

Mohamed Algarj

Strategic Communications and Research Consultant

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Independent strategic communications consultant with a background in journalism, economic research and television. Translates complex policy and economic issues into clear briefings, media analysis and public-facing content. Brings detailed knowledge of Libya's institutions, public finances and energy sector, together with experience in commissioned research and newsroom production.

Core capabilities

Strategic communications • Media and reputational analysis • Institutional briefing • Stakeholder research • Editorial planning • Interview preparation • Economic and policy analysis • Arabic and English content

Selected experience

Independent Strategic Communications Consultant

Independent practice | Sep 2025–Present

- Provide research-informed communications advice, media analysis and institutional briefings on Libya-related issues.
- Assess public narratives and reputational questions; develop clear messages grounded in verifiable information.

Economics Presenter and Editor

Libya Alahrar TV | May 2021–1 Aug 2025

- Presented and edited television coverage of Libya's economy, public finances, monetary policy and energy.
- Turned technical topics and official records into accessible segments, interview questions and on-air explanations.

News Producer

Libya Alahrar TV | Apr 2019–1 Aug 2025

- Produced news coverage and conducted field reporting, including reporting on conflict and public affairs.
- Worked across story research, editorial preparation and coordination with newsroom colleagues.

Freelance Journalist and Researcher

BBC Eye Investigations | May–Jun 2025

- Supported investigative research, verification and editorial coordination for a commissioned assignment.

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Research and additional experience

Commissioned Field Researcher

Chatham House | Jun–Jul 2020 and Jan–Mar 2023

- Delivered two separate Libya field-research assignments, contributing local political and institutional context.
- Acknowledged as a research contributor in the 2023 study Security actors in Misrata, Zawiya and Zintan since 2011.

Field Monitor

International Organization for Migration, Libya | Oct 2018–Nov 2019

- Supported field monitoring and the collection and reporting of local information for migration-related work.

Contributing Writer in Economic Analysis

Libya Economic Review | Oct 2025–Present

- Publish regular commentary on Libya's economy, including public spending, foreign exchange and the dinar.

Earlier journalism: freelance reporting and local media work from 2011; co-founded Al-Intifada newspaper in 2011.

Selected work

[Communications briefing sample](#) — A concise evidence-based message and Q&A adapted from published economic analysis; an illustrative portfolio exercise.

[Original economic analysis](#) — Foreign-currency transfers in Libya, January–July 2026. Source-led analysis, calculations and evidence limitations.

[Published research contribution](#) — Chatham House acknowledgment of field research for the 2023 security-actors study.

Education

MSc in Management Information Systems

Istanbul Topkapi University

Bachelor's degree in Economics and Administrative Sciences

University of Zintan · Faculty of Accounting, Rujban · Department of Economics

Languages

Arabic — native | English — professional working proficiency | Turkish — basic