

CURRICULUM VITAE DR. KIMMO KILJUNEN

Dr. Kimmo Roobert Kiljunen

Date of birth: 13.06.1951, Finland

Nationality: Finnish



PROFESSIONAL PROFILE

- Leading Finnish expert on international politics and development.
- Thirty years of experience in Finnish and European politics, international organizations (UN, OSCE, World Bank) and Academia.
- Has published nearly twenty books on political science, international politics, development economics and current affairs both in Finland and internationally.
- Dynamic and achieving personality with strong management and leadership qualities, and proven track record of international cooperation skills.

Degrees

- Adjunct Professor (Development Studies) in Helsinki University and Joensuu University 1986
- D.Phil. (Development Studies) Sussex University, England 1985
- M.Phil. (Development Studies) Sussex University, England 1977
- M.A. (Social Sciences) Helsinki University 1973

Languages

- Finnish (native language)
- English (working language)
- Russian
- Swedish
- French
- Spanish (currently studying)

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Key work experience

- Special Representative for Peace Mediation of the Foreign Minister of Finland, 2011-
- Member of Parliament, Finland, 1995-2011
- Member of the Constitutional Convention of the EU, 2002-03
- Director, Institute of Development Studies, Helsinki University, 1986-95
- Transition Policy Coordinator, UNDP, New York, 1993-94
- Consultant, UNICEF, Kenya Country Office, Nairobi, 1989-91
- Secretary General, International Peace Bureau and personal assistant to Nobel Laureate Sean MacBride, Geneva, 1984-85

Peace mediation and reconciliation activities

- Chair, Kyrgyzstan Inquiry Commission, 2010-11
- Conciliator, Court of Conciliation and Arbitration of the OSCE, 2007-
- Secretary General, Kampuchea Inquiry Commission, 1980-82

Other work experience

- Member, UNU/WIDER's Academic Advisory Council, 1993-96
- Research Fellow, Academy of Finland, 1981-85
- Researcher, Labour Institute for Economic Research, Helsinki, 1979-81

- British Council Fellowship, Institute of Development Studies Sussex University, Brighton 1975-78
- Liaison Officer, Finnish UN Association, 1974-75
- Study Programme Assistant, Institute of Development Studies, Helsinki University, 1972-73
- Research student, Scandinavian Institute of African Studies, Uppsala, summer 1973
- Research Assistant, Finnish Institute of International Affairs, summer 1971

Parliamentary functions

- Chair, TUTKAS, Parliamentary Society on Academia, 2007-11
- Member, Constitutional Law Committee, 2007-09
- Chair, WTO sub-committee, 2000-07
- Member, Defence Committee, 1999–2003
- Vice-chair, Grand Committee (European Affairs), 1999–2007
- Member, Future Committee, 1995-99
- Member, Foreign Affairs Committee, 1996-2011

International parliamentary functions

- Inter-Parliamentary Union, Finnish Group, member, 2007-11
- Euro-Mediterranean Parliamentary Assembly, member, 2004 – 2007
- Baltic Sea Parliamentary Conference, chair of the Finnish Group, 2003-05
- Parliamentary Network on World Bank, vice-chair, 2001-07
- WTO Parliamentary Conference, Steering Committee member, 2001-11
- Nordic Council Working Group on Civic Crisis Management, chair, 2001
- Arctic Council, Parliamentary Standing committee member, 1999-03
- Nordic Council, member 1995-2001
- Parliamentarians for Global Action, International Council member, 1995-99

OSCE Parliamentary Assembly activities

- Special Representative for Central Asia, 2007-11
- Vice-president, OSCE PA, 2001-04 and 2007-10
- Chair, Working Group on Moldova, 2000-06
- Member, Working Group on Belarus, 1998-2003
- Chair, Political and Security Committee, 1999-2000
- Vice-chair, Political and Security Committee, 1996-99
- Vice-chair, OSCE PA Finnish Delegation, 1995-2007

Election observation

- Special Representative on Election Observation of the OSCE CiO Lithuania, 2011
- Special Representative on Election Observation of the OSCE CiO Kazakhstan, 2010
- Special Representative on Election Observation of the OSCE CiO Greece, 2009
- Special Envoy on Elections of the OSCE CiO Finland, 2008
- Special Coordinator (Head) of OSCE Election Observation Mission in
 - Moldova 2001 and 2005
 - Belarus 2001
 - Macedonia 2002
 - Kyrgyzstan Feb. 2005, July 2005 and 2007
 - Tajikistan 2006

OTHER ACTIVITIES

Activities on international relations

- Member, Board of the Finnish Institute of International Affairs, 2011-
- Chair, SDP Working Group on European Affairs, 2005 –11
- Chair, Sports Development Aid, 2001-05
- Vice-chair, Carelia Foundation Administrative Board 2000-02
- Chair, SDP Working Group on Nearby regions, 1999-2005
- Chair, SDP Working Group on Migration Policy, 1997-99
- Chair, STETE, Finnish Committee for European Security, 1995-2003
- Chair, Finland-South Africa Association, 1995-97
- Expert member, State Committee for Sustainable Development, 1993-95

- Vice-chair, Finnish Red Cross, International Committee, 1992-93
- Member, State Preparatory Committee for UNCED, 1990-92
- Chair, Isolate South Africa Campaign in Finland, 1988 -89
- Member, State Committee on Environment and Development, 1987-89
- President, Finnish UN Association, 1987-91
- Member, State Advisory Board on Relations with Developing Countries, 1981-85 and 1995-99
- Expert Member, 1989-92
- Member, Finnish UN-delegation, 34th UN General Assembly, 1979

Local Government activities

- Vice-chair, Governing Council, Heureka, Finnish Science Center, 2009-
- Chair, Vantaa City Council, 2005-07
- Member, Helsinki Metropolitan Area Co-operation Assembly, 2005-07
- Chair, Migration Policy Committee, Vantaa, 2001-05
- Chair, SDP Vantaa, 1993-94
- Delegation Member, Heureka, Finnish Science Center, 1991-93 and 1998-2000
- City Counsellor, Vantaa, 1985-

Honours

- Liputusyhdistys Siniristi ry, "Vuoden liputtaja" –Award 2005
- President Urho Kekkonen Foundation, Literature Award 1992

Business sector activities

- Member of Fortum Supervisory Board, 2007-12
- Member, HOK-Elanto Representative Council, 2005-
- Vice-chair of HPY Holding Ltd Supervisory Board, 1999-2000
- Vice-chair of HPY Body of the Representatives, 1996-99
- Member, Elanto Representative Council, 1991-2005

PUBLICATIONS

Books published abroad

- *Gosudarstva i Flagi*, (States and Flags), Rosspen, Moscow 2008
- *Riigid ja Lipud*, (States and Flags), A ja O Taskutematik, Eesti Entsuklopeediakirjastus, Tallinna 2005
- *The European Constitution in the Making*, CEPS, Brussels, 2004
- *Statele Lumii Si Drapelele Nationale*, (World States and National Flags), Monitorul Oficial, Bucharest 2001
- *Finland and the New International Division of Labour*, Macmillan, London 1992
- *Region-to-Region Cooperation between Developed and Developing Countries*, (ed.), Avebury, Aldershot 1990
- *Kampuchea, Decade of the Genocide*, (ed.), Z-Press, London 1984
- *Namibia - the Last Colony*, (ed. with R.H.Green and M-L.Kiljunen), Longman, London 1981

Books published in Finland

- *Satakolmetoista viikkoa – politiikkaa siltä puolelta* (The 113 Weeks - Politics from that Side), Vantaa 2009
- *Globalisaatio ja demokratian itsepuolustus* (Globalisation and Self-defence of Democracy), Edita, Helsinki 2008
- *A Constitution for the European union*, Parliament of Finland, Helsinki 2005
- *EU:n perustuslaki – Suomalaisena konventissa*, (The Constitution of the EU, A Finn in the Convention) Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Europe-information, Helsinki 2004, revised 2005
- *Valtiot ja liput* (States and Flags), Otava MMM, Helsinki 2002
- *Minun mielestäni Tarja Halonen* (In my opinion Tarja Halonen), (ed.), Helsinki 2000
- *Maapallohaaste* (Global Challenge), (with S. Hassi and S. Pietikäinen), Otava 1999
- *Kansanedustajana Suomessa* (An MP in Finland), WSOY, Helsinki 1998
- *Maailman maat ja liput* (World States and Flags), Otava MMM, Helsinki 1995, revised 2000
- *Suomalaisena YK:ssa* (The Finns in the UN), (ed.), Gummerus, Helsinki 1994
- *Sinä ja maailman köyhät* (You and World Poverty), WSOY 1991
- *Musta-valkoinen Etelä-Afrikka* (Black and White South Africa), (ed. with S.Lehtonen), Kirjayhtymä, Helsinki

1990

- *Kolme maailmaa* (Three Worlds, textbook), University Press, Helsinki 1989
- *Industrialisation in Developing Countries and Trade-Related Constraints in Finland*, Labour Institute for Economic Research, Helsinki 1985
- *Kamputsea, Kansanmurhan vuosikymmen*, (Kampuchea, Decade of the Genocide), Tammi, Helsinki 1983
- *Namibia – viimeinen siirtomaa* (Namibia the Last Colony) (ed. with M-L. Kiljunen), Tammi, Helsinki 1980
- *80-luvun aluepolitiikan perusteet* (Premises for Regional Policy in 1980's), TTT, Helsinki 1979
- *Alikehityksen maailma* (The Underdeveloped World, textbook), Tammi, Helsinki 1976
- *Rotusorron kahleissa* (In the Chains of Racial Discrimination), (ed.), Joensuu 1975

Research Reports

- *The function of GSP-scheme in Finland*, Labour Institute for Economic Research, Research Report no. 18, Helsinki 1981.
- *Finnish Aid in Progress*, A Publication of Interkont no. 22, IDS, Helsinki University 1983.
- *Transnational Manufacturing Investment in Developing Countries*, IVO Consulting Engineers, Research Report no.2, Helsinki 1984.
- *Finland in the Changing International Division of Labour*, UNIDO Working Papers on Structural Change, UNIDO/IS.556, Vienna 1985.
- *Towards a Theory of International Division of Industrial Labour*, Department of Political Science, Series A, no. 69, Helsinki University 1985.
- *Changing Patterns in the International Division of Labour and the Implications for Finland*, Discussion Paper no. 231, IDS, Sussex University, Brighton 1987.
- *World Industrial Restructuring and North-South Cooperation* (ed. together with R.M.Avakov) IDS, Helsinki University, Report B 20, 1991.

Other major publications

- *North Sea Oil: The Application of Development Theories*, (with D.Seers and others), IDS Communication no. 121, Brighton 1977.
- *Regional Policy in Finland*, in Problems of Social and Industrial Integration of Less Developed Regions, OECD, Development Centre, Paris 1979.
- *New International Division of Labour and Adjustment Problems of a Peripheral Industrialised Economy*, Development and Change, 4/1980.
- *The Ideology of National Liberation*, Institute of Development Studies, Sussex University, Bulletin 4/1980.
- *New International Division of Labour*, The Finnish Economic Journal 1/1980.
- *The Tragedy of Kampuchea*, Disasters (The International Journal of Disaster Studies and Practice), 2/1983.
- *Changing Premises of Finnish Development Co-operation Policy*, Yearbook of Finnish Foreign Policy 1982.
- *Third World Industrialisation*, Yearbook of Finnish Economic Society 1982/83.
- *Comments on Regional Disparities in Yugoslavia*, in D.Seers and K.Öström (eds.), The Crisis of the European Regions, Macmillan, London 1983.
- *Kampuchea in the Seventies*, Current Research on Peace and Violence 2-3/1983.
- *Finland in the European Division of Labour*, in O.Höll (ed.), Small States in Europe and Dependence, Austrian Institute for International Affairs, LP 6, Dec. 1983.
- *Transnational Corporations and Third World Industrialisation*, Cooperation and Conflict 1/1984.
- *Finnish Development Cooperation: Policy and Performance*, in O.Stokke (ed.), European Development Assistance, Norwegian Institute of International Affairs, EADI Book Series no. 4, Tilburg 1984.
- *Power Politics and the Tragedy of Kampuchea During the Seventies*, Bulletin of Concerned Asian Scholars, 2/1985.
- *The international division of industrial labour and the core-periphery concept*, CEPAL Review no 30, Dec.1986.
- *Growth of third world forest industry: possible impact on Finland*, Silva Fennica 3/1986.
- *Nordic-SADCC cooperation*, Cooperation and Conflict 3/1987.
- *The World Bank and the world poverty*, IDS, Helsinki University, Occasional Papers no 2, 1988.
- *The Global Challenge*, Conference Minerva, The Finnish Federation of University Women, July 1989.
- *Toward a Theory of the International Division of Industrial Labour*, World Development 1/1989.
- *Bangladesh*, (together with O.D.Koth Norbye), Perspectives on multilateral assistance. A review by The Nordic UN Project 1990.
- *Political conditionalities: some Finnish observations*, Development Today 10/1992.- Development Success in the Semi-Periphery - The Case of Finland, Development & International Cooperation, June-Dec.1992.
- *World Economy and Developing Countries*, in K.Lankinen et.al., Health and Disease in Developing Countries, Macmillan, London 1994.

- *A New Security Policy, in Post-Cold War Europe*, Organizations in Search of New Roles, STETE, Helsinki 1995.
 - *Finland in the international division of labour*, in Mihály Simai, The Evolving New Global Environment for the Development Process, WIDER, United Nations University Press, 1995.
 - *The Case for Civillan Stand-by Forces*, OSCE review no 1/1996, the Finnish Committee for European Security.
 - *Chechnya's Peculiar Independence*, OSCE review no 1/1997, the Finnish Committee for European Security.
 - *Lowering Nato's Fences*, OSCE review no 2/1997, the Finnish Committee for European Security.
 - *Parliamentary Dimension of International Organizations*, The Panel of Eminent Persons on UN-Civil Society Relations, November 26, 2003.
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Dr. Kimmo Kiljunen
Special Representative for Peace Mediation
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Subject: Secretary General of the Inter-Parliamentary Union

Dear Sir/Madam,

Please accept my application for the post of Secretary General of the Inter-Parliamentary Union (IPU). I am aware of the demanding qualifications of the job and its challenging diplomatic and multicultural working context. To support my application I present the following:

1. I served as a Member of the Finnish Parliament for 16 years (1995-2011). From my career in politics I have learned how to be clear in terms of goals, but also how to facilitate and make compromises and to create a confidential working environment. I am currently working as a Special Representative for Peace Mediation of the Foreign Minister of Finland. In this role I am working in very complex international situations, I have to communicate with both top political leaders and resolute extremists and to facilitate challenging negotiations.
2. In Parliament my political work focused on international relations, European integration and constitutional issues. Questions related to democratic principles, gender equality, rule of law and conflict resolution as well as how to increase the role of parliaments in global politics have been in the forefront of my international works.
3. For the full tenure of my Parliamentary career I was a member of the Foreign Affairs Committee and of the Grand Committee (i.e. the European Affairs Committee), serving as its Vice-Chair for eight years. I have been also a member of the Constitutional Law Committee. I represented Finland in the Convention, which drafted the EU Constitution (the Lisbon Treaty), and I wrote a book *The European Constitution in the Making*, published in Brussels by the CEPS in 2004.

4. I have been strongly involved in international parliamentary cooperation. I was a member of the Finnish Group of the IPU. I was the member of the Steering Committee of WTO Parliamentary Conference, 2001-11, which is chaired jointly by the IPU and the European Parliament. Furthermore, I served as the vice-chair of the Parliamentary Network on World Bank for seven years in 2001-07. I have also been an International Council member of the Parliamentarians for Global Actions. Within the IPU I was active in advancing the parliamentary dimension of the UN. Based on these experiences I wrote a report *Parliamentary Dimension of International Organizations* for the Panel of Eminent Persons on UN-Civil Society Relations, 2003.
5. I have been a member of the OSCE Parliamentary Assembly for sixteen years and the Assembly's Vice-President for six years. For a long time I chaired the Working Group on Moldova, and for the last six years I was the Special Representative of the OSCE PA for Central Asia. In this role, I was tasked to head the Kyrgyzstan Inquiry Commission, which investigated the tragic events of June 2010 in Southern Kyrgyzstan. The Commission was supported by several Governments and International Organizations. Its report was well received by the international community including the UN and the EU.
6. I do have particular competence in Election Observation. I have headed eight OSCE Election Observation Missions in different Eastern European and Central Asian countries. For four years I served as the Special Representative of the OSCE Chairman in Office for Election related issues, and thus, I reported to the Foreign Ministers of Finland in 2008, Greece in 2009, Kazakhstan in 2010 and Lithuania in 2011, about election observation processes in different OSCE member States.
7. Strong management and leadership qualities were requested for heading the OSCE Election Observation Missions. Before my political career, I worked in the Academia and served for ten years as the Director for the Institute of Development Studies at Helsinki University. In this job as well as in being Secretary General of International Peace Bureau, Geneva 1984-85 and Secretary General of Kampuchea Inquiry Commission 1980-82, I got valuable management experience.

8. I have written twenty books on international politics, political science and current affairs, of which several have been published internationally. I have also worked for two years 1989-91 as a Consultant with UNICEF in Nairobi, Kenya, and as the Transition Policy Coordinator for UNDP in New York 1993-94. My main assignment with the UNDP was to organize the preparations of the individual National Human Development Reports of the former Soviet Union and the transition countries of Eastern Europe.
9. I got my Doctoral Degree in political science from Sussex University, UK, and received a Master's Degree from the University of Helsinki. I speak fluent English, Russian and Swedish, as well as French, and I am currently studying Spanish.

Please find my CV attached for further reference and details.

Helsinki 22.8.2013

Kimmo Kiljunen