

CURRICULUM VITAE

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Education: degree in international law; Ljubljana University 1992

Career:

July 2008- Director of the OSCE Office for Democratic Institutions and Human Rights (ODIHR)

2006 - 2008 State Secretary for European Affairs, Ljubljana

2003-2006 Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the Republic of Slovenia to the OSCE, Vienna;

Chairman of the Permanent Council, 2005

2002-2003 State Secretary in the Office of the Prime Minister of Slovenia

2001 Diplomatic Adviser to the Prime Minister of Slovenia

2000 Adviser to the Minister for Foreign Affairs of Slovenia, MFA

1996-1999 First Secretary, Permanent Mission of Slovenia to the United Nations, New York

1994-1996 Third Secretary, Permanent Mission of Slovenia to the United Nations, New York

1993-1994 Department for Multilateral Relations, MFA, Ljubljana

1992 Entered the diplomatic service, MFA, Ljubljana

Professional experience (highlights):

- Representative of the Presidency of the Council of the EU in the European Parliament (2008)
- Head of the Working Group for the preparation of the Slovenian EU Presidency (2006-2007);
- Representative of the Prime Minister for the reform of the EU Treaties (2007);

- Chairman of the Permanent Council of the OSCE (2005);
- Alternate Member of the Convention on the Future of the European Union, Brussels (2002-2003);
- Alternate Representative of Slovenia in the UN Security Council (1998-1999);
- Member of the Delegation of the Republic of Slovenia to the UN General Assembly (1994-1999).

Distinctions: Officier de l'Ordre de la Légion d'Honneur

Foreign languages: English, French