

[Ján Kubiš](#) resigned on 5 July 2006 after being appointed Minister for Foreign Affairs of the Slovak Republic. He was appointed EU Special Representative for **Central Asia** on 18 July 2005 (Joint Action 2005/588/CFSP, [OJ L 199, 29.7.2005](#), Joint Action 2006/118/CFSP, [OJ L 49 of 21.02.2006](#)). The EUSR contributed to the implementation of the EU's policy objectives in the region, which include promoting good and close relations between the countries of Central Asia and the EU, contributing to strengthening of democracy, rule of law, good governance and respect for human rights and fundamental freedoms in Central Asia as well as enhancing EU's effectiveness in the region, including closer coordination with other relevant partners and international organizations, such as the OSCE.

## 1. Curriculum Vitae of Mr Ján Kubiš

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### **EU Special Representative for Central Asia**

Name:	Ján Kubiš
Title, Rank:	Ing., Ambassador
Date and Place of Birth:	12 <sup>th</sup> November 1952, Bratislava, Slovak Republic
Gender:	Male
Citizenship:	Slovak Republic
Marital Status:	Married, one daughter
Education:	Graduate in International Economic Relations of Moscow State Institute for International Affairs (1976)
Languages:	Slovak (mother tongue), English, Russian, Czech (thorough working knowledge), French (satisfactory knowledge), comprehension of Slavic languages
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#### **PROFESSIONAL BACKGROUND:**

6/1999 – present	Secretary General Organization for Security and Co-operation in Europe (OSCE) Vienna, Austria
1/2000 – 12/2000	Personal Representative of the Chairman-in-Office for Central Asia (concurrently with the post of Secretary General) OSCE Secretariat, Vienna, Austria
6/1998 – 6/1999	Special Representative of the UN Secretary General for Tajikistan and Head of the UN Mission of Military Observers (UNMOT) Tajikistan
7/1994 – 6/1998	Director of the Conflict Prevention Centre Organization for Security and Co-operation in Europe Vienna, Austria
1/1993 – 6/1994	Ambassador, Permanent Representative of Slovakia United Nations Office, GATT and other international organizations Geneva, Switzerland
1/1994 – 6/1994	Slovak Chief Negotiator for Pact for Stability in Europe (concurrently with the post of Ambassador in Geneva)
7/1991 – 12/1992	Director-General, Euro-Atlantic Section Ministry of Foreign Affairs (MFA) Prague, Czechoslovakia (reporting directly to the Minister)
1/1992 – 12/1992	Chairman of the Conference on Security and Cooperation in Europe (CSCE) Committee of Senior Officials during the Czechoslovak Chairmanship of CSCE, 1992 Ambassador-at-Large (concurrently with the post of Director General, MFA)
6/1990 – 7/1991	Deputy Head of the Embassy and Head of Political Department

	Counsellor Embassy of Czechoslovakia Moscow, USSR
1/1989 – 5/1990	First Secretary Embassy of Czechoslovakia Moscow, USSR
7/1985 – 12/1988	Officer and Head of Security and Arms Control Section (1988) Department of Main Political Issues Ministry of Foreign Affairs Prague, Czechoslovakia
8/1980 – 7/1985	Attaché, Third Secretary Embassy of Czechoslovakia Addis Ababa, Ethiopia
9/1977 – 7/1980	Officer Department of International Economic Organizations later Cabinet of the MFA Ministry of Foreign Affairs Prague, Czechoslovakia
7/1976	Completion of University Studies joining of the MFA, Prague, Czechoslovakia