

Desmond Claude Arnold

Profile

Birthplace	Eshowe, KwaZulu- Natal
Date of Birth	18 March 1940
Education	Mansfield High School, Durban and University of KwaZulu- Natal
Qualifications	CA(SA), AMP (Wharton)

Career

1958	Articled to Halsey, Button and Perry
1962	Passed final Qualifying Exam for Chartered Accountant
1963	Articles of Clerkship completed, transferred to Harare, Zimbabwe as Senior Audit Clerk with Halsey, Button and Perry
1966	Transferred back to Durban and shortly thereafter joined the Barlow Group
1967/1972	Various financial positions in Barlows Tractor Division
1973	Appointed Financial Manager of Barlows Tractor Division
1977	Appointed Assistant Group Financial Manager of Barlow Rand
1980	Appointed Group Financial Manager of Barlow Rand
1984	Appointed Financial Director of the Building Materials Division of Barlow Rand
1989	Transferred to Rand Mines as Financial Director
1992	Transferred to Barlow Rand Industries as Financial Director
1993	Appointed Director of Barlow Rand and on the boards of all major subsidiaries - Local and International
2003	Retired from Barloworld.

Other Directorships and Responsibilities

1989/1992	Trustee of the Mine Officials and Mineworkers Pension Funds
1994/2003	Pretoria Portland Cement - Chairman of Audit committee from 1998 - 2003
1994/2002	Persetel Holdings, became Comparex and chairman of the Audit Committee
1994/1998	PGM Investments
1995/2003	J Bibby and Sons Plc, London, became Barlow International Plc

1995/2003	Chairman of Barloworld Retirement Fund
1999/2011	Chairman of Barlow Pension Fund
1994/2003	Responsible for Barloworld Medical Aid
2003/2011	Director of Absa, including Chairman of Audit and Compliance Committee, Member of Risk Committee, Member of Directors Affairs' Committee, Member of Board Finance Committee
2006/2011	Trustee of the Absa Pension Fund
2003 to date	Director of the Wits Health Consortium and of the Audit Committee, Chairman of the Remuneration Committee.
2012 to date	Member and subsequently Chairman of the Profmed Remuneration Committee

Public Positions and Appointments

1985/1991	Council Member of SA Institute of Chartered Accountants (SAICA)
1989/1991	Executive Committee member of the Public Accountants and Auditors Board
1986/1987	President of the Transvaal Society of Chartered Accountants
1990/1991	President of the South African Institute of Chartered Accountants
1992/2005	Member of the Accounting Practices Board
1992/1995	Represented SAICA on the Financial and Management Accounting Committee of the International Federation of Accountants
1997/1998	President of the East, Central and Southern African Federation of Accountants
1999	Awarded Honorary Life Membership of the South African Institute of Chartered Accountants

Language English

Married Yes

Clubs Royal Johannesburg Golf Club - Captain (1993) and President (1995) , The Country Club Johannesburg

Recreation Golf and Reading

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