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Ariel Kor was born in Israel and grew up in Singapore. In the last decade of his financial career, Ariel served as acting managing director of Sampoerna Capital, a private Asian investment fund valued at billions of dollars. He continues there today as an advisor and manager.

In recent years, Ariel has moved more fully into the world of psychology, completing a doctorate in clinical psychology at Columbia University with a focus on addiction. He currently serves as an adjunct professor of clinical psychology at Reichman University, and is founder and chair of the Israeli Center for Addictions.

In his past, Ariel served on the boards of directors of The Coffee Bean & Tea Leaf, Harel Insurance Company, and Singapore's Hour Glass. He received both his bachelor's and master's degrees from Oxford University. Ariel is a member of the advisory committee of the Maytiv Center, of Maor — Education and Leadership, of Matan, of the American Joint Distribution Committee, and of the Haredi Institute for Public Affairs. He holds an honorary doctorate from Bar-Ilan University and is an honorary fellow of Reichman University.