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### Curriculum Vitae

Current functions: Minister of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Latvia

Previous functions

at national or local level:

- November 7, 2002 - present - Minister of Foreign Affairs
- 2000 - 2002 Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary and Permanent Representative of the Republic of Latvia to UNESCO
- 1997 - 2002 Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the Republic of Latvia to France
- 1993 - 1997 Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the Republic of Latvia to the United Nations in Geneva
- 1990 - 1993 Ministry of Foreign Affairs: Chief of Protocol, Deputy Foreign Minister
- 1988 - 1990 Latvian Popular Front (LPF): General Secretary of the LPF Coordinating Council, Deputy Chairman
- 1987 - 1988 Latvian Artists' Union: General Secretary

[at European level:]

Education:

- 1996 - Master's Degree in Art History, Latvian Academy of Art
- 1995 - Graduate Institute of International Affairs, University of Geneva
- 1992 - Institute for International Studies, Leeds University
- 1981 - Department of Art History and Art Theory, Latvian Academy of Art

Publications:

- "Ar balles korpēm Sibīrijas sniegos" (With dancing shoes in Siberian snows), Riga, Atena 2001
- "Es laužu, tu lauži, mēs laužām. Viņi lūza" (I broke, you broke, we broke. They fell apart) Riga, Jumava 2000
- "Latvju tekstilmāksla" (Latvian Textiles) Riga, Liesma 1989