

World Food Programme 2023 Executive Board Bureau President & List E Convenor

H.E. Mr. Artur Andrzej POLLOKAmbassador and Permanent Representative of the Republic of Poland



Born in Cracow, Poland

Education

- 1991–1996 MA, Cracow University of Economics, Faculty of Economics, major of studies: Finance and Banking, specialisation: Banking
- 2005 PhD in Economics, Cracow University of Economics, Faculty of Economics and International Relations (obtained with honors)
- 2005–2006 Postgraduate diploma, Tischner European University in Cracow, Faculty of Applied Social Sciences, major of studies: The Life and Thought of John Paul II

Prizes and awards

- 1991 First place in IV Economic Knowledge Contest (national level) award given by the Vice President of Council of Ministers and Minister of Finance of the Republic of Poland
- 2007 Bronze Cross of Merit awarded by the President of the Republic of Poland
- 2007 National Education Committee Medal granted by the Minister of National Education of the Republic of Poland
- 2011 Silver Cross of Merit awarded by the President of the Republic of Poland

Work experience

- 1991 Bank Pekao SA, Branch in Cracow, Department of Foreign Currency Accounts, trainee
- 1991–1993 Nicolaus Copernicus School of Economics No. 1 in Cracow, teacher
- 1994–1996 Educational Centre for Blind Children in Cracow, teacher
- 1995–2016 Cracow University of Economics, Faculty of Finance, Department of Economics, Assistant Professor
- since 2016 Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Poland, Permanent Representative of the Republic of Poland to the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations, to the World Food Programme and to the International Fund for Agricultural Development in Rome, Ambassador

Membership and duties in non-governmental organization (NGO)

- since 1996 ordinary member of the Polish Economic Society
- 1997–2005 member of the Presidium of the National Board of the Polish Economic Society in Warsaw and the secretary of the Branch Board of the Polish Economic Society in Cracow
- 2005–2015 Vice President of the Polish Economic Society in Warsaw and President of the Branch Board of the Polish Economic Society in Cracow
- 1995–2015 member, and since 2004 Vice President of the Central Committee of Economic Knowledge Contest of the National Board of the Polish Economic Society in Warsaw

<u>Publications and research projects</u>

- author, co-author and editor of more than 60 scientific and popular science
- publications, teaching materials and approx. 10 research projects, including projects commissioned by the Ministry of Privatization and the Ministry of the Treasury of the Republic of Poland

Languages: Polish, Italian, Russian, and English

Hobbies: literature, photography, sacred music and art