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### Fifth Committee

Agenda item 117 (b)

#### **Appointments to fill vacancies in subsidiary organs and other appointments: appointment of members of the Committee on Contributions**

## **Appointment of members of the Committee on Contributions**

### **Note by the Secretary-General**

1. As indicated in document [A/76/102](#), the General Assembly is required, at its current session, to appoint six persons to fill the vacancies that will arise in the membership of the Committee on Contributions, for a three-year term of office beginning on 1 January 2022.
2. The following persons have been nominated by their respective Governments for appointment or reappointment:
  - Syed Yawar Ali (Pakistan)
  - Phologo Kaone Bogatsu (Botswana)
  - Jasminka Dinić (Croatia)
  - Ihor Humennyi (Ukraine)
  - Kitano Mitsuru (Japan)
  - Thomas Anthony Repasch (United States of America)
3. The candidates' curricula vitae are set out in the annex to the present note.



## Annex

### Curricula vitae\*

#### Syed Yawar Ali (Pakistan)

- Date of Birth:** October 08, 1944
- Educational Background:** 1. Senior Cambridge (1961) and Higher Senior Cambridge (1963) From Aitchison College, Lahore.
- College Honours
- College Prefect - 1963
  - Rival Gold Medal - Best Student
  - Gen. Umar Hayat Gold Medal - Best Sportsman
2. Bachelor of Chemical Engineering, 1969 from Stevens' Institute of Technology, Hoboken, New Jersey.
3. Master of Management Science, 1972 (similar to MBA) from Stevens' Institute of Technology, Hoboken, New Jersey.
- Academic Honours:** Deans List, Spring, 1969.
- Courses Attended:**
1. Financial Management Course  
March 4-9, 1989  
(Lahore university Of Management Sciences)
  2. Advanced Management Program  
September 7 - November 20, 1992  
(Harvard Business School, Boston, USA)
  3. The Budget, and Tax and Expenditure Policies: Implication for Business Organizations in Pakistan  
(April 17-18, 1993)  
(Lahore University of Management Sciences)
  4. Negotiation and Competitive Bidding  
Jan 14 -17, 1995  
(Lahore University of Management Sciences)
  5. Corporate Governance Leadership Skills Program  
(Pakistan Institute of Corporate Governance)
- Conferences/Seminars/  
Workshops Attended**
1. International Dairy Congress  
September 15-19, 1986 (Hague)  
Represented Pakistan
  2. International Seminar on Dairying as Instrument for Progress: the Indian experience January 16-21, 1989  
(NDDN, Anand)

\* Curricula vitae are issued without formal editing.

3. International Dairy Congress  
October 08-12, 1990  
(Montreal)- Represented Pakistan
4. Pakistan Investors conference  
November, 1990 (Islamabad)
5. Pakistan Investment forum  
October 1, 1992 (Los Angeles)  
- I was one of the speakers representing Pakistan on  
this Forum
6. Member of Pakistan Delegation to the United  
Nations, October 1997
7. Member of Pakistan Delegation to the United  
Nations, October 1999
8. Speaker at SAARC Business Leaders Conclave,  
Mumbai, 12 – 18 February 2007
9. Emerging Investment Opportunities in the South  
Asian Power Sector, Delhi, 20 – 21 March 2007

**Working Experience:**

1. Chase Manhattan Bank, 1 New York Plaza, New  
York.  
June, 1969 - September 1971  
Designation: System Analyst
2. Packages Limited, Shahrah-i-Roomi, Lahore.  
September, 1972 - December 1979  
Designation: Commercial Manager
3. Century Packages, Ndola Zambia.  
January, 1980 - April, 1981  
Designation General Manager
4. Milkpak Limited.  
May, 1981 - February, 1986  
Designation: General Manager
5. Milkpak Limited  
March 1986 - August, 1992  
Designation: Managing Director
6. Nestle Pakistan Limited.  
September, 1992 - Present  
Designation: Chairman
7. Wazir Ali Industries Limited 1992 – Present  
Designation: Chairman

**Other Positions Held:**

- Chairman, Pakistan Dairy Association  
1986 – 1988, 1999, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2008 &  
2010-11, 2017-18.
- Convener, Agro-based Committee, Lahore Chamber  
of Commerce and Industry.  
1986 -1988 & 1992 - 1993

- Convener, Standing Committee on Foreign Investment & Privatization, Lahore Chamber of commerce and Industry.  
1992 – 1993
- Member, Agro-based committee of PARC  
1986 - 2002
- Member, National Commission on Agriculture, Committee on Livestock and Fodder Crops.
- Member, Prime Minister’s Committee on Self Reliance Nov’ 90 - Feb’ 91.  
(Committee Disbanded after completion of report).
- Served as Member Board of Directors on Pakistan International Airlines Corporation from May 1991 - March 1993, May 1998 – 2000 and 2014 - 2017
- Served as Member Board of Directors on State Bank of Pakistan from April 1993 - October 1996
- Chairman Pakistan Livestock & Dairy Development Board
- President Executive Alumni Association of Lahore University of Management Sciences
- Member Board of Director Technical Education and Vocational Training Authority (TEVTA) from 21st June 1999 to 24th October 2004 & 31st March 2008 till present time
- Chairman, Pakistan Vanaspati Manufacturers Association (2006)
- Member, Committee for Revival of Sick Industrial Units 1999 – 2007
- Director – ZTBL from 2001 to 2008
- Member, Task Force on Private Sector Development ( 2008 – 2010)
- Director, Punjab Livestock & Dairy Development Board (From Nov 2010)
- Chairman, Lahore Electric Supply Company Ltd. (2005 – 2010 )
- Chairman, Fatima Jinnah Medical College & Sir Ganga Ram Hospital
- Chairman, Punjab Livestock & Dairy Development Board
- Director, National Fertilizer Corporation of Pakistan Pvt. Ltd.
- Director, Safe mix Concrete Products Ltd.

- Director, Punjab Power Development Company Ltd.
- Director, Pakistan International Airlines (2014 – 2017)
- Chairman, Zarai Taraqati Bank Ltd (2014 – 2017)

**Directorships/Chairman:**

1. Chairman, Pakistan Business Council
2. Chairman, Nestle Pakistan Limited
3. Chairman, Wazir Ali Industries Limited
4. Chairman, Amjad & Afzal Foundation(NGO)
5. Director, Pakistan Dairy Association
6. Director, IGI Holdings Limited
7. Director, IGI Life Insurance Limited
8. Director, IGI Investment (pvt) Limited
9. Director, Prime Genetics (pvt) Limited
10. Director, Dairy & Rural Development Foundation (NGO)
11. Director, Punjab Tianjin University of Technology
12. Co-Chairman, Pakistan India Joint Business Forum (2012 – Present)
13. Member, Pak Afghan Joint Business Council
14. Member, PM's Task Force on Science & Technology
15. Honorary Council, Canadian Consulate Lahore

## **Phologo Kaone Bogatsu (Botswana)**

### **Professional Profile**

As the world becomes one place (Global Village), due to increasingly intertwined economies and global markets, it is essential to have a thorough understanding of business operations and finance in order to drive strategic objectives of one's organisation. That is my goal-to pursue a fulfilling career in Finance.

### **Skills**

- Budget Analysis
- Budget Execution
- Financial Management
- Project Management
- Debt Management
- Risk Analysis
- Microsoft Office Skilled
- Team Building

### **Career Highlights**

November 2019 to Date: **Ministry of Finance and Economic Development (Development and Budget-Budget Analysis and Debt Management)**

#### **Chief Finance Officer**

- » To execute government's borrowing plan (mobilise resources from foreign governments, international financial institutions, capital markets and retail investors), based on an approved Medium Term Debt Management Strategy
- » Developing a medium and long-term borrowing policy and Medium Term Debt Management Strategy aimed at minimising cost and risk
- » Undertaking portfolio and debt sustainability analysis
- » Annual contribution to the budget speech (budget outturn, revised budget and estimated budget)

September 2009 October 2019: **Ministry of Finance and Economic Development (Development and Budget-Development Programmes)**

#### **Economist**

- » Coordination of the Preparation of the Country's National Development Plans
- » Monitoring of the implementation of Projects and Development Budget expenditure, tracking financial status by monitoring variances from the plan
- » Determines Financial Status by comparing and analysing plans and forecasts with actual results and regularly advise the Accounting Officer on the state of the Ministry's Development Budget
- » Coordinates and consolidates contributions to the Budget Speech, Committee of supply speech, and state of the nation address
- » Coordination of the development, review and harmonisation of relevant policies for development projects
- » Appraisal of Project Memoranda and funding proposals for the Ministry's Projects and submit for approval to the Accounting officer

» Have in the past saved Government monies amounting to millions which contractors could have claimed due to standing time through intervention and fast tracking payments of contractors

August 2008 to August 2009: **Ministry of Finance & Economic Development (Accountant General)**

**Accountant: (Government Accounting & Budgeting System Support Centre)**

- » To provide daily support to all Revenue Offices, Control, Agencies, Banking and Payroll
- » To help in resolution of technical and functional issues for the above modules
- » Cloning and testing of new functions before deploying them to the live system to improve existing accounting functions
- » Conduct technical and refresher training for all end users
- » Responsible for Dossier set-up processes for all ministries and departments

June 2006 to July 2008: **Assistant Accountant**

- » Authorization of payment vouchers and ascertaining the correctness and authenticity before payment
- » Rollout and technical support to the Government Accounting and Budgeting System in all Government offices
- » Coordinate surprise audits on revenue collectors and ensure compliance to financial regulations
- » Provide cash forecasts for payments to be made and revenue to be received, quarterly, monthly and weekly

#### **Special Assignments**

Appointed to serve in the COVID-19 Relief Fund Secretariat (April 2020 to March 2023)

- » To assist in expeditiously funding activities relating to the prevention, spread and control of the COVID-19 pandemic
- » To assist in the formulation of Industry Support Facility Strategy aimed at supporting various industries during and post COVID-19 pandemic

#### **Qualifications**

**Currently** Studying for a Chartered Financial Analyst (CFA) Charter

#### **Acquired**

MSc Finance, 2014, (**Coventry University, United Kingdom**)

Diploma in Banking, 2011 (**Botswana Institute of Bankers, Gaborone**)

Bachelor of Arts: Economics and Accounting, 2004 (**University of Botswana, Gaborone**)

**Academic Achievements**

2014: Awarded Master of Science with **Distinction** in Finance

2011: First National Bank Prize (Best Student: International Trade Finance)

**Other Training**

Public Private Partnerships  
(5th -7th September 2012)

**African Infrastructure  
Projects**

Procurement, Disbursement and Financial Management  
(31st November -4th December 2009)

**African Development  
Bank**

Oracle Applications Competency Training  
(May 2009)

**Ministry of finance &  
Economic  
Development**

- » Dossier set-up processes
- » Essence of cloning systems
- » Analysis of end-user queries
- » General ledger, Payables, Receivables
- » Cash management, Inventory, Purchasing
- » Payroll, Banking

**Miscellaneous**

**Personal interests**

- » Analysis of Financial Policies and being up to date with both local and international business matters
- » To research on a broad range of finance matters and link them with theory, policy and real life scenarios

## Jasminka Dinić (Croatia)

### Personal Information

- Born in Rab, Croatia

### Work experience

**2018 – 2021 PERMANENT MISSION OF CROATIA TO OSCE, UN AND INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS IN VIENNA**  
*MINISTER PLENIPOTENTIARY*

**2016- 2018 MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AND EUROPEAN AFFAIRS – ZAGREB**  
**MEMBER OF THE UN COMMITTEE ON CONTRIBUTIONS**  
*MINISTER PLENIPOTENTIARY*  
**Division for UN, Global Issues and International Organizations**  
Directorate-General for Global Affairs

**2010 – 2015 MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AND EUROPEAN AFFAIRS – ZAGREB, NY**  
**MEMBER OF THE UN ACABQ**  
*MINISTER PLENIPOTENTIARY*  
Field visits Senegal, Sierra Leone, Liberia, Cote d'Ivoire, Congo, Sudan, South Sudan, Kenya, Uganda, Ethiopia, Lebanon (UNIFIL), UN logistical basis Brindisi, Valencia

**2006 – 2009 PERMANENT MISSION OF CROATIA TO UN – NY**  
*MINISTER COUNSELLOR*  
Fifth Committee, GA Plenary, UN reform, Executive Board of UNICEF -  
Field visits to Liberia, Niger and Cambodia, ECOSOC Commissions

**2003 – 2006 EMBASSY OF THE REPUBLIC OF CROATIA TO UK – LONDON**  
*MINISTER COUNSELLOR*  
• Bilateral issues, economic affairs

**2001 – 2003 MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS - Zagreb, Croatia**  
*COUNSELOR – MINISTER COUNSELLOR*  
• Bilateral affairs at the Department for neighboring countries

**1997 – 2001 PERMANENT MISSION OF CROATIA TO UN – NY**  
*COUNSELOR*  
• Fifth and Second Committee, Economic and Social Council (New York 1998, 2000), ECOSOC Commissions, GA Special Sessions (19th – 24th)  
• observer to the meetings of the Executive Boards of UNDP/UNFPA and UNICEF  
• Vice-chairman of the Commission for Social Development in 2000  
• Vice-chairman of the Fifth Committee for 55th Session of GA  
• Participating in negotiations and drafting of UN resolutions related to financing, social development, science and technology, humanitarian issues, UN operational activities for development

**1995 – 1997 MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS, Zagreb, Croatia**  
*HEAD OF UN DEVELOPMENT ISSUES AND INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATION DEPARTMENT*  
• Coordination, organization and supervision of operational activities, preparing various memoranda and analysis for Minister and Cabinet  
• Member of Croatian delegation at 50th, 51st UNGA Session, WSSD (Copenhagen 1995), UN Commission on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice (Vienna 1996), General Conference of IAEA (Vienna 1996), HABITAT (Istanbul 1996), ECOSOC Sessions (NY 1996, Geneva 1997)

**1992 - 1995 MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS** - Zagreb, Croatia  
*ADVISER TO THE UN DEVELOPMENT ISSUES AND INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS DEPARTMENT*

- Preparing papers and various correspondence related to UN PKO in Croatia; contacts with international organizations, funds and programs
- Member of Croatian delegation at 48th and 49th UNGA Session

**1980 – 1992 AUTOCENTAR – MERKUR** - Zagreb, Croatia  
*ADVISER – ECONOMIST*

- Developing market, market research, export – import, trade negotiation

**Education**

1974 – 1979 Faculty of International Trade, University of Zagreb  
Diploma in Economics

1993 Summer course at Diplomatic Academy, Vienna

1994 32nd Geneva Summer Graduate Study Program, UN Geneva

1995 Diplomatic Academy of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs in Zagreb

**Languages**

- Croatian (mother tongue), fluent in English and Italian
- Working knowledge of Spanish, German and French

## Ihor Humennyi (Ukraine)

### Personal

Date and place of birth: 1956, Ukraine  
 Languages: English, Ukrainian, Russian

### Education

1979 Master's Degree in International Economic Relations and English language, Kyiv State University  
 1979-1983 Post-graduate courses in international economic relations, Kyiv State University  
 1980-1982 Courses in Spanish language, Kyiv State Language Courses  
 1984 Advanced courses on population, labour and financial statistics, Moscow Institute of Economics and Statistics

### Present position

Since January 2016 Member of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions (ACABQ)

### Previous professional experience in the foreign service, administrative and budgetary issues

September 2010 – December 2015 Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of Ukraine to Malaysia, Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of Ukraine to Timor-Leste (with residence in Kuala Lumpur)  
 March 2008 – September 2010 Director of the Third Territorial Department (for Africa, Asia and the Pacific), Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Ukraine  
 March 2004 - March 2008 Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of Ukraine to the Kingdom of Thailand, Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of Ukraine to the Republic of the Union of Myanmar (with residence in Bangkok), Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of Ukraine to the Lao People's Democratic Republic (with residence in Bangkok)  
 October 2002 - March 2004 Charge d'affaires of Ukraine to the Kingdom of Thailand

September 1998 - October 2002  
Director of the Department of Financial Management (for budget formulation, financial management of all resources of the foreign service, accounting, reporting, financial operations, treasury), Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Ukraine

1995 - 1998  
Counsellor at the Permanent Mission of Ukraine to the United Nations charging the issues of the United Nations management and administration, budget, programme coordination (Fifth Committee of the General Assembly), activities in the field of development (Second Committee of the General Assembly) and UN reform. Responsible for the organization and execution of work of the Economic, Administrative and Budgetary Section of the Mission

1992-1995  
First Secretary, Second Secretary of the Permanent Mission of Ukraine to the United Nations responsible for the issues related to the United Nations management and administration, budget, programme coordination, activities in the economic and financial fields (Fifth and Second Committees of the General Assembly) and UN reform

1991-1992  
First Secretary of the Department of International Economic Relations, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Ukraine. Responsible for the issues of the Second and the Fifth Committees of the General Assembly, the Economic and Social Council, the Economic Commission for Europe and its subsidiary bodies, sustainable development

**Other previous professional experience**

1979-1990  
Deputy Chief of the Department of Demographic and Labour Statistics, Deputy Chief of the Department of Population Censuses and Demographic Statistics, Deputy Chief of the Population Censuses and Studies Division, Senior economist of the Division of Statistical Information, Ministry of Statistics of Ukraine.

**Major international conferences,  
sessions and meetings attended**

2016 – 2021	The sessions of ACABQ, Member of the Committee, USA
1995 – 2015	Fifty-fifth – Seventy-fifth sessions of the UN Committee on Contributions, Member of the Committee, USA
2015	Sixteenth International Anti-corruption Conference, Malaysia
2012	First International Conference of Global Movement of Moderates, Malaysia
2005	International Conference of UNESCO on sport and education, Thailand
2004	Eleventh United Nations Congress on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice, Thailand
2004	Thirteenth meeting of the Conference of the Parties to the Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species of Wild Fauna and Flora, Thailand
2004	Fifteenth International AIDS Conference, Thailand
1992 - 2000	Forty-seventh - Fifty-fifth sessions of the General Assembly, Fifth and Second Committees, Rapporteur of the Fifty-first session of the Fifth Committee of the General Assembly, USA
1996 - 1997	High-level Open-ended Working Group on the Financial Situation of the United Nations, USA
1995 - 1996	High-level Open-ended Working Group on the Strengthening of the United Nations System, USA
1992 - 1998	Thirty-third - Thirty-ninth sessions of the Committee for Programme and Coordination, Vice-Chairman of the Thirty-fourth session of the Committee for Programme and Coordination, USA
1991 - 1998	Economic and Social Council (ECOSOC), second regular, substantive and organizational sessions, Switzerland, USA
1996, 1998	Twenty-seventh and Twenty-eighth sessions, special session of the Statistical Commission, USA

1992 - 1998	Governing Council/ Executive Board of the United Nations Development Programme, annual sessions, regular sessions, USA, Switzerland
1992 - 1998	Executive Board of the United Nations Children's Fund, annual sessions, regular sessions, USA
1992	Commission on Population and Development, Twelfth session, USA
1992 - 1994	Commission on Sustainable Development, Third and Fourth sessions, USA
1993	Commission on Science and Technology for Development, First session, USA
1992	United Nations Conference on Environment and Development Brazil
1992	Economic Commission for Europe, Forty-sixth session, Switzerland
1989	International Seminar on Labour and Population Statistics (under the auspices of the International Labour Organization and the United Nations Statistical Office), Russian Federation
1987	Second European Regional Meeting on Population and Development, Hungary

**Diplomatic rank**

Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary

**Kitano Mitsuru (Japan)****Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary to Ireland**

Born on 5 November 1957, in Tokyo

**KEY PROFILE****In-depth knowledge and rich experience in multilateral diplomacy involving UN organizations**

- Highly experienced in multilateral negotiations in wide-ranging areas from disarmament/non-proliferation to the environment, development aid, human rights, crime prevention as Permanent Representative to the International Organizations in Vienna over five years as well as in Permanent Mission in Geneva and headquarter (Tokyo);
- In-depth knowledge of operational issues of the UN and other international organizations including finance and reform/efficiency measures;
- Well-rounded expertise and deep understanding of international issues through over forty years of experience in both bilateral and multilateral diplomacy, upholding the value of engaging all stakeholders.

**Extensive experience of organizational management and leadership**

- Wide range of management and leadership experience both at headquarter and field in the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, overseeing organization-wide administration including financial and personnel matters and engaging in organizational reform;
- Knowledgeable about funding mechanisms and budget processes of both national and international organizations enabling him to consolidate most appropriate approaches to sound financial management.

**Practical approaches and careful bridge-building skills**

- Analytical skills to examine complex technical issues based on evidence and data as attested by various scholarly works;
- Ardent consensus-builder who is eager to understand different positions of divergent stakeholders, delivering a number of consensual outcomes such as IAEA Ministerial Conference on Nuclear Science and Technology (November 2018)

**PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

August 2019- Present

**Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary to Ireland**

July 2014- August 2019

**Permanent Representative, Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary, Permanent Mission of Japan to the International Organizations in Vienna**

- Led Japan's engagement with the International Atomic Energy Agency (IAEA), Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty Organization (CTBTO), United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime (UNODC), United Nations Industrial Development Organization (UNIDO), and United Nations Office for Outer Space Affairs (UNOOSA);

- Oversaw Japan's participation in the deliberations on governance of the UN and other Vienna-based international organizations including financial matters;
- Chaired/Co-chaired numerous meetings related to IAEA, CTBTO and the Committee of Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice (CCPCJ) which led to consensual outcomes such as IAEA Ministerial Conference on Nuclear Science and Technology (November 2018).

September 2012 – June 2014

**Ambassador, Director-General for Disarmament, Non-Proliferation and Science, Ministry of Foreign Affairs (MOFA) of Japan**

- Oversaw and coordinated Japan's diplomatic policy in the area of disarmament, non-proliferation and science;
- Represented Japan at various multilateral forums/negotiations including those on management and finance of IAEA and CTBTO;
- Organized Ministerial meetings working closely with senior management of IAEA and CTBTO as well as representatives of relevant countries.

August 2011 – September 2012

**Assistant Vice-Minister, Parliamentary Affairs, MOFA**

- Handled the Ministry's relations with the Parliament and oversaw management of all parliamentary issues across the Ministry.

April 2010 – August 2011

**Deputy Director-General, Asian and Oceanian Affairs Bureau, MOFA**

July 2009 – August 2010

**Assistant Vice-Minister, Crisis Management, MOFA**

- Led the Ministry's response to emergencies and other contingencies which involved administration of relevant national schemes and budgets.

August 2008 – July 2009

**Deputy Director-General, International Legal Affairs Bureau, MOFA**

August 2005 – August 2008

**Minister (Public Diplomacy), Embassy of Japan in the United States of America**

August 2002 – August 2005

**Minister (Deputy Head of Mission), Embassy of Japan in Vietnam**

August 2000 – August 2002

**Director of Loan Aid Division, Economic Cooperation Bureau, MOFA**

- Coordinated Japan's diplomatic policy in the area of loan aid and implemented measures for Official Development Aid (ODA) reform;
- Concurrently contributed to the reform of the management of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

August 1998 – August 2000

**Director of Nuclear Affairs and Science Division, Foreign Policy Bureau, MOFA**

- Coordinated Japan’s diplomatic policy in the area of non-proliferation and science and dealt with various non-proliferation related international organizations including through formulating Japan’s policies on their budgetary and administrative matters;
- Concurrently assigned to coordinate the Ministry’s response to overall governmental administrative reform.

August 1995 –July 1998

**Legal Counselor, Cabinet Legislation Bureau**

December 1993-August 1995

**First Secretary, Permanent Mission to the International Organizations in Geneva**

- Dealt with issues on the environment, development aid, human rights and humanitarian aid through engagement with the UN and other international organizations covering also budgetary and administrative matters.

April 1980

**Joined MOFA**

**EDUCATION**

M.A. (International affairs, particular focus on international economics),  
Graduate Institute of International Studies, University of Geneva, October 1996

B.A. (Sociology), University of Tokyo, March 1980

**LANGUAGE**

Japanese (mother tongue)

English (fluent)

French (fluent)

Chinese (upper-intermediate)

**OTHER ACTIVITIES**

May 2013, May 2014      Lecturer, Meiji University (Faculty of Law)

April 2001-March 2004    Senior Visiting Fellow, Research Institute of Economy,  
Trade and Industry (RIETI)

October 2001-September 2002    Lecturer, Sophia University (Faculty of Law)

**PUBLICATIONS**

**[Publications in English]**

- “Ireland’s Neutrality Policy and Japan’s Alliance Policy”, *Irish Studies in International Studies*, Vol. 31, 2020 (forthcoming);
- “How to Transcend Differences in Nuclear Disarmament Approaches”, *Arms Control Today*, Vol. 48 No.7, September 2018;

- “Opaque Nuclear Proliferation Revisited: Determinants, Dynamism, and Policy Implications”, *The Nonproliferation Review*, Vol. 23 Issue 3-4, 2016.

**[Publications in Japanese]**

- *Comparative Politics of Nuclear Non-Proliferation: Countries Who Went Nuclear and Who Constrained Ambitions* (Kyoto, Minerva Shobo, 2016);
- (Co-ed.) *Public Diplomacy Strategy* (Tokyo, PHP Research Institute, 2014);
- (Co-ed.) *Public Diplomacy: Diplomatic Strategy in the “Age of Public Opinion”* (Tokyo, PHP Research Institute, 2007).

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## **Thomas Anthony Repasch (United States)**

### **Professional Experience**

- Member of the United Nations Joint Staff Pension Board. (2003-2020).
- Member of the Independent Management Advisory Committee of the International Telecommunication Union, Geneva, Switzerland. (2012-2015)
- Member of the UN Joint Staff Pension Board's Audit Committee (2006-2011; 2015-2018), and member of the Search Committee to recruit the Fund's CEO (2011-2013; 2019).
- Senior Advisor on UN Management and Reform to the U.S. Representative to the United Nations at U.S. Mission to the United Nations in New York. (2000-2006).
- Member of the U.S. delegation to the Fifth Committee of the UN General Assembly. (1996-2009).
- Extensive financial and operational audit experience as an auditor for the United States General Accounting Office (GAO) in New York; Washington, DC; Los Angeles; and Panamá. (1972-1995).

### **Education and Professional Development**

- Bachelor of Arts in Economics/Business Administration, Magna Cum Laude, from Moravian College, Bethlehem, Pennsylvania (Major in Accounting), 1972.
- Graduate of the United Nations Senior Management Seminar, Copenhagen and New York, summer 2002.
- Graduate of Senior Executive Leadership Programs at the Federal Executive Development Centers in West Virginia (2005) and Colorado (1991).
- Recipient of the Comptroller General's Meritorious Service Award in 1993 for outstanding accomplishments in auditing and evaluating government activities in the United States General Accounting Office.
- Graduate of the National Defense University in Washington, D.C. with a Certificate in National Security Issues, 1985.

### **Certification**

- Certified Government Financial Manager, awarded by the Association of Government Accountants.

### **Personal**

- Adjunct Professor, Northampton Community College, Bethlehem, PA (2012-present)
- Volunteer docent at Craftsman Farms Museum, Morris Plains, NJ (1991-present)
- Member of church finance committee (2018-present)