

JAN VAPAAVUORI

Personal Details

- Born April 3, 1965 in Helsinki
- Bilingual (Finnish, Swedish)
- Married to Mrs. Outi Vapaavuori, Professor of small animal surgery
- Military Service in Coastal Jaeger Academy 1984–1985, Military rank Captain (2008)

Education

- Master of Laws 1989 (University of Helsinki)
- Finnish Matriculation Examination 1984 (Pohjois-Helsinki Secondary School)

Honorary titles

- Honorary Doctor of Economics, Hanken School of Economics, 2019

Working Experience

- Mayor of Helsinki, 2017-
- Vice President, European Investment Bank 2015-2017
- Minister of Economic Affairs 2012–2015
- National Coalition Parliamentary Group, chairman 2011–2012
- Minister of Housing and Minister for Nordic Cooperation 2007–2011
- Member of Parliament 2003–2015
 - National Coalition Parliamentary Group, chairman 2011–2012
 - Foreign Affairs Committee, deputy member 2011-2012
 - National Coalition Parliamentary Group, vice-chairman 2006-2007
 - Constitutional Law Committee, member 2005–2007, chairman 2007
 - Grand Committee, member 2003–2007, 2011–2012
 - Legal Affairs Committee, member 2003–2005
 - Commerce Committee, deputy member 2003–2007
 - Finnish Delegation to the Nordic Council, member 2003–2006, deputy member 2006–2007, 2011–2012
- Track&Field Finland Ltd., Managing Director 2001–2003
- Special Advisor to Kimmo Sasi, Minister of Foreign Trade 1999–2001
- National Coalition Party's International Affairs Secretary 1995–1999
- Special Advisor to Sauli Niinistö, Minister of Justice 1995

- Special Advisor to Pertti Salolainen, Minister of Foreign Trade 1993–1995
- National Coalition Party Parliament Group's Information Secretary 1992–1993
- Researcher, Institute of International Commercial Law 1991–1992
- Assistant of Comparative Law, University of Helsinki 1990–1991

Other Elected Posts

- The Finnish Olympic Committee, The President of the Board 2020-
- World Economic Forum, Global Future Council Member 2019-
- The Finnish Fair Corporation, Chair of the Supervisory Board 2018-
- Outi and Jan Vapaavuori Foundation, Chair of the Board of Directors 2018-
- Board of the Finnish Fair Foundation 2017-
- Helsinki Metropolitan Smart & Clean Foundation, Chair of the Supervisory Board 2017-
- P. E. Svinhufvud Memorial Foundation, Member of the Supervisory Board 2017-
- Finnish National Opera and Ballet, Vice Chair of the Supervisory Board 2016-
- Assembly of the Helsinki Region, Chairman 2005–2007, 2017-
- Helsinki City Board, Chairman 2005-2007, 2017-
- Helsinki City Board, Member 2001–2005, 2017-
- Helsinki City Council, Member 1997–2015, 2017-

Former Elected Posts

- Helsinki City Council, Vice-chairman 2012
- Nordea Bank delegation, Member 2012
- Supervisory Council of the Bank of Finland, Member 2011–2012
- Administrative council of the Finnish Innovation Fund Sitra, Member 2011–2012
- National Sports Council, Chairman 2011–2012
- Board of Mankala Ltd, Chairman 2011–2012
- Board of Ellun Kanat Ltd, Member 2009–2012
- Finnish Rinkball Union board of directors, Member 2006–2007
- Helsinki Metropolitan Area Advisory Board, Chairman 2005–2007
- The Association of Finnish Local and Regional Authorities board of directors, Deputy Member 2005–2007
- National Defence Information Planning Committee, Member 2003–2006
- National Coalition Party group of councillors of Helsinki, Chairman 2003–2005
- National Coalition Party District of Helsinki, Vice-Chairman 2003–2005
- Suomen Turistiauto Ltd. board of directors, Chairman 2001–2003
- Helsingin Tennisstadion Oy board of directors, Member 1997–2007
- Foreign Ministry foreign affairs' recruitment committee, Member 1997–2001
- Helsinki Sports Committee Chairman 1997–2000, Vice-chairman 1995–1997
- Helsinki Health Committee, Member 1993–1995
- Vapo Ltd. administrative council, Member 1992–2001
- National Union of Students in Finland Congress, Chairman 1990–1995

- Student Union of the University of Helsinki Representative Council, Member 1987–1991
- Pykälä Law Students' Association, Chairman 1988

Hobbies

- Sports, specifically tennis, gym and golf, also yard- and gardening works