

Curriculum Vitae

H.E. Mr. Abdulla Abdullatif Abdulla

Personal Data:

Born 6th November 1963

Married, four children

Academic Qualifications:

- Master in Financial Administration and Economy, Scotland 1990
- Bachelor in Business Administration and Accountancy, Bahrain University 1987.
- Secondary education at Bahrain schools 1980.

Professional Experience:

- Appointed by a Royal Decree as an Under-Secretary For the Ministry of the Kingdom of Bahrain, 17 August 2009.
- Ambassador to the Federal Republic of Austria, 2008.
- Ambassador, Permanent Representative of the Kingdom of Bahrain to the United Nations Offices in Geneva and Vienna, 2006.
- Ambassador, Permanent Representative of the Kingdom of Bahrain to the World Trade Organization (WTO), 2006.
- Ambassador, Permanent Representative of the Kingdom of Bahrain to the United Nations Industrial Development Organization (UNIDO), 2006.
- Consul General of the Kingdom of Bahrain to Switzerland, 2006.
- Appointed to the Bahrain Embassy in London and took the rule of Deputy Head of mission from 2001 to November 2005.
- Joined the Ministry of Foreign Affairs in 1981.

Important Delegations:

- Attended the 1st to the 5th Sessions of the Working Group on the Universal Periodic Review of the Human Rights Council, from April 2008 to May 2009.

- Attended the Universal Periodic Review of the Human Rights Council of the Kingdom of Bahrain, April & June 2008.

- *Chairman of the Troika for the Universal Periodic Review of Russia (February 2009), and Congo (May 2009).*
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- *Member of the Troika for the Universal Periodic Review of Colombia (December 2008.)*

- *Representative of the Asian Group in the Working Group on Situations of the Human Rights Council for one year (2008-2009)*

- *Attended the Regional International Conference on Cooperative UPR Experiences Past, Present, and Future, from 19 to 20 November 2008 which was held in Manama from 19 to 20 November 2008.*

- *Head of the Delegation of Bahrain in the sessions of the Treaty of the Non-Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons, held in Geneva and Vienna in 2007 and 2008.*

- *Attended the 1st Session of the Preparatory Committee for the Durban Review Conference, April-May 2008.*

- *Attended the Durban Review Conference, 20-24 April 2009.*

- *Attended the Global Assessment Report on Disaster Reduction Launch which was held in Bahrain in cooperation with the United Nations during the period 17-18 May 2009.*

- *Attended the Annual Meetings of the World Economic Forum held in Davos, Switzerland, at the beginning of each year (2006-2009).*

- *Attended the 29th International Conference of the Red Cross and Red Crescent, Geneva.*

- *Head of the Bahraini Delegation at the General Conference of the International Atomic Energy Agency, Vienna, September 2008.*

- *Attended the meeting of the accession of the Kingdom of Bahrain to the International Atomic Energy Agency, with the presence of H.H the Minister of Foreign Affairs of the Kingdom of Bahrain in Vienna, September 2007.*

- *Attended the Annual Sessions of the International Labour Conference, Geneva (2006-2009).*

- *Attended the High-Level Segment of the Substantive Session of the Economic and Social Council, July 2006, 2007, 2009.*
- *Attended at the 2nd phase of the Trade Policy Review of the Kingdom of Bahrain to the World Trade Organization (WTO), July 2007.*
- *Attended the Annual Sessions of the World Health Assembly.*
- *Chairman of the Council of the Arab Permanent Representatives from September to November 2006.*
- *Arab Group Coordinator in WTO from June to August 2006, from March to June 2008 and from April to June 2009.*
- *Attended the Universal Periodic Review of the Human Rights Council, Lausanne, August 2006.*
- *Attended the Technical Meeting/ Workshop on Issues for the Introduction of Nuclear Power, Vienna, December 2006.*
- *Attended a Forum to promote Bahrain Economy organized by the Economic Development Board (EDB), Bahrain, January 2006.*
- *Forum for the Future:*
 - Attended the preparatory sessions of the Forum for the Future 2004, 2005.
 - Attended the meeting of the Future Forum held in the Kingdom of Bahrain in November 2005.
- Attended the Workshop of the Economic International Forum (Law of Development and International Economy) held at the International Court of Justice in the Hague 2001.
- Attended the Ministerial Conference for International Energy which was held in Amsterdam 2004.
- Covered the first Review Sessions of the Convention of the Organization for the Prohibition of Chemical Weapons, held in the Hague for two weeks, 2003.
- *Attended Wilton Park Conferences which covered and debated the following issues:*
 - Political Reforms and Human Right in the Arab World (2002)

- Security in the Middle East (2003)
- Economics Reforms in the Middle East (2004)

- Attended and Covered Political Parties Annual Conferences:

- Labour party conferences for year 2004-2003-2002-2001
- Conservative party conference for 2003.
- Liberal democrat's party conference for 2001.

- Member of the delegation attending the GCC-EU meeting for Energy held in Brussels 2001.

- Covered Human Rights issues, Reforms, Legislation, Countering Terrorism and Money Laundering Regime.

- Covered the Monthly Sessions of the Committee of Foreign Affairs on the Research of Foreign Policy Aspects of the War against Terrorism.