

Change of Her Majesty's Ambassador to Côte d'Ivoire: Catherine Brooker

Press release

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Full name: Catherine Brooker

Year	Role
2016 to present	FCDO, Head Whitehall Nigeria Unit and Deputy Head of West Africa Department
2012 to 2016	Athens, Counsellor – Political
2011 to 2012	Full-Time Language training (Greek)
2009 to 2011	FCO, Private Secretary to the Secretary of State for Foreign and Commonwealth Affairs
2008	Cabinet Office, Senior Policy Advisor – International Institutional Reform Strategy
2004 to 2008	New York, Second Secretary – Political (Middle East)
2003 to 2004	Kabul, Second Secretary – Press and Public Affairs
2001 to 2002	FCO, Desk Officer for Turkey
1999 to 2001	Cardinal Hume Centre for Young Homeless People, Fundraising Officer

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