# **2ND PLACE WINNER: 2016 DODGE VIPER ACR EXTREME** OWNER: ABDULAZIZ FUDHILI

#### **Congratulations!**

We are humbled by Abdulaziz's dedication to the Dodge brand, and we celebrate him, his DodgeGarage Virtual Car Show win, and the 2016 SRT<sup>®</sup> Dodge Viper ACR E he worked so hard to buy. Our most heartfelt thanks to Abdulaziz for his commitment to Dodge as a driver and as a global brand ambassador.

## City and country of residence:

Riyadh, Saudi Arabia

# All-time favorite Dodge/SRT:

SRT Dodge Viper ACR E. It is without a doubt the best supercar any driver can buy. It will abuse your senses, put a huge smile on your face and make you feel alive! Every time I take my Dodge Viper to a track competition, the competition gets really worried.

## Who is the person who has most inspired you?

Lots and lots of people, but two people in particular:

 Ralph Gilles and his team: Their dedication to the brand brought back the Viper! I will always be thankful to these guys. Kevin Wesley (Wesley Motorsport): He started racing on a viper and got fantastic lap times. He gave me the push (to get) my Hellcat on track and discover the masterpiece that it is. Thanks Dodge and Kevin.

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### How did you come to acquire your winning vehicle?

I drove an ACR at the Dodge Middle East "Dodge Experience." On delivery day, I jumped inside it and fell asleep while the car was towed to my home – a 6-hour journey. Before I even got home that day, I started negotiating a deal to buy it. There is zero chance of getting a new one in my country, so I fought to have this particular one. I got a lot of support from our dealer here, UMC, and I sacrificed everything to make it happen. It's worth every penny. I just couldn't believe it, she was mine.

## How did your automotive passion begin?

Funny enough, I was not a car guy as a kid. When I wanted to buy a sports car, I wasn't looking at Dodge. However, the 2008 Dodge SRT Challenger had just arrived here in Saudi Arabia. It took one look, and I was sold! The Dodge Challenger's design is classic and BOLD. Timeless. When I got one, my whole life changed. I became so passionate about Dodge that I have built the biggest fan club in the Middle East. I still feel I owe a lot to this brand.

