



Curriculum Vitae

Personal details

Name: DR. Benny Vaknin

Date of birth: 05\01\1950

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Education:

1971-1974 - B.A. Economics and Business Administration – Hebrew:

University of Jerusalem.

1986-1988 - Diploma in Land Assessment and Property Management:

Technion (Israel Technological Institute)

1990-1994 - LL.B – Bachelor of Law, Tel Aviv University (qualified lawyer)

2007-2009 - LL.M - Master of Commercial Law, Bar Ilan University.

2013-2019 - Doctorate in Urban Economic Development, Lille University, France in co-operation with the Civil and Urban Engineering Department, New York University (NYU)

- Business English – Israel Open University.
- Program for Young Leaders in the USA - US Government.
- Course for Chairman of the Board of Directors – Israel Center for Management
- Negotiation management - Israel Center for Management Languages Hebrew, English , French Arabic (working knowledge)

Awards:

- Kaplan Prize Economic efficiency
- Prime Minister's prize for quality and excellence.

Work Experience:

2014-2019 – Owner and Chairman of Communication Companies

Economic Adviser.

Lawyer

2013 – 2008 Mayor of Ashkelon

2008 – 2005 Chairman – NTA Metropolitan Mass Transit System Ltd

(The light train for Tel Aviv and the Dan Metropolitan Area).

2005 – 2004 Chairman of Board of Directors – Pelephone Communications. Pty. Ltd.

2003 – 1991 Mayor of Ashkelon

1991 – 1979 Deputy Mayor of Ashkelon

1979 – 1976 Senior economist, Baxter Travinol (US based company.)

1976 – 1974 Factory economist, Yuval Gad

1974 – 1973 Bank Hapoalim, Assistant to head of investment department.

Board Members of Companies:

Profession:

Economist and Lawyer