

Patrick Vercauteren Drubbel

Ambassador of H.M. the King of Belgium in France and Monaco



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DATE OF BIRTH : 16th June 1952
SPOUSE : Alessandra Gerard
EDUCATION : Master in Law
Master in Notarial Studies

JOB DESCRIPTION:

Diplomat for the Ministry for Foreign Affairs of the Kingdom of Belgium (1981)
Ambassador of H.M. the King of Belgium in France and Monaco (1.2.2011)

DIPLOMATIC CAREER:

1977 – 1980: Private company
1980 – 1981: Solicitor
15.9.1981 : Competitive examination for entry to the diplomatic service (first prize)
1981 – 1983 : Trainee Diplomat
1983 – 1985: Colombia: Embassy of Belgium: First Secretary
1985 – 1988: Brussels: Director of the Office of the State Secretary for Foreign Trade
1988 – 1991: Spain: Embassy of Belgium: Counsellor for Economic and Commercial Affairs
1991 – 1995: Brussels: NATO: Belgian Representation: Political Adviser
1992 : Croatia – Bosnia-Herzegovina : EU Mission
1995 – 1998: Netherlands: Embassy of Belgium: Minister-Counsellor
1998 – 1999 : Italia: Consul General in Milan
1999 – 2000: Brussels: Head of the Office of the Minister for Foreign Affairs
2000 – 2002: Luxembourg: Ambassador of Belgium in Luxembourg
2002 – 2005: Brussels: Ambassador, Head of the Protocol, Ministry for Foreign Affairs
2005 – 2009: Morocco: Ambassador of Belgium in Morocco, Mauritania and Cape Verde
2007 : Awarded First-class Ambassador
2009 – 2011: Brussels: Ambassador, Director-General, Ministry for Foreign Affairs
2011 - : France: Ambassador of Belgium in France and Monaco
I.O.F.: Representative for Belgium at the International Organisation of la Francophonie
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