



# Our New Lebanon

## Speaker Series

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Date:

January 24, 2020

Time:

12:00 PM Pacific

10:00 PM Beirut

Place: Zoom

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### PROFILE

Marwan Charbel, born (March 11, 1947), is a Lebanese military and former minister of interior and municipalities and holder of a law degree from the Lebanese University. He entered the Military Academy in 1968 and graduated from it with the rank of Lieutenant in 1971, and progressed in the military ranks until the rank of brigadier general as of January 1997.

Charbel served in the various units of the Internal Security Forces and received several command posts, including the assistant commander of the gendarmerie, up to the command of the unit of the special forces in 2001. He also pursued the commando course and was awarded the title of commando by the Lebanese Army Command in 1973, and took over the complaints room in the 2005 elections, the first political participation. In the 2009 elections, he was an advisor to the Minister of Interior, "Ziad Baroud," who assigned him to manage the central operations room for the electoral process, and in 2011 he was assigned as Minister of Interior and Municipalities in the government of Prime Minister Najib Mikati. He won many decorations, commendations and written congratulations.

Charbel is married from Linda Sakre, and they have three children: Maya, Samer, and Rami.

### Q / A

Please prepare your questions in advance and send them to [rania@ournewlebanon.org](mailto:rania@ournewlebanon.org) no later than Saturday, January 23rd at 10 pm.

### ZOOM ETIQUETTE

- Best Practices for a successful Zoom meeting
- Mute yourself when you're not talking- If not, you will be muted to avoid noise interference
- Use the chat to ask questions
- Use the reaction button to raise your hand
- Ask questions, don't make statements and be brief

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