

Change of Her Majesty's Ambassador to Sudan: Giles Lever

Press release

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Curriculum vitae

Full name: Giles Lever

Married to: Gill Lever

Children: Two

Year	Role
2020 to present	Full-time Language Training (Arabic)
2018 to 2020	Kabul, Deputy Head of Mission
2014 to 2018	Hanoi, Her Majesty's Ambassador
2013 to 2014	Full-time Language Training (Vietnamese)
2011 to 2013	Abuja, Deputy High Commissioner
2009 to 2011	Department for International Development, Head, Middle East and North Africa Department
2009	FCO, Strategy Development, Counter-Terrorism Department
2009	Erbil, Acting Consul General
2006 to 2009	FCO, Deputy Head, Iraq Group
2002 to 2006	Tokyo, First Secretary – Political, later Head, Political Section
2000 to 2002	Full-time Language Training (Japanese)

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1997 to 2000	FCO, Head, Export Control Policy Section, Non-Proliferation Department

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