Hello BBS Alums!
The Alumni Highlight is a monthly newsletter that aims to highlight the philanthropic, academic, entrepreneurial and professional achievements made by our thriving BBS Alumni community.

Ahmed Al Bader graduated from BBS in 1996 to pursue a culinary degree in Johnson and Whales, then transferred and pursued undergraduate degree in B.S Finance and a minor in Marketing from Suffolk University. He is passionate about all things related to food and has developed a number of successful concept eateries in Kuwait.

How did you develop you passion for food into a successful career?
My dad was my inspiration, through his culinary lust and owning the kitchen in our day to day lives. At eight years old, I would make my own omelets, and I’m his partner in the prep, grocery buying and at the dining table. He was a generous giving dad and a great host!
Yet my mom had direct influence in my freedom to choose and evolved my decision making process, coached me on how to be proud and resilient in what every I choose as a career and face as obstacles.

What factors do you consider when launching a new dining concept?
My childhood, being inspired by several cuisines through my traveling, trends, simplicity and sustainability, location etc..

How influenced are you by local flavors and Kuwaiti cuisine?
I’m very much influenced with lavish variety of our cuisine, influenced by neighboring countries and continents.

To keep up with Ahmed’s culinary adventures, you can follow him on Instagram @butesh

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