## Change of Governor of the British Virgin Islands: John Rankin

Press release

Mr John Rankin CMG has been appointed Governor of the British Virgin Islands.



Mr John Rankin CMG has been appointed Governor of the British Virgin Islands in succession to Mr Gus Jaspert. Mr Rankin will take up his appointment in January 2021.

## Curriculum Vitae

Full name: John James Rankin

2016	to	present	Bermuda, Governor
2016			FCO, Acting Director, Americas Directorate
2015			Kathmandu, Acting Ambassador to Nepal
2011	to	2015	Colombo, British High Commissioner and Non-Resident High Commissioner to the Maldives
2008	to	2010	FCO, Director, Americas
2007	to	2008	FCO, Assistant Director, Human Resources (Operations)
2003	to	2007	Boston, Her Majesty's Consul General
1999	to	2003	Dublin, Counsellor and Deputy Head of Mission
1998	to	1999	Dublin, First Secretary (Political)
1996	to	1998	FCO, Deputy Head, Organisation for Security and Co-operation in Europe and Council of Europe Department
1994	to	1996	FCO, Senior Assistant Legal Adviser and later Legal Counsellor
1991	to	1994	Geneva, Legal Adviser, UK Mission to the United Nation and to the Conference on Disarmament
1988	to	1991	FCO, Assistant Legal Adviser and later Senior Assistant Legal Adviser
1988			Joined FCO