

## RONA YIRCALI

Rona YIRCALI was born in Istanbul in 1944. After graduating from American Robert College of Istanbul, he received his Business Administration degree from University of Miami, FL. U.S.A.

Mr Yırcalı is the chairman of the Yırcalı Group of companies specializing in energy (transformers, hydro and wind power), animal feed, textiles, synthetic fibers and bags, tourism, finance, and mining.

He is married and has two children. He speaks English.

### **Present titles:**

Balıkesir Chamber of Industry	Chairman of Assembly Chairman of the Board of Directors	(2009 - ) (1993-2009) (1976-1991)
International Chamber of Commerce (ICC - Paris)	Member of the Executive Board Member of the World Council Member of the Finance Committee	(2002- ) (1996 – 1998) (1990- ) (1999-2001)
World Chambers Federation (WCF)	Chairman Vice Chairman	(2006- ) (2003-2006)
World Turkish Business Council	Member of the Executive Board	(2009 - )
International Chamber of Commerce (ICC – Turkey)	Chairman, Executive Committee Vice Chairman of ICC-Turkey Treasurer of the Executive Board	(1998- ) (1998- ) (1985-1998)
Turkish Education Foundation	Chairman of the Board of Trustees Chairman of the Board of Directors	(2007 - ) (2004 – 2007)
Foreign Economic Relations Board (DEİK)	Chairman of the Executive Committee Member of the Board of Directors	
Economic Development Foundation of Turkey	Member of the Board of Directors	
Turkish Foundation for Prevention of Erosion	Member of the Board of Trustees	
Turkish Industrialists and Businessmen Association	Member of the Advisory Board	
Aegean Industrialists and Businessmen Association	Member of the Advisory Board	
Turkish - U.S. Council Business	Member	
Industry Council of the Union of Chambers of Turkey	Member	
Ülker Group, Turkey	Member of the Advisory Board	

Bağfaş Fertilizer Group	Member of the Board of Directors
Badetaş Maritime Group	Member of the Board of Directors
EGENDA Energy Group	Member of the Board of Directors

**Previous titles:**

The Union of Chambers of Turkey	Chairman of the Board of Directors
Foreign Economic Relations Board (DEİK)	Chairman of the Board of Directors
International Chamber of Commerce (ICC – Paris)	Member of the Finance Committee
ICC - Turkey	Chairman of the Board of Directors
Yapı Kredi Bank	Chairman of the Board of Directors
Henkel (Turkey)	Chairman of the Board of Directors
Coca-Cola Co. (Turkey and Europe)	Member of the Advisory Board
Ülker Group	Member of the Advisory Board