

## **Alexander M. KADAKIN**

Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the Russian Federation to the Republic of India

**Born: July 22, 1949** in the city of Kishinev, USSR. Ethnic Russian.

**Education:** Graduated with honours from the Moscow State Institute (University) of International Relations

under the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the USSR in 1972.

Language proficiency: English, Hindi, Urdu, French, Romanian.

**Employment:** Joined the diplomatic service in **1972**.

1971, 1972 - 78 - probationer, attaché, third secretary of the Embassy of the USSR

in India, New Delhi.

1978 – 1983 – second, first secretary, counsellor of the Secretariat of the First Deputy Minister

of Foreign Affairs of the USSR.

(Concurrently, 1979 – 85 – Asst. Professor of the Department of Indian Studies,

the Moscow State Institute of International Relations).

1983 – 1989 – Assistant, Senior Assistant (Chef du Cabinet) to the First Deputy

Minister of Foreign Affairs of the USSR.

1989 - 1991 - Minister-Counsellor (DCM) of the Embassy of the USSR in India,

New Delhi.

June–September 1991 – First Deputy Head of the Foreign Minister's Secretariat.

1991 - 1993 - Minister-Counsellor (DCM) of the Embassy of the USSR/Russia

in India, New Delhi.

1993 – 1997 – Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the Russian

Federation to the Kingdom of Nepal.

1997 - 1999 - Member of the Collegium, Director of the Linguistic Support

Department of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Russian Federation.

1999 - 2004 - Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the Russian

Federation to the Republic of India.

2004 - 2005 - Ambassador-at-Large, Secretary of the Council of the Heads of

Entities of the Russian Federation, MFA.

2005 – 2009 Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the Russian

Federation to the Kingdom of Sweden.

Since October 27, 2009 - Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of

the Russian Federation to the Republic of India.

Accompanied Chairman L.I.Brezhnev, President M.S.Gorbachev,

President B.N. Yeltsin on a number of official visits abroad including India, USA,

Britain, UN, as consultant.

Diplomatic rank:

Diplomatic Rank: Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary (1994).

Participated in the work of Soviet delegations at five sessions of the UN General

Assembly as an expert.

**Publications:** 

Authored and translated several books from English and Hindi. Published over

 $50\ articles$  in scientific journals and press in Russia and India .

Visited more than 30 countries.

Has a number of Government decorations. The Order of Honour (2009)

Was awarded the title of the Honoured Diplomatist of the Russian Federation (2004).

Academician, Russian Academy of Natural Sciences.

Military Service:

None