

Brief Biography

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Barry A. Freeman is President, Audiology Consultants, Ft. Lauderdale, FL. Currently, he is a Consulting Audiologist with the Starkey Hearing Foundation to develop sustainable educational initiative in developing countries and with Nova Southeastern University to initiate new educational programs. Most recently, he was Senior Director of Audiology and Education for Starkey, Inc. Prior to joining Starkey, he was Chair and Professor in the Audiology Department in the Health Professions Division at Nova Southeastern University, Ft. Lauderdale, Florida.

Dr. Freeman earned his Bachelor's degree in business and economics from Boston University, a Master's in audiology, and his Ph.D. in Auditory Science from Michigan State University. Dr. Freeman has taught audiology on the faculties of Syracuse University, Vanderbilt University, and Nova Southeastern and maintains Adjunct Professorships at Gallaudet University and Nova Southeastern. Prior to joining NSU, Dr. Freeman was in private practice for twenty years at the Center for Audiology in Clarksville, Tennessee.

Dr. Freeman was president of the American Academy of Audiology in 1996-97 and served on the Academy's Board of Directors for six years. He continues to serve on professional committees including the Advisory Board of the Accreditation Commission for Audiology Education. He received the Distinguished Achievement Award from the American Academy in 2006.