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Educated: B.A. (Hons) – Modern History & French
University College Dublin, 1977

Marital Status: Married to Rosemary with two sons, David (27) and Robert (22)

1977 - 1978: Executive Officer, Department of Defence (Army HQ), Dublin

1978 - 1979: Third Secretary, Department of Foreign Affairs, Dublin

1979 - 1982: Third Secretary, Embassy of Ireland, Beijing

1982 - 1983: Third Secretary, Economic Division,
Department of Foreign Affairs, Dublin

1983 - 1992: Senior Official
in the Cabinet of the UN Secretary General, New York
dealing with conflict and dispute situations

1991 - 1992: Special Assistant to Cyrus R. Vance,
Personal Representative of the UN Secretary General
for former Yugoslavia

1992 - 1996: Senior Political Advisor, United Nations Operation in Cyprus

1996 - 1998: Director of the United Nations Office in Tokyo

1998 - 2000: Deputy Co-ordinator of Ireland's campaign for election
to the United Nations Security Council,
at the Department of Foreign Affairs, Dublin

2001 - 2002: Political Co-ordinator in the delegation of Ireland
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2003 - 2004: Deputy Political Director, Department of Foreign Affairs, Dublin

2004 - 2006: Ambassador, Representative to the Political & Security Committee of the
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2006 - 2007: Ambassador, Permanent Representative of Ireland to the
United Nations and the World Trade Organisation, Geneva

2007 - 2009: Ambassador, Permanent Representative of Ireland to the
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