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Mr Mikko Koivumaa has served as the Director General of Communications at the Ministry for Foreign Affairs of Finland since October 2021.

As Director General of Communications, he leads the Communications Department of the Ministry, responsible for matters relating to external and internal communications of the Foreign Service, strategic communications, public diplomacy and the steering and support of the missions' communications and public diplomacy. He also serves as the Chair for Finland Promotion Board and the Chair of the Board of Finland–America Educational Trust Fund.

Prior to assuming his current position Mr Koivumaa has served as Director of Communications at the Ministry of Economic Affairs and Employment (2017-2021), Head of Communications at Finn Church Aid (2015-2017) and Counsellor, Press&Culture at the Finnish Embassy in Tokyo (2010-2015).

Mr Koivumaa holds a Bachelor and Master of Arts degrees in Japanese Studies as well as a Bachelor of Social Sciences degree in Political History from the University of Helsinki. He is married with three children. In his free time he enjoys team sports and playing electric bass.

