



Bio for Deputy Consul General Mr. Elad Strohmayer

Mr. Elad Strohmayer became Deputy Consul General to the Consulate General of Israel in Philadelphia in August, 2012. The Consulate General of Israel in Philadelphia serves the Mid-Atlantic Region which includes: Pennsylvania, Delaware, Southern New Jersey, Ohio, West Virginia and Kentucky.

Mr. Strohmayer brings to his tour experience as both a diplomat and a Jewish community professional. He joined the Israeli Ministry of Foreign Affairs Diplomatic Training Program in February 2010. Upon completing the diplomatic training, he assumed his first post as the Deputy Chief of Mission in the Embassy of Israel in Luanda, Angola from November, 2010 through July, 2012.

In 2006, Deputy Consul General Strohmayer graduated from Hebrew University of Jerusalem with a degree in Political Science and International Relations. He is currently completing his Master's Degree in International Relations. During his studies at Hebrew University, he participated in an ICRC (International Committee of the Red Cross) program regarding International Humanitarian Law (IHL) in Israel.

Subsequently, he represented Israel and the Hebrew University of Jerusalem in an International IHL Competition in Switzerland organized by the ICRC. His academic credits include teaching assistantships at the Hebrew University of Jerusalem and the Interdisciplinary Center in Hertzeliya.

Mr. Strohmayer is a native of Bat-Yam, Israel, a suburb of Tel Aviv. He is fluent in Hebrew and English with a working knowledge of Portuguese and French.

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