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Ambassador, Head Middle East and North Africa Division
Swiss Foreign Ministry



Professional career

- From 1.3.12 Ambassador, Head Middle East and North Africa Division,
Swiss Foreign Ministry, **Berne**
- 2008-2012 Swiss Ambassador to the United Arab Emirates, **Abu Dhabi**
- 2003-2007 Swiss Federal Department of **Foreign Affairs, Berne**
Head of Human Rights Policy Section and
Head of the Task Force "Human Rights Council"
- 1999-2002 Swiss Embassy in **London**: Cultural Counsellor
Head of the Cultural Section; Cultural Programme 2000:
Creative Switzerland 2000: Dialogue Between Cultures
- 1996-1998 Swiss Embassy in **Sarajevo**: Counsellor
OSCE Swiss Presidential Year/Reconstruction/
Cultural bridges/Cultural programme and projects
- 1993-1995 Swiss Federal Department of **Foreign Affairs, Berne**
Private Secretary to Flavio Cotti, Minister of Foreign Affairs
- 1992-1993 Swiss Federal Department of **Home Affairs, Berne**
Private Secretary to Flavio Cotti, Minister of Home Affairs (Social Security, Health, Culture,
Education, Sport, Environment)
Acting press spokesman for the Department (10/92 – 2/93)
- 1987-1991 **General Secretariat** of the Christian Democratic Party of Switzerland,
Berne: Head of Studies and Planning
Liaison with Christian Democratic parties in Eastern and Central Europe