

## **SINGAPORE**

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### **Education:**

- M.A., University of London (Ford Foundation Fellowship).
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### **Career:**

- Non-Resident Ambassador of Singapore to the Holy See and Spain.
- Expert and Eminent Person (EEP) of Singapore, ASEAN Regional Forum.
- Member of the Board of Directors of the Lee Kuan Yew Exchange Fellowship.
- Member of the Presidential Council for Minority Rights.
- Deputy Chairman, Trilateral Commission.
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- Distinguished Fellow at RSIS.

- 2007-2014: Dean of Rajaratnam School of International Studies, Nanyang Technological University (RSIS).
- 2000-2014: Director of the Institute of Defence and Strategic Studies.
- 1994-2000: Chief Executive Officer, Trade Development Board.
- 1986-1993: Ambassador of Singapore to Indonesia.
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