

Ambassador Claude Wild

Personal Information:

Date of birth: 1 March 1964
Place of birth: Lausanne, Switzerland
Nationality: Swiss
Marital status: married to Annick Wild,
Two adult children (Eléonore Wild and Romain Wild)

Professional Experience:

2019 Head of Mission, Ambassador, Embassy of Switzerland to Ukraine and Moldova

2015 – 2019 Head of Mission, Ambassador, Permanent Mission of Switzerland to the Organization of Security and Co-operation in Europe (OSCE), the United Nations and the International Organizations in Vienna, Vienna/Austria

2010 – 2015 Head of the Human Security Division, Ambassador, Directorate of Political Affairs, Bern/Switzerland

2007 – 2010 Deputy Head of Mission, Minister, economic and financial affairs, Swiss Mission to the European Union, Brussels/Belgium

2004 – 2007 Deputy Head of Mission, Minister, Embassy of Switzerland to Canada, Ottawa/Canada

2000 – 2004 Head of Section for Policy and Institutions, Directorate for European Affairs, Bern/Switzerland

1997 – 2000 First Secretary and then Counsellor, Embassy of Switzerland to the Russian Federation, Moscow/Russian Federation

1995 – 1997 Deputy Head of Section for Peace Policy, Directorate of Political Affairs, Bern/Switzerland

1994 – 1995 Diplomatic Officer, Directorate for United Nations and International Organizations, Bern/Switzerland

1992 – 1994 Diplomatic Trainee, Swiss Federal Department of Foreign Affairs, stationed in Bern/Switzerland, Lagos/Nigeria and Vienna/Austria

1991 – 1992 Member of the Swiss Contingent of the UN Peacekeeping Operation, MINURSO, Western Sahara

1990 – 1991 Research Assistant, International Security Policy Program, Graduate Institute of International Studies, Geneva/Switzerland

1989 – 1990 Member of the Swiss Contingent of the UN Peacekeeping Operation UNTAG, Namibia

Education:

Postgraduate degree in International Security Studies from the Graduate Institute of International Studies, Geneva/Switzerland

Bachelor's degree in Political Science (International Relations) from the Graduate Institute of International Studies, Geneva/Switzerland

Language Skills:

French:	native language (C2)
German:	fluent (C1)
English:	fluent (C1)
Italian:	good command (B2)
Russian:	elementary (A2)