

Miranda Brown

Miranda Brown is a former Australian Government official who joined the Australian Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade in 2001 and occupied a number of positions in the Department before being appointed as the Deputy Permanent Representative at the Australian Mission to the United Nations in Geneva, in January 2008.

As the Australian Deputy Permanent Representative in Geneva, she worked closely with Mr. Francis Gurry, the current Director General of WIPO. She worked in support of his election campaign for Director General, from her arrival in Geneva in January 2008 until his election as Director General by the WIPO Coordination Committee in May 2008 and the subsequent confirmation by the WIPO General Assemblies in September 2008.

She later joined WIPO as the Strategic Adviser to the Director General of WIPO in July 2011, on leave of absence from the Australian Government and occupied this position until November 2012.

She holds a Ph.D. in Science and a Masters of International Law.