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BIOGRAPHY OF AMBASSADOR YOUSSEF AMRANI, SECRETARY GENERAL OF THE SECRETARIAT OF THE UNION FOR THE MEDITERRANEAN

Place and date of birth: Tangier (Morocco), 1953

Professional Experience:

- **Secretary General**
Secretary General of the Secretariat of the Union for the Mediterranean (from July 2011)
- **Secretary General**
Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Cooperation of the Kingdom of Morocco
(November 2008 – June 2011)
- **Ambassador, Director General of Bilateral Affairs**
Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Cooperation of the Kingdom of Morocco
(October 2003 – October 2008)
- **Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of His Majesty of Morocco**
Ambassador to Mexico, Guatemala, El Salvador, Honduras, Costa Rica, Nicaragua, Belize, Chile, Colombia, Equator and Panama (in different periods between December 1996 – October 2003)
- **Consul General**
Consul General of the Kingdom of Morocco to Barcelona (September 1992 – November 1996)
- **Counsellor**
Counsellor of the Minister of Energy and Mines of the Kingdom of Morocco
(August 1990 – August 1992)
- **Chief of Staff**
State Secretariat in charge of the Maghreb Arab Union Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Cooperation of the Kingdom of Morocco (April 1989 – July 1990)
- International Expert at the Islamic Centre for Development and Commerce
(March 1984 – April 1989)
- Member of the Cabinet of the Minister for Foreign Affairs and Cooperation of the Kingdom of Morocco (November 1981 – March 1984)
- Member of the Cabinet of the State Secretary for Foreign Affairs and Cooperation of the Kingdom of Morocco (November 1979 – November 1981)
- Secretary of Foreign Affairs (September 1978 – October 1979)