

Name: **Marius DRAGOLEA**

Date and place of birth: February 9, 1958, Bucharest

Current Position: Consul General, Consulate General of Romania in Sydney (June 2006)

Career:

2005 - June 2006: Director, Analysis and Policy Planning Division, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Romania

July 2001 – November 2004: Deputy Permanent Representative of Romania to the United Nations, New York

November 2000 - July 2001: Counsellor, Permanent Mission of Romania to the United Nations, New York

April 1999 - November 2000: Director, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Director of the Policy Planning Unit

May 1997 - April 1999: First Secretary, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Policy Planning Unit

November 1992 - May 1997: Second Secretary, Embassy of Romania in Greece

May 1991 - November 1992: Second Secretary, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Policy Planning Unit

1989 - May 1991: Assistant Professor, Polytechnic University of Bucharest, Chair of Philosophy

1984 - 1989: Teacher, Philosophy and Social Sciences, High-School Nr. 26, Bucharest

1981 - 1984: Teacher, History and Social Sciences, Vlad Tepes Junior High School, Giurgiu County

Educational Background:

December 2005: Harvard Kokkalis Executive Program, Athens, Greece

September 1998 – March 1999: Senior Fellow at the Atlantic Council of the United States, NATO and the European Defence Program, Washington, D.C.

September – December 1991: University of Leeds, United Kingdom, Institute of International Studies – scholarship in International Relations

1981: University of Bucharest, School of Philosophy

Other activities and affiliation:

Knight of the National Order “Steaua României” (Star of Romania) since 2000

2002: Vice-President of the Executive Board of UNICEF

2004 – 2005: Vice-President of the UN Committee on Information

Since 1999: Member of the Atlantic Council of United States Senior Fellows Alumni Association

One policy paper (“Kosovo: Lessons Learnt”) published in the Millennium Review, vol. 5, Summer 2000, Bucharest.

Married, one daughter

Spouse: Cornelia Dragolea