

ANN KAYMAN, ESQ. - CEO & FOUNDER

Ann Kayman is founder, and CEO of the New York Grant Company, an award-winning expert team specialized in navigating economic incentives for businesses and organizations throughout New York, the TriState area, and nationally. Established in 2002, the team works to obtain grants, tax benefits, energy discounts, and other incentives designed to help stimulate job growth, investment, and economic development.

Ann served for four years (1998-2002) as head of Business Development and Senior VP of the New York City Economic Development Corporation. Ann worked to attract record numbers of new businesses from around the world. After 9/11, Ann helped with the recovery of 20,000 businesses in lower Manhattan. Her award-winning work as an entrepreneur has been featured in the New York Times, the Wall Street Journal, Crain's New York Business, and trade publications.

Ann has been a lawyer in New York since 1985. She earned her B.A. magna cum laude from Barnard College and her J.D. cum laude from Case Western Reserve.

From 2008 through 2016, Ann served on the Board of Directors of the Manhattan Chamber of Commerce, and was founding Chair of the Chamber's Green Finance Subcommittee. Ann also serves on the Real Estate Board of New York's Downtown Committee and has been a member of various working groups of the City for economic development (e.g., Seaport Working Group, Brookdale Working Group). She and her team are also longtime active participants and supporters of many local chambers, economic development organizations, and business organizations, as well as activists in support of M/WBE's and entrepreneurs. They are also the #1 team for winning grant awards for private clients from the State of New York over the past seven years.

Ann is a member and sponsor of numerous community based and business organization, and she has served pro bono on numerous boards and committees.



EDUCATION B.A. magna cum laude Barnard College of Columbia University - 1982

J.D. cum laude Case Western Reserve University School of Law -1985

AWARDS

2017 Above & Beyond Award for Advocacy -City & State Media

2016 Long Island Power Women in Business -The Long Island Press

2016 CEO of the Year - Corporate America

2014 Above and Beyond Award for Public Service Leadership - City & State

2012 International Women's Enterprise Challenge Award - IWEC

2010 Small Business of the Year -Manhattan Chamber of Commerce

2009 Enterprising Woman of the Year Enterprising Woman Magazine