

**RUTH E. HANSEN**

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Born and raised in Chicago, IL area	
Wheaton College; Georgetown University	
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USAID Congressional liaison	
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State Department; FSI, Economic Training	1980
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State Department, Benelux Desk Officer	1983-1985
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National War College; student	1997-1998
State Department; Dep. Director, Peacekeeping And Humanitarian Affairs Iraq: Oil for Food UN Peacekeeping Missions Macedonia Iraq Sanctions Rebuilding Iraq	1998-2000
State Department; Bureau of International Narcotics And Law Enforcement Programs	2000-2002

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State Department; Office of Coordination for US Assistance to Europe & Eurasia 2002-2004

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