



Mr. Vikram Singh Mehta

Bio-sketch of

Mr. Vikram Singh Mehta
Chairman and Distinguished Fellow,
Centre for Social and Economic Progress (CSEP) &
Former Chairman, Shell Group of Companies in India

Vikram Singh Mehta was the Executive Chairman of Brookings India and Senior Fellow, Brookings Institution from 2012 to 2020. Prior to that, he was the Chairman of the Shell Group of Companies in India (1994-2012); Chief Executive of Shell Markets and Shell Chemicals, Egypt (1992-1993); Advisor, Strategic Planning to the state-owned company, Oil India (1984-1988). He started his career by joining the Indian Administrative Service in 1978. He resigned from the service in 1980.

Vikram is an independent, non-executive, director of Larsen and Toubro Ltd, Mahindra and Mahindra Ltd, Colgate Palmolive India Ltd, Apollo Tyres, Jubilant Foods, Indigo Airlines and Global Health Limited. He is also on the Board of Thomson Reuters Founders Share Company.

Vikram was the recipient of Asia House's "Businessmen of the year" award for 2010. He also received Asia Centre for Corporate Governance and Sustainability's Award for "Best Independent Director" in India for 2016.

Current Positions

- Chairman and Distinguished Fellow, CSEP
- Lead Independent Director, Mahindra and Mahindra Limited
- Board Member, Colgate Palmolive India, Larsen & Toubro, Apollo Tyres, Jubilant Foods, Indigo Airlines and Global Health Limited
- Columnist, the Indian Express

Past Positions

- Chairman, Shell Group of Companies in India, 1994-2012
- Managing Director, Shell Markets and Chemicals, Egypt, 1991-1994
- Joined Shell International, London, 1988
- Advisor, Oil India Limited, 1984-1988

Education

B.A. (Honors) in Mathematics, St. Stephens College, Delhi University

M.A. in Economics, Magdalen College, Oxford University

M.A. (Energy Economics), Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy, Tufts University

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