

# Margareta Wahlström

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Margareta Wahlström has a career spanning of more than 30 years in international disaster response and humanitarian work, during which she has held wide range of posts in the humanitarian and international sphere and has either worked in or undertaken missions to more than 100 countries, including many across the Middle East and North Africa, Southeast Asia, Southern Africa and Latin America. Her latest appointment as the UN Assistant Secretary-General for Disaster Risk

Reduction also carried responsibility direct to the UN Secretary-General for the implementation of the Hyogo Framework for Action. Ms Wahlström was educated in economic history, political science, social anthropology, archaeology and philosophy of science. She was a member of IRGC's Foundation Board until June 2017.