

Dr. Joe Borg

Personal Details

- Nationality: Maltese
- Born 19 March 1952 in Malta
- Married with 2 children

Political and Administrative activities

- **1999 - 2004**
Minister of Foreign Affairs
Chairman of the Committee of Ministers of the Council of Europe (Nov. 2002 – May 2003)
Member of the Commonwealth Ministerial Action Group (Mar. 2002 – 2004)
- **1998 - 1999**
Parliamentary Secretary within the Ministry of Foreign Affairs
Member, Foreign Affairs Committee of the House of Representatives
First Vice-Chairman, EU - Malta Joint Parliamentary Committee
- **1997**
International Secretary, Nationalist Party
- **1996 - 1998**
Shadow Minister responsible for Industry and for the Impact of EU Policies
Member, Foreign Affairs Committee of the House of Representatives
Member, EU - Malta Joint Parliamentary Committee
- **1995 - 2004**
Member of the House of Representatives (Nationalist Party)
- **1992 - 1995**
Director, Board of Directors, Central Bank of Malta
- **1989 - 1992**
Member, Board of Governors, Malta International Business Authority
- **1990**
Drew up "Report Regarding Malta's Membership of the European Community"
- **1989 - 1995**
Established the Directorate for EU Matters within the Ministry of Foreign Affairs

Education and Legal activities

- **1995**
Main author and drafter of the Companies Act, 1995

- **1987-1988**
University College of Wales: Graduated with a Master's Degree in European Law - Thesis "Company Law Harmonization in the EEC - suggested changes in Maltese Law"
- **1980**
Manchester University Business School: International Teachers Programme
- **1988 - 2004**
Senior lecturer at the University of Malta in Company Law, Industrial Law and European Law, University of Malta and lecturer at the Malta Institute of Accountants and Institute of Bankers
- **1979 - 1988**
Lecturer at the University of Malta
- **1976 - 1988**
Legal adviser to companies and corporate bodies in Malta and abroad
- **1975**
Doctor of Laws (LL.D) from the University of Malta
- **1974**
Diploma of Notary Public from the University of Malta