

## Wegger Chr. Strømme

### Norwegian Ambassador to the United Kingdom

Born 14. June 1959 in Larvik, Norway

Married to Reverend Doctor Cecilie Jørgensen Strømme.

Two daughters.



H.E. Wegger Chr. Strømme took up the post as Norwegian Ambassador to the United Kingdom in January 2019. Before London, H.E. Strømme held the position of Secretary General in the Norwegian Foreign Ministry. He was also previously ambassador to the United States of America (2007-2013). From 2005 to 2007 he was Ambassador/Permanent Representative to the United Nations and other international organizations in Genève. He was the Deputy Permanent Representative to the United Nations in New York (2000-2005).

1984	Graduated from Oslo University, School of Law
1984 - 1986	Royal Norwegian Ministry of Foreign Affairs (MFA), Legal department
1985	MFA, Admitted to the Norwegian Diplomatic Services
1986 – 1987	Heggen & Frøland District Court, District Court Judge/Magistrate
1987 - 1988	MFA, Foreign Service Trainee
1988 – 1991	Tel Aviv, Royal Norwegian Embassy, Second Secretary
1991 - 1993	Geneva, Permanent Mission of Norway to the UN, First Secretary
1993 - 1995	Geneva/Brussels/Zagreb, International Conference for the Former Yugoslavia, Legal Adviser
1995 - 1996	MFA, Legal Department, Head of Section
1996 – 1998	Wiersholm, Oslo based law firm, Partner
1998	MFA, Special Adviser to the Foreign Minister
1998 – 2000	MFA, State Secretary (Deputy Foreign Minister)
2000 -	London, International Institute for Strategic Studies, Visiting Fellow
2000 – 2005	New York, Permanent Mission of Norway to the UN, including the Security Council, Deputy Permanent Representative
2005 – 2007	Geneva, Permanent Mission of Norway to the UN and other organisations, Ambassador
2007 – 2013	Washington DC, Royal Norwegian Embassy, Ambassador
2013 – 2014	MFA, Political Director
2014 – 2019	MFA, Secretary General
2019 – present day	London, Royal Norwegian Embassy, Ambassador