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Place/Date of Birth

Kathmandu, Nepal on the 15 March 1982

Education

2014, 2017 Entrepreneurial Master's Program, London Business School, England
2010 - 2012 Entrepreneurial Master's Program, MIT, USA
2010 - 2012 Masters of Business Administration, Kathmandu University, Nepal
2002 - 2004 Bachelor of Business Management, Kathmandu College of Management, Nepal
2000 - 2002 Singapore Management University, Singapore
1998 - 2000 A - Levels- Harrow School, England
1993 - 1998 Primary Education - The Doon School, India

Portfolio

Managing Director, Chaudhary Group: April 2010 – Present
Vice Chairman, Chaudhary Foundation: April 2010 – Present
Executive Director, Chaudhary Group: September 2006 - April 2010

CG is a third generation family-run multi-sector business conglomerate formed 147 years ago in 1870, based out of Nepal. With over 136 companies and 76 brands in 30 Countries, the group directly employs more than 10,000 people on its roll. CG being a wholly owned private company is valued at well over USD 2.5 Billion

Food | Beverages | EPC | Energy | Telecom | Education | Hotels & Resorts | Electronics | Biotech | Real Estate | Retail | Industrial Parks | Financial Services | Cement | Foundation

www.cgcorpglobal.com

UN Global Compact High Level Steering Committee Member of the Action Platform, 2020
7 member High Level Task Force on Nepal Government Response to Disaster & Disease Control, 2020
Honorary Consulate of Serbia to Nepal: 2018
Board of Trade, Ministry of Commerce Nepal: 2017-2018
Honorary Consulate General of Maldives to Nepal: 2012 - 2018
Personal Advisor to Ministry of Industries: 2012-2013

Past Work Experience:

- Director, Operations, CG Foods India: September 2006
- Executive Director, Chaudhary Group, Nepal: August 2006
- Director, Sales & Marketing, CG Foods Nepal: April 2006
- Business Unit Head, Gold Beverages Nepal: March 2006
- Business Unit Head, Overseas Business Development, and Nepal: September 2005
- Business Unit Head, Perfect Blends & Sun gold Brewery, and Nepal: July 2005
- COO, United Remit Private Limited, Nepal: June 2005
- Executive Assistant to President & Managing Director, Nepal: December 2004,
- General Manager, Fast Foods Nepal: August 2004
- CG Finco Pvt. Ltd, Chief Executive Officer: May 2003
- Cinnovation Group, Nepal: May 2002; Singapore: August 2000
- Investment Banking, American Express, England: April 2000
- Investment Banking, Donaldson Lufkin & Jenrette, Credit Suisse, England: March 2000
- LG Audio, Chaudhary Group, Nepal: June 1999
- Restaurant, Montys' Nepalese Cuisine, England: March 1999
- Nabil Bank, L/C Department, Nepal: June 1998

Awards received/Interests

- AAMO- Asian Leadership Awards, April 2019
- YPO SEN Global Philanthropy Award, Jan 2019
- Rajiv Gandhi Global Excellence Award, New Delhi, 2017
- President's Award for Social Contribution- Lions International, 2015
- Best Brand/Peoples' Choice Excellence Award, FNCCI, 2013
- Columnist on Entrepreneurship and Leadership in a Leading Business Magazine
- Founder/Member- Young Presidents Organization, Nepal Chapter, 2013
- Entrepreneurs Organization – Nepal Chapter
- 50 Most Influential People in Nepal, 2011
- National Sanskritik Award- Industrial Sector, 2006
- Finalist for "The Boss Awards- Young Entrepreneur." 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006
- Recognition Award for Contribution to the Nepalese Community, September 2004
- Winner of Nepal Corporate Squash Tournament, September 2004
- Finalist for "The Boss Awards- Young Entrepreneur." 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006
- Nepal Youth Society- National Achievement Award, July 2004
- Nepal National Squash Team 2003- 2004- SAF Games, Pakistan
- Founder/ Member of Young Entrepreneur Organization, Nepal Chapter, January 2003
- Music Producer/Radio Jockey "The Tranceporter"- Image FM 97.9 (www.tranceporter.com.np)
- President "Nehru Society" (Harrow School)
- Business Development Officer (Singapore Management University)
- Nepal Representative- Doon School Old Boys' Society/ Harrow School

Boards of Director

- **Centre for Asian Philanthropy Society (CAPS), 2019 onwards**
Advisory Board
- **PHD Chambers, India-Nepal Center - June 2018 onwards**
Chairman
- **Art of Living, Nepal – June 2018 onwards**
Apex Committee
- **Assocham Nepal, Nepal – May, 2017 onwards**
Chairman
- **Confederation of Nepalese Industries, Nepal – 2016 onwards**
Vice President
- **Himal Hydro General Construction Ltd, Nepal**
Chairman
- **Nabil Bank, Nepal, Jan 2012 onwards**
Director
- **Taj Asia, Hong Kong 2010 onwards**
- **US-Nepal Chamber for Commerce & Industry**
Member
- **Korea-Nepal Chamber for Commerce & Industry**
Member
- **India- Nepal Chamber for Commerce & Industry**
Member

**Seminars & Workshops
Presented**

- New Economy Forum, Nov 2019, China
- Moderator on one of session in CAPS, Nov 2019, China
- GSMA Barcelona, Feb 2019
- CAPS, Dec 2018, Hongkong
- Asian Society, Dec 2018, Hongkong
- Remarks delivered on PHDCCI as chairman of Nepal-India Centre, Sept 2018, India
- MOU signing between CNI and PHDCCI, August, 2018, Kathmandu
- Speaker at Nepal CEO Summit & Award- March, 2018, Kathmandu
- GSMA Mobile World Congress, Feb 2018
- UN CEO Conference, September 2017, New York.
- Keynote: UN Women, September 2017
- Family Planning Summit, July, 2017, London.
- UBS Philanthropy Event, June, 2017, Hong Kong.
- Speaker on Kathmandu College of Management's flagship event, Nepal Management Symposium (NMS) : Buying your way into Entrepreneurship, May 2017, Kathmandu
- Keynote Speaker: A technical seminar about LG VRF System Air Conditioner, March 2017, Kathmandu
- Standard Chartered Bank: Regional Future Global Leaders' Programme, March 2017, New Delhi.
- Panelist Session on Nepal Investment Summit : Information Communication and Technology: Marching towards a Digital Economy, February, 2017 Nepal Asia Pacific Business Forum (APBF), February 2017, Dhaka
- Himalayan Climate Initiative: Finance your dream, Nepal's homegrown social innovation and business incubation hub, February, 2017, Nepal
- Speaker: Journey as an entrepreneur UNDP, Nepal - November, 2016
- Speaker: Forging sustainable pathways through strategic partnership between Micro entrepreneurs and Private Sector
- Yunus Social Business School: The Indian Social Business Forum, November, 2016
- UNESCAP and CNI Event: A Regional Dialogue: The Role of the Private Sector in Post Disaster Recovery in Nepal, November, 2016
- Cross the Border, August, 2016, Pokhara, Nepal Kathmandu College of Management, July, 2016, Nepal
- Alumni Speaker for the Corporate Orientation
- AIDIA Event "Emerging Entrepreneurs Forum" July, 2016, Nepal
- Speaker on Business Basics CNI Nepal Nirman, June 2016, Nepal
- Panel Session: FDI - The money and morals
- Forbes Asia Forum: The Next Tycoons- – *A Generation Emerges*, June 2016, Hong King
- Panelist: Family values - Staying true to the core Forbes 400 Summit on Philanthropy, June 2016, New York
- Interactive Session on Nepal-India Trade
- World Internet Conference, Wuzhen Submit, China, December, 2015 WINA Summit, November 2015, Japan
- Hello Challenge- "Entrepreneurship," February, 2015, Nepal King's College- "Leadership," November, 2014, Nepal
- Dhaka Startup Forum- Keynote "Entrepreneurship," November, 2014, Bangladesh
- Apex MBA Graduation- Key Note, April, 2014 Kathmandu University, Jan, 2013
- Keynote Speaker: "Entrepreneurship and Leadership"
- World Economic Forum, India Summit, 2010, 2011, India Barclays Wealth-Stewardship Program, July, 2011, Thailand Management Association of Nepal, Feb, 2010, Nepal
- Keynote Speaker: "Vision for a Prosperous Nepal"
- Forbes Asia CEO Conference, Oct, 2009, Malaysia
- Invitee: Youngest CEO at the Forbes Conference
- WWF One Planet Leader Conference, April 2009, Nepal
- Keynote Speaker: "Corporate Sustainability in Nepal"
- Cemtech Asia, June 2008, Singapore
- Keynote Speaker: "Prospects and Opportunities in the Cement Industry in Nepal"
- HR Meet Nepal, February 2008, Nepal
- Presentation On: "Becoming an HR Entrepreneur"
- Career Expo, White House Academy, June 2005, Nepal
- Presentation: "Becoming an Entrepreneur" St. Xavier's, Youth Challenge Forum, March 2004, Nepal
- Presentation: "Becoming an Entrepreneur" Youth Initiative, Martin Chautari, September 2003, Nepal
- Presentation On: "Becoming an Entrepreneur" Leadership Training Program, January 2001, Nepal
- Merrill Lynch Investment Program, November 2000, Singa

Social Entrepreneurship

- The Entrepreneurial Board Member of Prestellar Ventures Fund I Pte. Ltd. April, 2017
- "Araaya's Home" in partnership with Childcare Home/Orphanage, March, 2017
- Founder- Union of South Asian Leadership, 2011
- Co-Founder- Himalayan Climate Change, 2011
- Brand Ambassador "Climate for Life- WWF." 2009
- Brand Ambassador "Spirit of Entrepreneurship, Crity Awards." 2006
- Youth of the Year Award- Margadarshan, July 2005
- Recognition Award for Contribution to the Nepalese Community, September 2004
- Samata Niketan Education Trust, Member
- Nepal School AID
- Medical Facilities for the Poor at Medanta Medicity, India
- Mt. Everest Cleaning Campaign
- The Neydo Foundation Pharping
- Sarika Devi Chaudhary Orphanage
- Kathmandu Animal Treatment Centre

Founder- Binod and Sarika Devi Foundation, an NGO for preserving Nepalese Folk Music and Youth Development

Founder- Nepal Super League.

Honorary Member- Lions International- 2014

Honorary Member- Rotary Club International- 2013