

YACOV LIVNE

Ambassador of Israel in Poland

since 28 February 2022



Director, 1st Eurasia Department, Coordinator for FSU Region Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Israel	2020 – 2021
Chargé d'affaires of Israel in Russia	2019 – 2020
Director, 1st Eurasia Department Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Israel	2009 – 2019
Deputy Director, 1st Eurasia Department Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Israel	2008 – 2009
Senior U.S. Analyst and Deputy Director of International Department Center for Political Research, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Israel	2003 – 2008
Political Counsellor, Embassy of Israel in Germany	1999 – 2003
Head of Central Asia & Caucasus Section Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Israel	1997 – 1999
Press Attaché, Embassy of Israel in Russia	1994 – 1997
Desk Officer, East European Department Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Israel	1993 – 1994
Personnel Training Department Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Israel	1992 – 1993
Joined Israel Ministry of Foreign Affairs	1992

EDUCATION:

- B.A. in Physics, Technion – Israel Institute of Technology
- M.A. in International Relations, Hebrew University of Jerusalem
- PhD in History, Ariel Univeristy

SPECIAL ACTIVITIES:

Co-Chairman Russian-Israeli Historical Committee	2019 – 2021
Secretary and Co-Founder Israeli Association of Israel	2014
Coordinator for the project „Centre for Israeli and Jewish Diplomacy” Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Israel	2012
Member and Chairman, Diplomatic Employees Union Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Israel	2004

DISTINCTIONS:

„Distinguished Director” Awarded by the Civil Service Commission of Israel	2013
„Excellent Director” Awarded by Ministry of Foreign Affaires of Israel	2012

Born 1967 in Moscow, emigrated to Israel in 1974
Languages: Hebrew, English, Russian, German
Married, with two children