

ביקור משלחת מב"ל

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Schedule

- 8:00 Arrival to the UN
- 8:30 Introduction
- 8:45 United States Deputy Permanent Representative to the United Nations , Ambassador Michele J. Sison
- 9:45 Coffee Break
- 10:00 Under-Secretary-General for Political Affairs , Jeffrey Feltman
- 10:30 Spokesperson for the United Nations
Secretary-General António Guterres, Stéphane Dujarric
- 11: 15 Israel's Permanent Representative to the United Nations,
Ambassador Danny Danon
- 11:45 Russia's Deputy Permanent Representative to the
United Nations, Vladimir Safronkov
- 12:45 Lunch Break
- 13:15 UN tour lead diplomats of Israel's Permanent Mission to the UN
- 14:15 Israel's Deputy Permanent Representative to the United Nations,
Ambassador David Roet
- 14:45 End of the visit

Ambassador Michele J. Sison

United States Deputy Permanent
Representative to the United Nations



Ambassador Michele J. Sison was confirmed by the U.S. Senate as United States Deputy Representative to the United Nations as well as Deputy Representative of the United States to the UN Security Council on November 19, 2014. She joined the U.S. Mission to the United Nations on December 6, 2014. Sison previously served as U.S. Ambassador to Sri Lanka and Maldives (2012-2014), U.S. Ambassador to Lebanon (2008-2010), and U.S. Ambassador to the United Arab Emirates (2004-2008). She holds the rank of Career Minister in the U.S. Foreign Service.

Ambassador Sison's other diplomatic assignments include Assistant Chief of Mission in Baghdad, Iraq (2011-2012); Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for South Asian Affairs; Deputy Chief of Mission in Islamabad, Pakistan; Consul General in Chennai, India; and tours in Côte d'Ivoire, Cameroon, Benin, Togo, and Haiti. She also served as the State Department's Director of Career Development and Assignments (2010-11).

Ambassador Sison is the recipient of the U.S. Presidential Distinguished Service Award, U.S. Presidential Meritorious Service Award, and the U.S. Department of the Army's Outstanding Civilian Service Medal. She also holds numerous U.S. Department of State awards, including Superior Honor Awards and Ambassadorial-level awards for her contributions to counter-proliferation (2008) and anti-trafficking in persons efforts (2005). Ambassador Sison earned her B.A. in Political Science at Wellesley College and is the mother of two daughters.

Jeffrey Feltman

Under-Secretary-General for Political Affairs



Jeffrey Feltman of the United States assumed the post of Under-Secretary-General for Political Affairs on 2 July 2012.

As Under-Secretary-General and head of the Department of Political Affairs, Mr. Feltman advises the Secretary-General on peace and security issues globally, while overseeing "good offices" initiatives and field-based political missions carrying out peacemaking, preventive diplomacy and peace-building activities in Africa, Europe, the Middle East, Central and Southeast Asia. He also oversees the United Nations electoral assistance provided to dozens of its member states each year.

Before joining the United Nations, Mr. Feltman served for nearly thirty years in the United States Foreign Service, focused especially on the Middle East and North Africa. His last position was as Assistant Secretary of State for Near Eastern Affairs, from which he retired at the rank of Career Minister. Mr. Feltman served previously as United States Ambassador to the Republic of Lebanon, and held earlier diplomatic postings in Baghdad, Erbil, Jerusalem, Tunis, Tel Aviv, Budapest, and Port-au-Prince, as well as with responsibility for coordinating US assistance to countries of Eastern and Central Europe.

Mr. Feltman speaks in addition to his native language, Arabic, French and Hungarian. He received his Bachelor's degree in History and Fine Arts from Ball State University and his Master's degree in Law and Diplomacy from the Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy at Tufts University.

Stéphane Dujarric

Spokesperson for the United Nations Secretary-General António Guterres.



Stéphane Dujarric is the Spokesperson for the United Nations Secretary-General António Guterres. He was appointed to this position on 19 February 2014 by the previous Secretary-General of the United Nations, Ban Ki-moon. Dujarric had previously served as Spokesman for United Nations Secretary-General Kofi Annan from 2005 to 2006 and then Deputy Communications Director for Secretary-General Ban Ki-moon from 2006 to 2007.

Prior to his current appointment, Dujarric was Director of News and Media for the United Nations Department of Public Information, a position that he had held since March 2011. In this role, he oversaw the UN's television, radio and photo operations, coordinating the work of the main United Nations news sites, operating in eight languages. His Division was also responsible for media liaison and accreditation, providing logistical support and information to the international press corps, as well as coverage of official United Nations meetings, producing written coverage for the media, delegations and the general public, such as press releases, meetings summaries and dissemination of official statements and remarks.

Prior to this assignment, Dujarric was Spokesman and Director of Communications for the United Nations Development Programme (UNDP).

Before joining the United Nations in 2000 as an Associate Spokesman, Dujarric worked for ABC News television for close to ten years in various capacities in the network's New York City, London and Paris news bureaux. He traveled extensively on assignment to cover major stories throughout Europe, Africa and the Middle East.

Born in France in 1965, Dujarric has been living in the United States for the most part of the last 40 years. He is a graduate of Georgetown University's School of Foreign Service.

Ambassador Danny Danon

Israel's Permanent Representative
to the United Nations



Ambassador Danny Danon became Israel's 17th Permanent Representative to the United Nations in October 2015 and was elected Chair of the Legal Committee in 2016.

Danny Danon was born in Israel in 1971. He completed his IDF service with the rank of Lieutenant and served as Overall Commander of the Marva volunteer program.

Danon holds a B.A. in International Relations, F.I.U. (Magna Cum Laude), an M.A. Public Policy and Public Administration from the Hebrew University of Jerusalem and also studied at the Hebrew University of Jerusalem Law School. He is married and the father of three.

Danon served as Deputy Minister of Defense from March 2013 until July 2014. In May 2015 he was appointed Minister of Science, Technology, and Space, serving until his appointment in August 2015 as Israel Ambassador to the United Nations.

Danny Danon was a Member of Knesset from February 2009 until August 2015. He served as Deputy Speaker of the 18th Knesset, as Chair of the Committee on the Rights of the Child, and among others as a member of the Labor, Welfare and Health Committee, House, Constitution, Law and Justice, Foreign Affairs and Defense, Education, Culture, and Sports Committee, and Immigration, Absorption and Diaspora Affairs, as well as on the Committee on the Status of Women and Gender Equality and the Committee on the Rights of the Child.

Vladimir Safronkov

Russia's Deputy Permanent Representative to the United Nations



- 1990 – Graduated from MGIMO University
- 1991 – 1995 – Russian Embassy in Tunisia (attaché, Third secretary)
- 1995 – 1999 – Chief of office of Deputy Minister of MFA of Russia
- 2000 – 2004 – Middle East counsellor, Russian Mission to the UN in New York
- 2004 – 2007 – Chief of Security Council Division and Crisis Management Division in MFA of Russia
- 2007 – 2011 – Political Coordinator, Russian Mission to the UN in New York
- 2011 – 2014 – Deputy Political Director of International Organizations Division in MFA of Russia
- 2015 – present – Deputy Permanent Representative, Russian Mission to the UN in New York

Ambassador David Roet

Israel's Deputy Permanent Representative to the United Nations



Ambassador David Roet began serving as Israel's Deputy Permanent Representative to the United Nations in August 2013. Previously, he served as the Head of the Bureau for Personnel Training in the Israeli Ministry of Foreign Affairs from 2010 to 2013. He was responsible for developing and running training programs for the hundreds of diplomats serving the State of Israel worldwide, as well as recruiting new diplomats to the Foreign Service.

From 2004 to 2010 Ambassador Roet served as the Director of the US Consulate Department in the North American Affairs Division. In this capacity, he oversaw consulate activities including political affairs, public diplomacy and community liaisons.

From 1999 to 2004, Ambassador Roet served as Deputy Consul General at Israel's Consulate General to the Midwest in Chicago, representing 11 Midwest states. Ambassador Roet also held a number of other positions in the Ministry of Foreign Affairs including First Secretary for Political and Economic Affairs in Seoul Korea (1992-1996), and Political Counselor in the South East Asia Division (1996-1999).

Ambassador Roet holds a Bachelor's degree in Economics and Business Administration from the Hebrew University in Jerusalem and a Master's degree in Economics and Business Administration, also from the Hebrew University in Jerusalem.