

Curriculum Vitae

Konstantinos Bikas, Ambassador h.c.

Born in Athens in 1955

Varvakeion Exemplary High School, 1967-1973

Graduated in Law with honours, University of Athens, 1978

Military Service, Hellenic Navy, 1978-79

Graduate Studies in Private Shipping Law and International Law, University of Hamburg, Germany

Career

1983	Joined the Greek Diplomatic Service
1984-1988	Diplomatic Cabinet of the Deputy Minister of Foreign Affairs and From 1985 of the Minister of Foreign Affairs
1988-1992	Consul, Greek Consulate, Vancouver, Canada
1992-1993	First Secretary, Embassy of Greece, Algeria
1993-1998	Spokesman of the Greek Foreign Ministry, Counsellor of Embassy, Founder and Editor of the MFA foreign policy publication Thesis
1998-2002	Head of the Greek Embassy, Baghdad (as Chargé d'Affaires en pied)
2002-2005	Consul General, Greek Consulate General, Boston, USA
2005-2009	Director of the Private Office of H.E. the President of the Hellenic Republic Mr. Karolos Papoulias, Minister Plenipotentiary Second Class
2006-2009	President, Varvakeion Foundation
2009-2012	Head (Director General) of the National Intelligence Service (EYP), Minister Plenipotentiary First Class
2012-2016	Ambassador of Greece to the United Kingdom
2016-2018	Ambassador of Greece to Israel
1.1.2019- today	International Business Director at Metlen Energy & Metals S.A.

Foreign Languages

English, French, German (fluent), Italian (some knowledge), Arabic-Hebrew (elementary)

Orders/Decorations

Order of the Phoenix, Grand Commander (Hellenic Republic)

Order of Merit, Grand Officer (Italy)

Royal Order of the Polar Star, Commander 1st Class (Sweden)

Order of the Danneborg, Commander 1st Class (Denmark)

Order of the Lion, Commander 1st Class (Finland)

Order of Merit, Commander (F.R. Germany)

Grand Decoration of Honour in gold with Star (Austria)