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Benoit Kandel

EXPERIENCE

Born on 15 October 1960 in Trier (Germany), Benoît Kandel graduated from École Spéciale Militaire of Saint Cyr and holds a Master's degree in Human Sciences (1985).

Officer of the National Gendarmerie, from 1985 to 1999, he held various commands in law enforcement and territorial gendarmerie units in France and overseas, as well as staff and teaching positions at the school of officers of the national gendarmerie.

Graduate of the 7th class of the War School (Collège Interarmées de Défense), in 2000 he was appointed deputy to the head of the personal office in charge of the officers of the national gendarmerie then commander of the gendarmerie of the Alpes Maritimes.

Technical advisor to the Minister of Overseas from 2007 to 2008, he is specifically in charge of justice, defense, state action at sea and protection of populations.

Elected city councilor in 2008 then General Councilor in 2009, he is 1st Deputy Mayor of Nice from 2008 to 2013, delegate for security, civil security, parking, traffic and urban risk prevention.

Particularly involved in the issues related to the construction of the "smart city" and its new uses, but also in the areas of general security, video-protection and associated intelligent systems, prevention and risk management, flow management (traffic, transport and parking), as well as project management and organizational analysis.

With his experience as a Senior Officer of the National Gendarmerie (Colonel ER) and his career as a local elected representative in a large community (5th city of France), he became a consultant in risk management and prevention and created, in 2015, the company Galatyn Conseils. Its clients are large international companies as well as smaller, public and private structures. He is knight of the Legion of Honor and the National Order of Merit.