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Nationality:	British
Academic	> 1984 - 1987: BA Degree – Mathematics
qualifications:	Trinity Hall, Cambridge University, UK
Professional	Since 1 <sup>st</sup> October 2021: Deputy Director-General in charge of Coordination of Resource-efficiency policies and instruments in DG Environment (ENV)
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Institutions:	O4/2016 - 09/2021: Deputy Director-General - Directorate-General Research and Innovation (DG RTD)
	O1/2011 – 04/2016: Managing Director for Administration and Finance and Chief Operating Officer ad-interim since November 2014 – European External Action Service (EEAS). Main responsibilities among others: strategic management of human resources, finances and security for the External Action Service. Direct responsibility of a staff of 350 in 3 directorates and 13 divisions (units) and oversight of the management of the network of 140 EU delegations employing a total of 5,500 EEAS and Commission staff Establishing and consolidating the EEAS as an administratively and financially autonomous service; fostering and promoting the corporate culture of the new organisation while maintaining strong co-operation with Member States, the Commission and other EU institutions. Extensive travel to all regions in the world to support the work of the delegations
	O1/2010 - 12/2011 - Director of the External Service - DG External Relations (former RELEX). Main responsibilities among others: Management of the personnel policy, budget and corporate support services for the network of the Commission's delegations in third countries. During the preparatory phase for the launch of the EEAS, at the centre of negotiations with Member States and the other EU institutions on the EEAS decision and other key texts (staff regulations, financial regulation, security rules, service level agreements).
	> 11/2004 - 01/2010: Head of Cabinet for Ms Benita Ferrero-Waldner, Commissioner for External Relations and European Neighbourhood policy. Particular responsibility for negotiations between cabinets on the content of the European Neighbourhood Policy action plans with partner countries. Also support for the Commissioner in key areas of CFSP, including relations with strategic partners in Asia, the Middle East Peace Process, relations with Russia and the transition to the new Obama Administration in the US.
	<ul> <li>09/1999 – 11/2004: Cabinet for Chris Patten, Commissioner for External Relations.</li> <li>08/2003 – 11/2004: Head of Cabinet. Reporting directly to the Commissioner, providing policy advice and support on his external relations portfolio and collegiate responsibilities for non-portfolio issues. Supervised preparation of the Commissioner's participation in meetings in the Council, European Parliament as well as Summits and other high-level meetings with third countries.</li> <li>D9/1999 – 07/2003: Member of Cabinet with specific responsibility for reform of management of EU external assistance. Providing policy advice on relations with Russia and the former Soviet Union in areas of Commission competence and their interaction with CFSP. Policy advice to the Commissioner on economic affairs (including EMU and taxation) and the EU budget.</li> </ul>
	O1/1995 – 09/1999: Press Spokesman. Main responsibilities among others: Press relations on Economic and Monetary matters including the single currency and relations with International Financial Institutions and spokesman for Yves-Thibault de Silguy, Commissioner responsible for these areas during the preparation for the launch of EMU. Participation in the Commission's daily on-the-record briefing for the 800 EU accredited journalists. Organising press contacts for the Commissioner, including at meetings of Ecofin and the European Council.
	> 04/1994 - 01/1995: Administrator - Monetary Affairs Directorate. Policy work in the unit dealing with legal and institutional preparations for economic and monetary union.
Professional	> 09/1988 - 02/1994: Administrator - HM Treasury, UK. Range of policy posts in UK Finance
experience before	Ministry including experience as private secretary for a Minister (managing his office), team-leader for co-ordination of briefing for Ecofin Council meetings, work on EU financial services legislation
joining the European	and public spending on agriculture.
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montations.	> 09/1987 - 09/1988: Operational Research - Inland Revenue, UK. Application of statistical and
Language Skills:	computer-based mathematical modelling techniques to large-scale management systems.  > English (mother tongue)
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