



Louis Vachon
Non-independent (officer)

Age: 56

Beaconsfield, Quebec, Canada

Director since August 2006

Main Areas of Expertise:

- Audit / Finance
- Financial Markets and Services
- International Markets
- Risk Management

Career Profile

Louis Vachon has been President and Chief Executive Officer of the Bank since 2007. He began his career in 1985 with Citibank Canada and in 1986 joined Lévesque Beaubien Geoffrion Inc., now National Bank Financial Inc., where he served as Vice-President until 1990. From 1990 to 1996, he was employed by BT Bank of Canada, the Canadian subsidiary of Bankers Trust, where he served as President and Chief Executive Officer from 1994 to 1996. In 1996, Louis Vachon returned to the Bank, where he held a series of management positions for both the Bank and its subsidiaries until his appointment to President and Chief Executive Officer in 2007. Louis Vachon is a member of the boards of directors of the following Bank subsidiaries: National Bank Group Inc. and National Bank Acquisition Holding Inc. He is also involved with many social and cultural organizations. Louis Vachon has a Bachelor's degree in Economics from Bates College and a Master's degree in International Finance from the Fletcher School (Tufts University). He is also a CFA. He was awarded an honorary doctorate by the University of Ottawa, Bishop's University and Ryerson University. In 2014, he was named CEO of the Year by Canadian Business magazine, and Financial Personality of the Year by the business publication Finance et Investissement in 2012 and 2014. He received the Global Citizens Award from the United Nations Association in Canada, is a Member of the Order of Canada and of the Ordre de Montréal, and was appointed Lieutenant-Colonel (H) of Les Fusiliers Mont-Royal.