

Change of Her Majesty's Ambassador to Peru: Gavin Cook OBE

Press release

Mr Gavin Cook OBE has been appointed Her Majesty's Ambassador to Peru.



Mr Gavin Cook OBE has been appointed Her Majesty's Ambassador to the Republic of Peru in succession to Ms Kate Harrisson. Mr Cook will take up his appointment during April 2022.

Full name: Gavin Douglas Cook

Married to: Elizabeth Cook

Children: Three daughters and one son

Date	Role
2021 to present	Full-time Language Training (Spanish)
2021	Secondment: International Government and Sustainability Relations, Anglo American
2020 to 2021	FCD0, Head of the Repatriation Taskforce, Deputy Director Consular
2019 to 2020	FC0, Deputy Director, Strategy Directorate and Head of Policy Unit
2018	FC0, Deputy Director, Africa Directorate and Deputy Director, National Security Strategy (Gulf/Iran)
2015 to 2018	Accra, Deputy High Commissioner
2013 to 2015	FC0, Deputy Head, Consular Assistance
2010 to 2013	FC0, Chief Press Officer for Minister for the Middle East and North Africa
2007 to 2010	Addis Ababa, Second Secretary (Political/Information)
2006 to 2007	Full-time Language Training (Amharic)
2006	Kyiv, Second Secretary (Political-External)

Date	Role
2006	Cabinet Office, Assessment Staff, International Security Directorate
2005 to 2006	FCO, Desk Officer, Common Foreign and Security Policy (EU-External)
2005	Full-time language training (Russian)
2003 to 2004	FCO, Desk Officer, Civilian-Military Security Policy (EU-External)
2002 to 2003	FCO, Desk Officer, Turkey and Malta (EU-External)

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