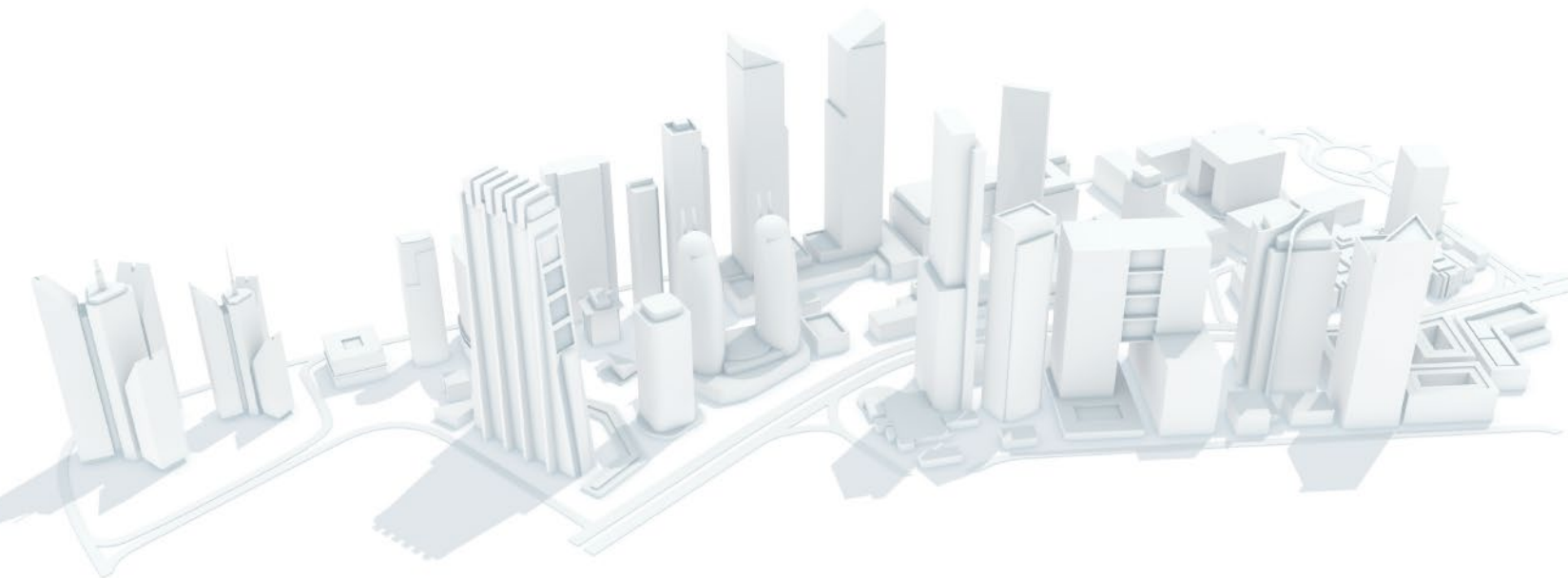




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## DIFC COMMUNITY

With a world-class infrastructure, a global financial exchange, inspiring architecture, enabling services and a vibrant business community, the Dubai International Financial Centre (DIFC) offers an independent regulatory and legal framework that allows businesses to advance within the community, engage with a pool of skilled professionals and enjoy the Centre's ultra-modern office space, diverse retail outlets, cafes and restaurants, art galleries, residential apartments, public green areas and five-star hotels.



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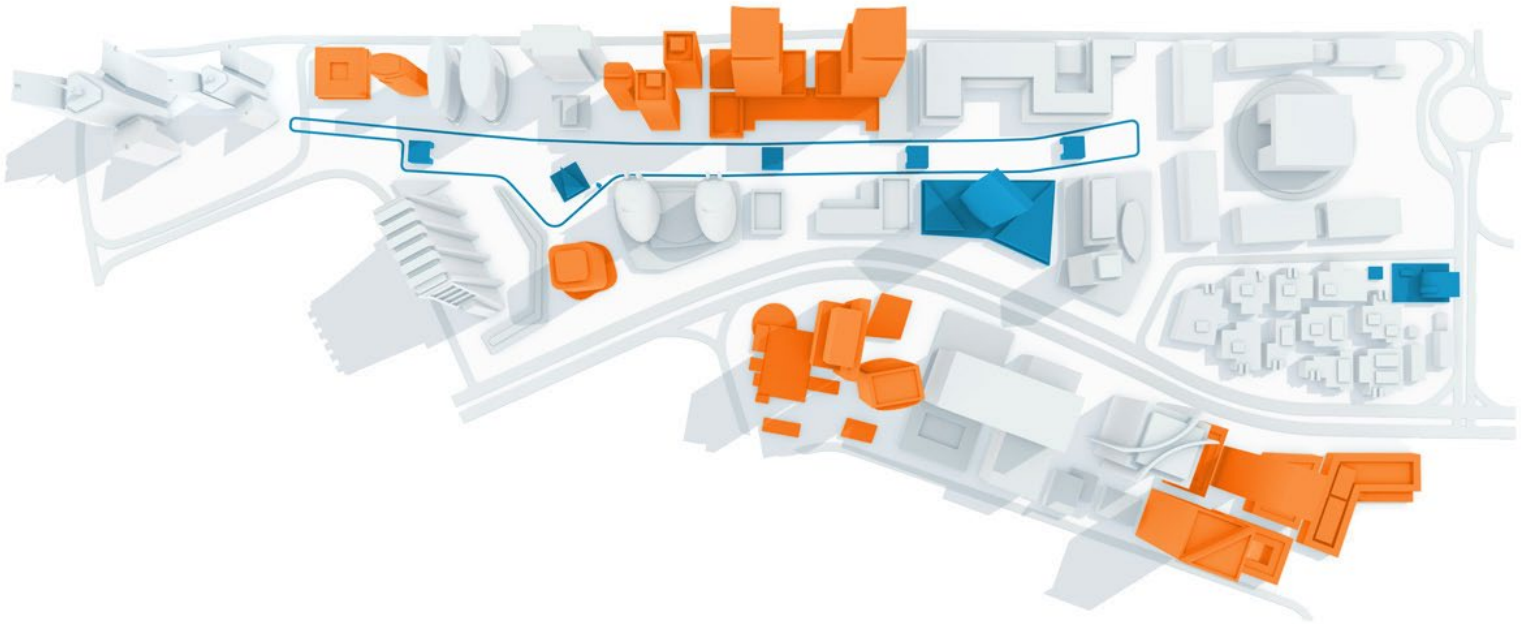
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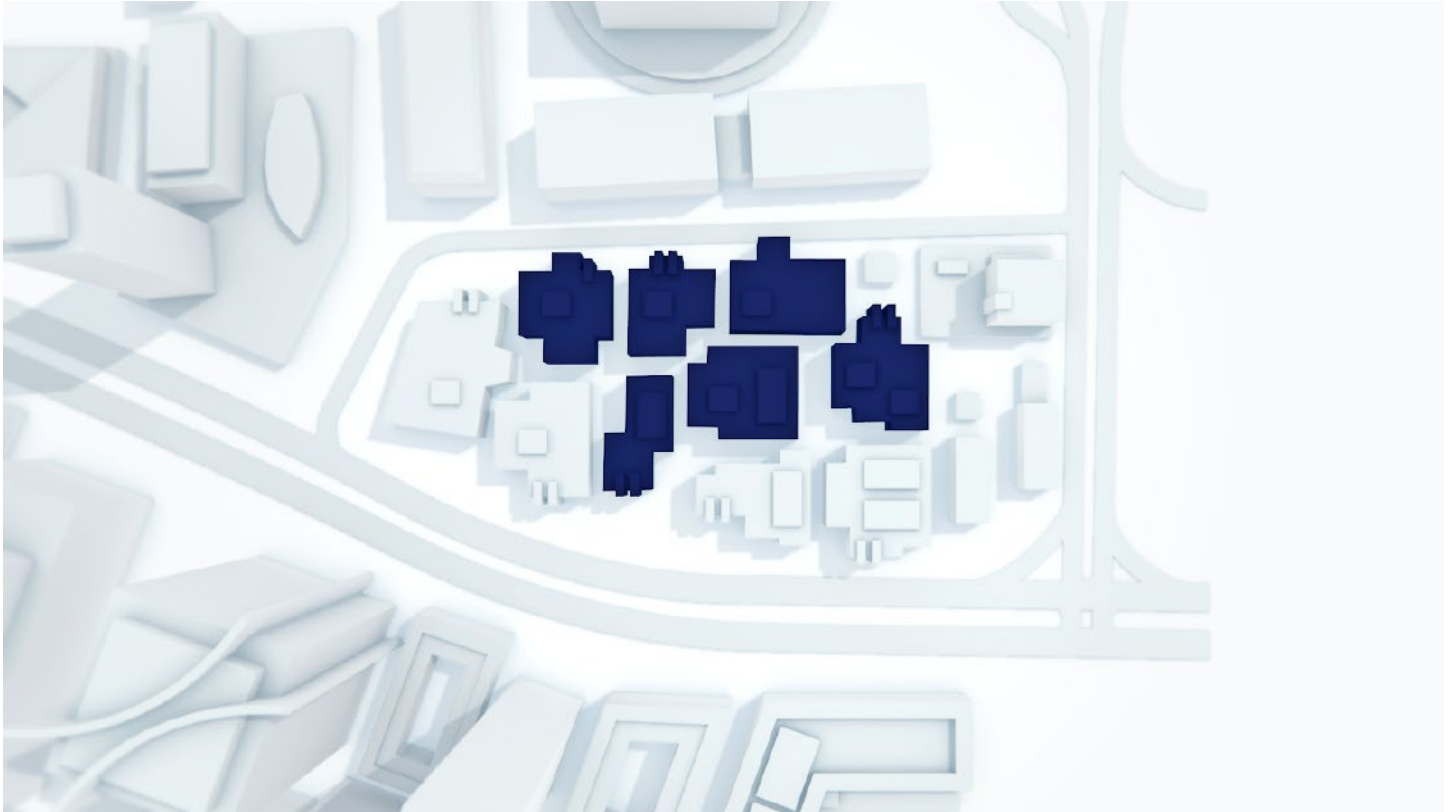
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# ART GALLERIES

As high quality art can stimulate creativity and new perspectives, DIFC's several art galleries showcase a diverse range of artwork and culture from across the region and from the wider world. Works of art have been deployed at public spaces across the district to complement the Centre's award-winning architecture. In addition to its galleries, DIFC also hosts Art Nights @ Gate Village, a lively mix of music, gallery shows and performances in the Gate Village district. With several galleries based within the district and numerous art and culture events throughout the year, there's a world of art to discover.



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# CAFÉS & RESTAURANTS

The most talked about restaurants and cafes are located in the DIFC. Whether you sip your coffee at leisure or dine in style at the Centre's top-notch restaurants, the DIFC offers a delectable array of choices that suit the tastes of its community. Boasting over 60 food and beverage outlets, the Centre is designed to exceed the demands of professional working and living in the district.

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# RETAIL & CONVENIENCE

DIFC offers a variety of retail and convenience offerings, designed to meet with the lifestyle expectations of the community. Discover urban shopping with a selection of department stores, bespoke boutiques and high-street stores, the DIFC is designed with a convenient and walkable open-air and air-conditioned retail space.

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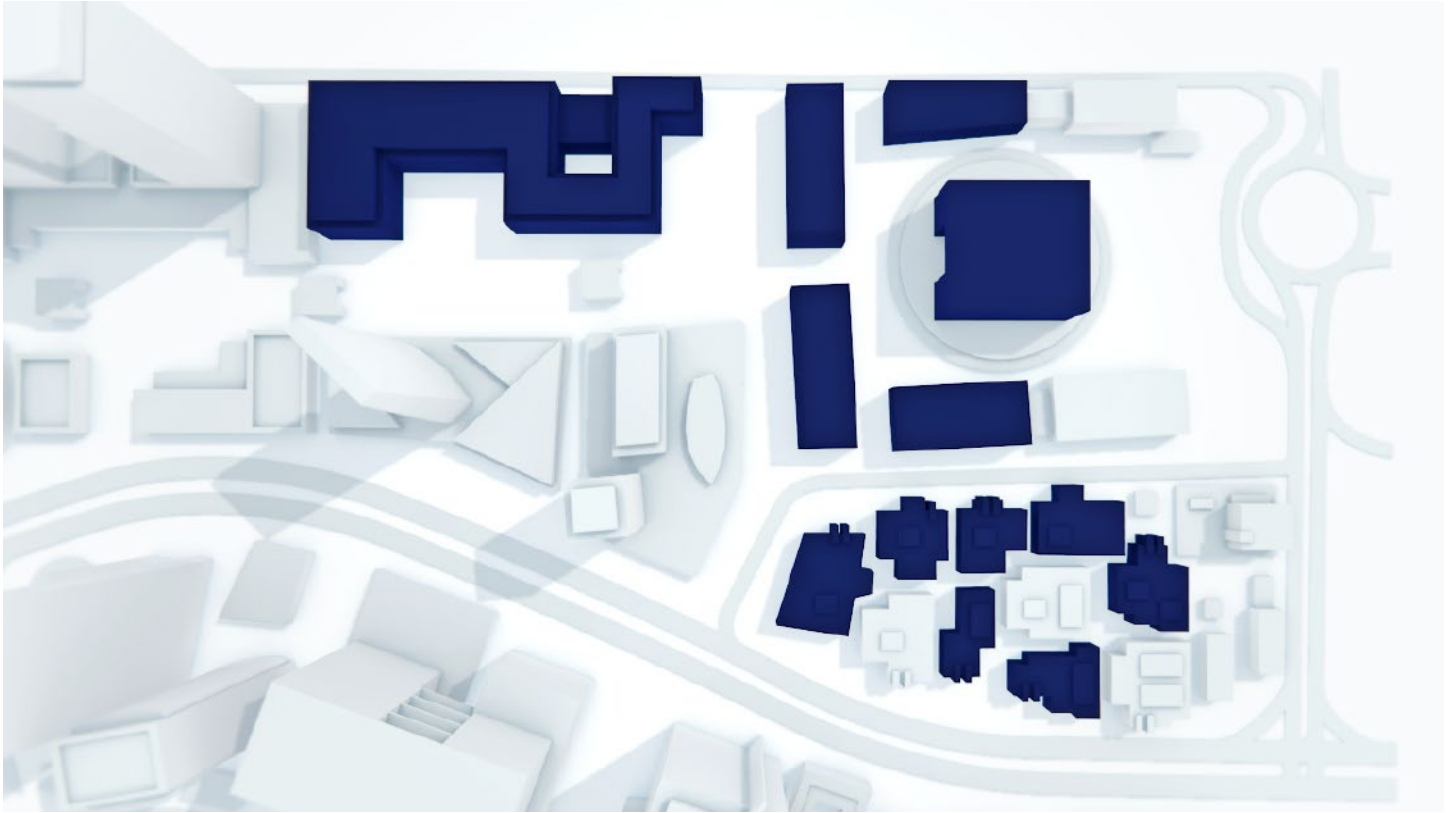
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# EDUCATION

Aware of the fact that the global financial sector depends on investment in human capital, DIFC has created a major hub for executive education and training that ranks among the best in the world. The DIFC Centre of Excellence (CoE) has established partnerships with top ranking business schools, professional development providers, corporate universities to provide a rich choice of academic courses and training programmes. The CoE's programmes are fully certified, accredited and rated by leading international institutions such as the London Business School, Cass Business School, Duke University, Queen's School of Business, and the Schulich Executive Education Centre. Innovative focus is also provided to specialised fields relevant to the region such as Islamic finance and energy.

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# EVENT VENUES

The DIFC offers spectacular and inspiring event spaces that can be modified to suit any occasion. The expansive space that sweeps around The Gate building can be used for major launch events hosting several thousand guests or a smaller, more intimate reception for a hundred people.

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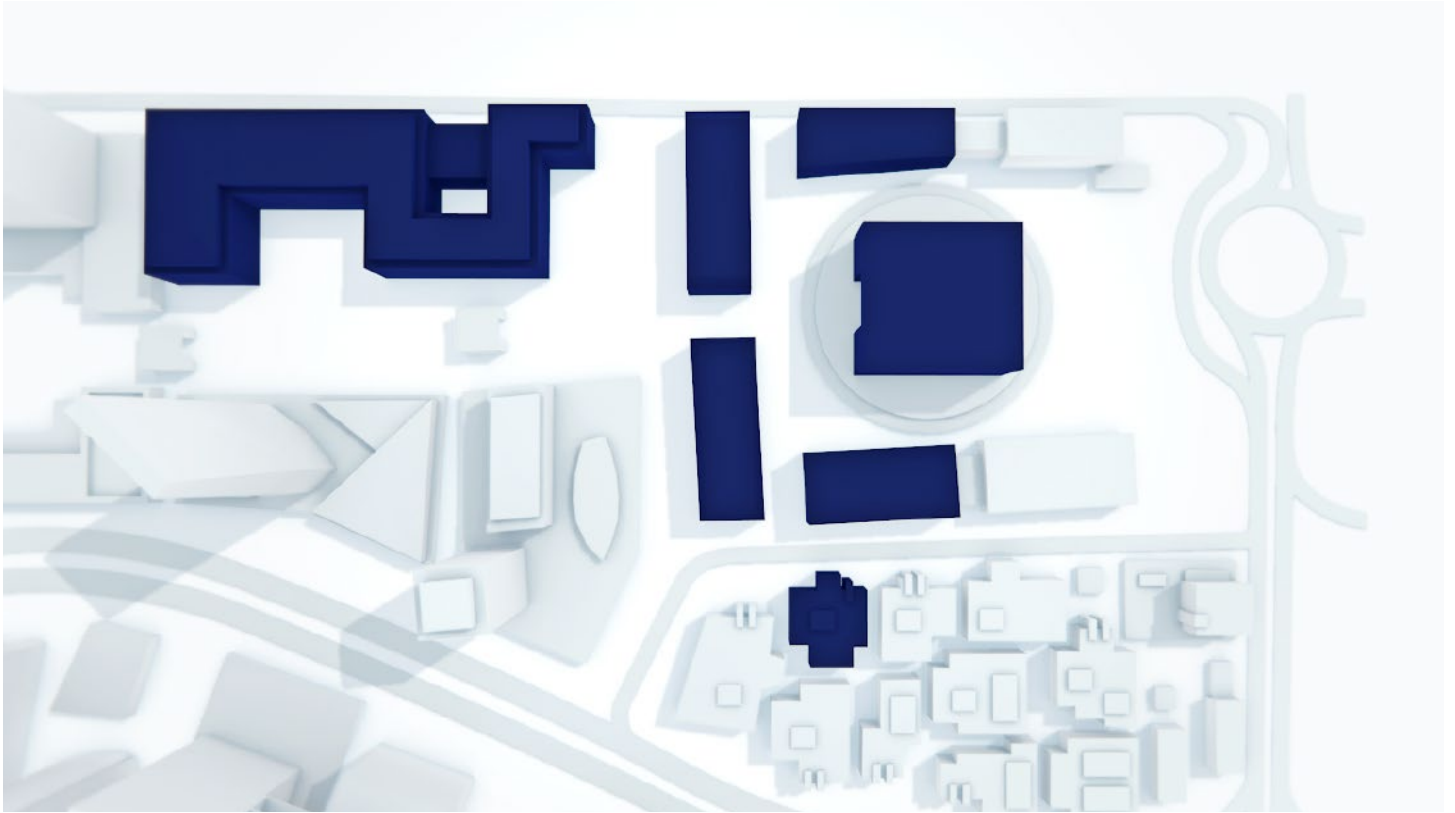
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# GOVERNMENT SERVICES

The Government Services Client Handbook and Fees is a detailed guide covering all requirements and procedures for employment and dependent visa related applications. The handbook provides a comprehensive list of services offered by the office, including definition, application process, documents required for application, service fees and timeframe.

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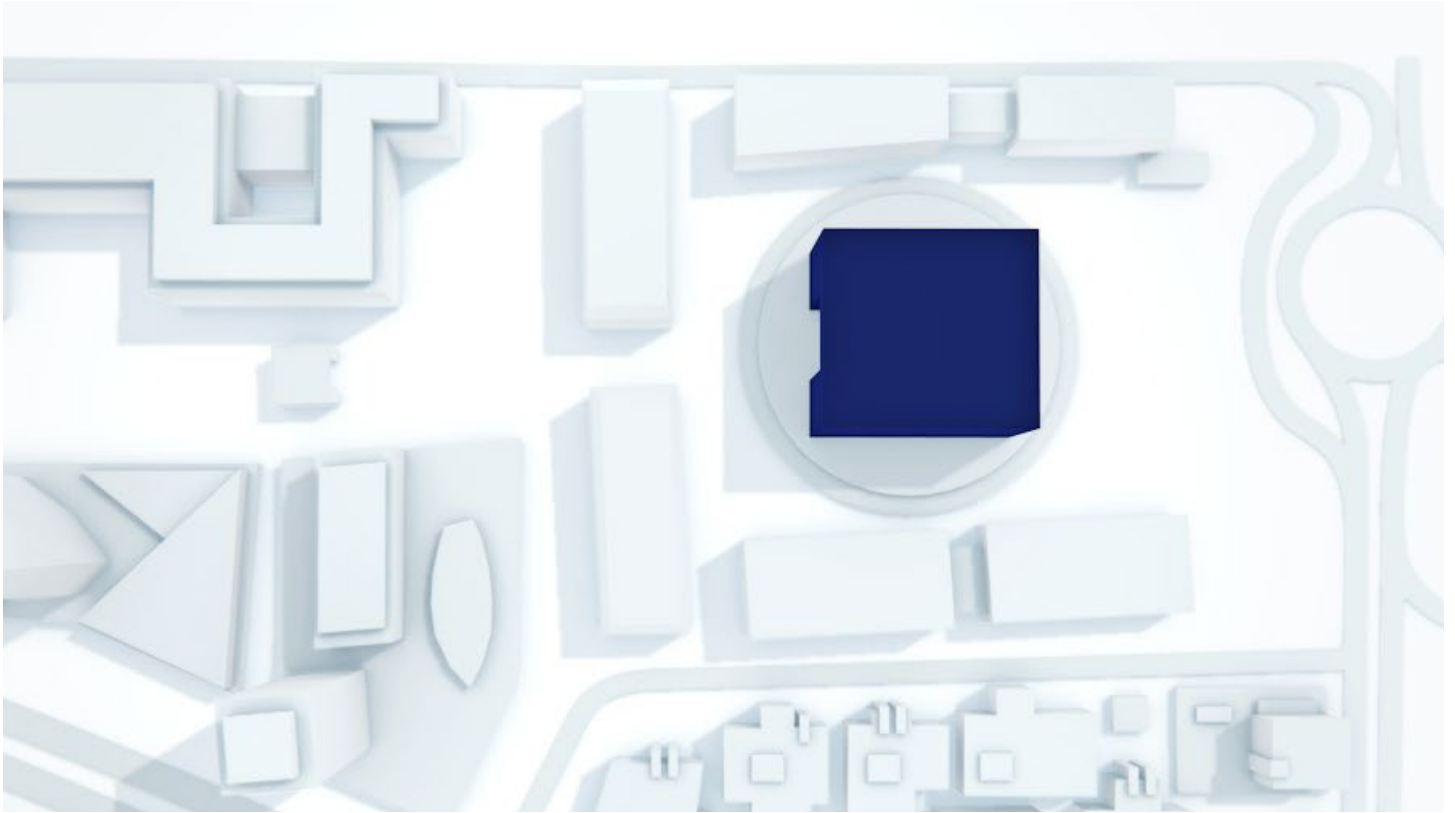
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**Dubai Financial Services Authority (DFSA)** is the central independent regulator that grants licenses and supervises the activities of all financial and non-financial institutions in DIFC.

**Dispute Resolution Authority (DRA)** is responsible for the independent administration and enforcement of justice in DIFC. The DRA incorporates: DIFC Courts, Wills & Probate Registry and the Arbitration Centre.



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