



## Ambassador Dr Hans-Dieter Lucas

Permanent Representative of the Federal Republic  
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Born on 11 October 1959. Married, one son.

1978-1984	Studies in History, Political Science, Law and Catholic Theology in Bonn and Paris
1985-1987	Trainee at the German Federal Foreign Office
1987-1989	Political Directorate-General at the Federal Foreign Office
1989-1991	German Embassy, Moscow
1991-1995	Political Directorate-General: Baltic States
1995-1998	Head of the Personal Office of Foreign Minister Genscher
1998-1999	Chief speechwriter of Foreign Minister Kinkel
1999-2003	Head of Press and Public Affairs, German Embassy, Washington D.C.
2003-2006	Head of Division at the Federal Chancellery for Bilateral Relations with the States of Central, Eastern and South-Eastern Europe as well as Central Asia and the Southern Caucasus
2006-2010	Director at the Federal Foreign Office for Eastern Europe, the Caucasus and Central Asia (Ambassador)
2010-2011	Representative of the Federal Republic of Germany to the Political and Security Committee of the European Union, Brussels (Ambassador)
2011 – 2015	Political Director of the Federal Foreign Office
since July 2015	Permanent Representative of the Federal Republic of Germany on the North Atlantic Council, Brussels

Numerous publications on foreign and security policy

Decorations:

- Officer's Cross of the Order of Merit of the Federal Republic of Germany (2015)
- Knight of the Legion of Honour of the French Republic (2016)