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#### **Career History:**

2008 - present: Ambassador of Canada to the Republic of Serbia, Republic of Macedonia and Montenegro

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Embassy of Canada to Japan

1992 - 1994: Program Manager  
Political, Economic & Public Affairs  
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1990 - 1992: Interdepartmental Coordinator for the UN Biodiversity Convention,  
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Environment Division  
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- 1988 - 1990: Second Secretary (Political Affairs)  
Embassy of Canada to the People's Republic of China
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Canadian High Commission to Malaysia
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