

## GIGI GIGIADZE



NAME, SURNAME: Gigi Gigiadze

DATE AND PLACE OF BIRTH: 11 April 1978, Tbilisi

LANGUAGES: English, German, Russian

EDUCATION: 2001 – Faculty of International Relations, Tbilisi Ivane Javakhishvili State University

### **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:**

Since December 1<sup>st</sup> 2016 – to date – Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of Georgia to the Kingdom of Denmark and the Republic of Iceland (with residence in Copenhagen);

2014 - 2016 – Deputy Foreign Minister, Chief Negotiator on the Visa Liberalization Action Plan (VLAP) with the European Union;

2012-2014 – Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary of Georgia to the Federal Republic of Germany;

2010-2012 – Director of the European Affairs Department;

2009-2010 – Deputy Director of the European Affairs Department;

2008-2009 – Head of the First European Division of the European Affairs Department;

2007-2008 – Counsellor of the European Affairs Department;

2006-2007 – Counsellor at the Embassy of Georgia to the Hellenic Republic and to the Republic of Croatia;

2003-2006 - Counsellor at the Embassy of Georgia to the Hellenic Republic;

2001-2003 – Counsellor at the First European Department;

2000-2001 – III Secretary at the First European Department;

June-September, 2000 – Attaché at the Foreign Policy Research and Analysis Centre;

On 17 of July 2017 Gigi Gigiadze was accorded the highest diplomatic rank of the Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary;