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Ashok Mago, Padma Shri & Pravasi Bhartiya Samman Awardee, is Chairman & CEO of Mago and Associates-a Dallas based business and investment consulting company. He holds MBA from University of Texas at Dallas.

Mago has been a part of the Dallas community through his contributions and work through a number of different business, civic and community based organizations. He currently serves on a number of community boards including the Salvation Army Advisory Board of Dallas County, Dallas County Community College District Foundation Board, Dallas Indian Lions Club and the Primary Care Clinic Board. He also serves as an advisory board member of BBVA Compass bank in Dallas. Finally, in 2015 Governor Greg Abbott appointed A.K. to the University of North Texas System Board of Regents for a six-year term. He is distinguished Alumnus of University of Texas at Dallas.

Mago has contributed immensely to the improvement of India-US business relations. He is the founder chairman of Greater Dallas Indo-American Chamber of Commerce (Now known as US-INDIA Chamber of Commerce which he helped establish in 1999 and served as the Chairman till 2003. The Chamber has actively promoted trade and investment between India and the USA.

Magoha's also tirelessly advocated for deeper US-India ties. He played a crucial role in creation of a powerful lobby of Senators for the Republic of India, called Friends of India Caucus in the US Senate established by Senator John Cornyn of Texas and Senator Hillary Clinton. Mago's contribution in the creation of Senate India Caucus is generally known. "It is with his help that I co-founded the Senate India Caucus with then Senator Hillary Clinton" says Senator John Cornyn about Ashok Mago. No other country has an individual caucus in the US Senate.

Currently the Caucus has 40 members with Senators Mark Warner and John Cornyn as its co-chairs.

Mago's unyielding efforts were crucial to garnering support in the United States congress for the successful conclusion of India-US civil nuclear initiative, both during the passage of the Henry Hyde Act and approving the US-India agreement. Prime Minister Man Mohan Singh acknowledged his contributions in letter addressed to him in November 2008.

In addition to these notable achievements, Mago has served as a tireless community volunteer and has been recognized for the great work he has done.

Mr Mago has held many leadership positions in the Dallas community, including Chairman, Greater Dallas Asian American Chamber(Now Chairman Emeritus), Director, Dallas Fort Worth International Airport Board, District Governor, District 2X1, Lions International, Commissioner,City of Dallas Plan and Zoning Commission, Member, Executive Board, Dallas Visitors and Convention Bureau, Member, Executive Board and Board, Dallas Regional Chamber, Chairman, Greater Dallas Community Relations Commission, Member, Dallas County Work Source Development Board, Director,First Independent National Bank, Plano, Texas, Co-Chair, Dallas Together Forum, Member Southern Methodist University Asian Studies Advisory Board, Chairman, Dallas Urban League Board, Chairman, Board of Trustees of DFW, Hindu Temple Society, Chairman, Asian Charity Ball, President, Asian Charity Ball Inc, Member, Dallas Citizens Council, Board Member, Leadership Dallas Alumni Association, Trustee, Dallas Museums of Arts, Board Member, Dallas Symphony, Board Member, North Texas Commission Board, Board Member, Dallas Mayor's Asian Advisory Board, Board Member, Dallas County Park and Open Space Board, Board Member, United Way of Metropolitan Dallas Board, Board Member, Dallas Community College District Chancellor's Advisory Board.

Mr Mago has been awarded many prestigious awards, including Padma Shri for Trade and Industry by the Government of India (2014), Pravasi Bharatiya Samman for Community Service by the Government of India (2010), Distinguished Alumni Award from University of Texas at Dallas in 2016, Global Excellence Award (2011), Minority Business Leader Award from the Dallas Business Journal (2013), President's Award for Outstanding Service from the Lions Club International (2007), Bridging the Gap Award from M Company Hall of Fame (1999), Distinguished Leadership Award from Lions Club International (1996), Presidential Leadership Award from Lions Club International (1995), Helen Keller Award from Lions Sight and Tissue Foundation(1995), Distinguished Alumni from Leadership Dallas Alumni Association (1994).