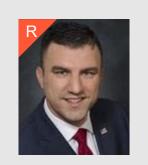


# Rudy Yakym (IN-2)



## **Biography**

BIRTH DATE

Unknown

#### EDUCATION

MBA, Univ. of Notre Dame, 2019 BS, Finance and Business Administration, Indiana Univ. South Bend, 2011 Associates Degree, Business, Indiana Univ. South Bend, 2009

#### FAMILY

Married; 3 children

### Background

Entrepreneur and first-time candidate who replaced the late Rep. Walorski (R-IN), Yakym III is a well-known Indiana political activist and state GOP fundraiser

Worked for his family's company Cyberlink International, an internet service provider, out of high school

A long-time contributor to the South Bend Tribune's Voice of the People letter page, Yakym III often advocated for the GOP with submissions ranging from notes on local corruption investigations in 2006 to an endorsement of Brett Kavanaugh's Supreme Court nomination in 2018

Backed right-to-work laws in Indiana in 2012, joining a coalition of business leaders to promote the view that union power hinders economic growth; served as finance director for Rep. Jackie Walorski's (R-IN) 2012 campaign, which was the first time she was elected to Congress

In 2015, Yakym III was appointed to the Judicial Nominating Commission in Indiana by then-Gov. Mike Pence (R-IN)

Served on Gov. Eric Holcomb's (R-IN) transition team in 2017 and was appointed by Holcomb to the Indiana Finance Authority in 2020

# **District Profile**

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R+14

North-central Indiana

#### **Election Results**

2022 GENERAL	
Yakym	65%
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