

**Mahendra Vakharia**

Managing Director

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*A Fun loving, adventurous, outdoors person, he has Walked this planet earth for 55 years. He enjoys Travelling, Reading, Listening to TEDX talks and making friends.*

*Having completed his Graduation in Company Secretaryship from Anna University, and combined with a Diploma in Hospitality Management from the prestigious IHMCTAN-Mumbai, he uses this to its full advantage to create and curate very interesting and luxury holiday experiences for his clients.*

*He also holds the Post of President of OTOAI (Outbound Tour Operators Association of India) a Not for Profit Association which has members from Pan India.*

*He is a Self Made entrepreneur and started his company 20 years ago. He has Vast experience of more than 30 years in the Hotel and Travel Industry having worked in a leading 5\* hotel in Mumbai and later worked with Shree Raj Travels & Tours Ltd, the leading Tour Operator of India in the 80's and 90's. He possesses immense first hand knowledge gathered from miles and miles of roads travelled in different countries. This helps him in guiding the clients to enable and experience the destination differently.*

*In his company he curates some wonderful travel experiences for his clients who are based worldwide combining his vast experience of travel and having worked in the Hotel Industry as well.*

*Successfully scaled and summited Mt. Kilimanjaro Peak – the highest mountain of Africa at a height of 19341 feet on 28 Feb, 2017, which is definitely one of the greatest High of Life...*

*Born to a very warm and loving set of parents and now enjoying life with my gorgeous wife and handsome son.*

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