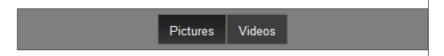
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ABU DHABI, 16th April, 2015 (WAM) -- H.H. Sheikh Mohammed bin Khalifa Al Nahyan, Executive



Council Member, has congratulated Vice President and Prime Minister and Ruler of Dubai, His Highness Sheikh Mohammed bin Rashid Al Maktoum, on being named Cultural Personality of the Year by trustees of the Sheikh Zayed Book Award for the award's ninth edition.

Sheikh Mohammed bin Khalifa said, "This honour comes as a culmination of the tireless efforts by Vice President and Prime Minister and Ruler of Dubai, His Highness Sheikh Mohammed bin Rashid Al Maktoum, in supporting the Emirati culture march, which has moved the UAE into a decent position at regional and global levels, along with achieving many accomplishments which reflected the great attention given by the UAE leaders."

He added, "Choosing Sheikh Mohammed as the cultural personality of the year made us all proud and honoured, as His Highness Sheikh Mohammed bin Rashid has always pursued the number one position for the UAE in all fields. His Highness also has a clear imprint in UAE culture in the fields of literature, poetry and heritage. As he never loses sight of the great importance of the UAE culture, which is reflected in the UAE's people life, he also contributes personally in many cultural events to support and enrich the poetic and literary fields.

"What made us the most proud is that the Cultural Personality Of The Year Award for His Highness Sheikh Mohammed bin Rashid carries name of the UAE founder, the late Sheikh Zayed bin Sultan Al Nahyan," Sheikh Mohammed bin Khalifa concluded.' WAM/Amani

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