Texas Small Business Award from the Office of the Governor and Texas Workforce Commission, a recipient of the 40 under 40 award from Armed Forces Communications and Electronics Association and was honored with the 2018 Best of Small Business CEO of the Year award. Abdul was recognized on the Inc 5000 list for operating one of the fastest growing companies of 2019, 2021, 2022, and 2024. In 2020, the Exchange Club awarded Abdul the Golden Deeds Award for his various charitable efforts, and in 2022, Abdul was recognized with the prestigious Fast 50 Asian American Business Award. In 2024, Abdul was recognized by the A&M-Central Texas Alumni Association with the Distinguished Legacy Alumni Award. In April 2023, Texas A & M University Central Texas recognized Abdul by naming the Subhani Computer Information Systems Department and began the Ruqayya Zubair Faculty Fellowship in honor of Abdul's mother. In December 2024, the Boys & Girls Clubs of Central Texas recognized Abdul's contributions to the organization by opening a new facility called the Subhani Family Clubhouse.

Abdul has written several publications: A family of experiments with Amazon Echo devices – 2023, An adaptive spectrum sensing technique for survivability under jamming attack in Cognitive Radio Networks – 2021, Understanding the Internet of Things – 2020, Stay Safe, A Basic Guide to Information Technology Security – 2016, and Intro to WWW Marketing – 2014.

#### **ORIGINAL APPOINTMENT**

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