



BIO

AMB. MAURICE MAKOLOO

Amb. Maurice Makoloo is the Ambassador of Kenya to Austria and Permanent Representative to the UNOV. Previously, Ambassador Makoloo chaired the Africa Group of Ambassadors, from August 2024 till 23rd January, 2025. Effective 4th February, 2025, Ambassador Makoloo has assumed the Chairmanship of the G-77 Vienna Chapter.

Prior to his appointment as Ambassador, he served as the Vice President for the Africa Area Office- Habitat for Humanity International. He joined Habitat on 1st February 2021 with over 20 years' experience as a strategic global nonprofit executive leader who had developed and led successful organizations in Africa.

As Africa Area Vice President, Amb. Makoloo led the development and execution of a regional strategy to support the Habitat's Global Impact 2025

(GI-25) goal of tripling Habitat's impact. He also provided representation with key donor, government, and development partners in Africa.

For nine years prior to Habitat for Humanity International, he served as the East Africa Regional Director for the Ford Foundation.

Amb. Maurice holds Bachelors and Master's degrees in law from the University of Nairobi. He is a PhD candidate at the University of the Witwatersrand, South Africa. He is also a certified Leadership Coach (Georgetown University, USA).

Amb. Makoloo also served in several boards including the International Board of the Voluntary Services Overseas (VSO)- London; the MicroBuild Fund Board (Atlanta-USA); the University of Nairobi Foundation; PS Kenya; Habitat for Humanity Boards in Kenya, Zambia, Malawi and South Africa respectively among others.