

# Representative Joanne OU

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#### **EDUCATION**

Master of Arts, Department of Political Science, Graduate School of Arts and Sciences, Columbia University, New York, USA

Bachelor of Arts, Department of Political Science, International Relations Division, National Taiwan University

National Admission Exams for Foreign Service, Taiwan (R.O.C.)

#### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2023.01 ~ present	Representative to New Zealand
2019.08 ~ 2023.01	MOFA Spokesperson & Director-General, Public Diplomacy Coordination Council, Ministry of Foreign Affairs
2017.10 ~ 2019.7	MOFA Deputy Spokesperson & Deputy Director-General, Public Diplomacy Coordination Council, Ministry of Foreign Affairs
2015.01 ~ 2017.10	Deputy Counselor and Director, United Nations Task Force, Taipei Economic and Cultural Office in New York
2011.07 ~ 2014.12	Director, United Nations Task Force, Taipei Economic and Cultural Office in New York
2008.12 ~ 2011.07	Section Chief to the Press, Public Diplomacy Coordination Council, Ministry of Foreign Affairs
2008.07 ~ 2008.12	Secretary on Home Assignment, Department of North American Affairs, Ministry of Foreign Affairs
2004.08 ~ 2008.07	Senior Consular Officer, United Nations Task Force, Taipei Economic and Cultural Office in New York
2001.08 ~ 2004.07	Consular Officer, United Nations Task Force, Taipei Economic and

#### Cultural Office in New York

1999.07 ~ 2001.08 Desk Officer, Ministry of Foreign Affairs

## OTHER PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2000-2018 English-Spanish-Mandarin interpreter, Ministry of Foreign Affairs

### LANGUAGES

Fluent in English, Spanish and Mandarin. Working level French.

# HOBBIES

Argentine tango, tennis, skiing, horseback riding, cooking.