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*Curriculum Vitae of M. Ann Tutwiler*

## Curriculum Vitae

### M. ANN TUTWILER

**U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, Coordinator, Global Food Security, Office of the Secretary. (January 2010-present)** Established department-wide strategy and structure for global food security. Coordinate USDA's policy positions on global food security. Lead and coordinate USDA's participation in the President's Feed the Future initiative. Lead and coordinate USDA's engagement with State, USAID and Treasury on global food security issues. Advise interagency working group on strategic plan, private sector engagement, stakeholder outreach, and research strategy. Previously, Senior Advisor, International Affairs, Office of the Undersecretary for Research, Education and Economics. (June 2009-December 2009). In addition to the responsibilities above, led mission-wide working group to develop global food security research strategy.

**U.S. AGENCY FOR INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT, Senior Advisor, International Affairs, Africa Bureau. (February-June 2009).** Authored strategic paper for Africa Bureau on trade and development; authored policy papers on development corridors and regional trade and integration in Africa; recommended reforms in USAID programs supporting the African Growth and Opportunity Act and improvements to U.S. duty free-quota free programs.

**THE WILLIAM AND FLORA HEWLETT FOUNDATION, Managing Director, Agricultural Markets, Global Development Program (2006-2009).** Built trade and development initiative within the Global Development Program with focus on agriculture. Developed and implemented strategic plan. Managed \$18 million portfolio of policy research and advocacy grants in the United States, European Union, South America and Africa. Initiated the African Development Corridors Platform to enable African farmers and small agribusiness firms to benefit from on-going investments in transport corridors.

**INTERNATIONAL FOOD & AGRICULTURAL TRADE POLICY COUNCIL, Chief Executive (2002-2006).** Developed and implemented Council agenda to influence global debate on international trade negotiations; trade capacity building; poverty alleviation and trade; rural development; and the agricultural value chain. Authored articles, policy papers and editorials advocating views of international farm and agribusiness leaders. Directed global fundraising, public relations and publications programs.

**ERIDANIA BEGHIN SAY AMERICA. Director, International Government Affairs (1992-2002).** Established federal government relations office for Fortune 500 agribusiness company. Co-founded two coalitions which led to US farm policy reform and corrections' day legislation to reduce cost of handling edible oils. Established and led Agriculture Biotechnology Forum as principle industry contact for U.S. government. Represented companies' on school lunch, health claims, environment, bioenergy and electricity issues before federal agencies, Congress and trade associations.

**INTERNATIONAL POLICY COUNCIL ON AGRICULTURE, FOOD AND TRADE. Co-Founder and Associate Director (1988-1991).** Co-founded international organization comprised of agribusiness executives, international farm leaders, agricultural

ministers and academics. In conjunction with Executive Director, developed and executed international policy program, raised funds from government, corporations and foundations; directed major conferences and study groups of international agricultural leaders. Edited *New Food Systems in Central and Eastern Europe and Attaining Global Food Security by 2025*.

**RESOURCES FOR THE FUTURE. Policy Associate, National Centre for Food and Agricultural Policy (1986-1990).** Authored papers on agricultural trade policy issues and the relationship between agricultural trade, international finance and international development. Edited *US Agriculture in a Global Setting*.

**U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, Economic Research Service. Policy Analyst, Presidential Management Intern (1985-1986).** Analyzed agricultural and trade policy issues for Division Director's staff economist team.

**GROUP OF THIRTY. Publications Editor (1981-83).** Researched and edited monographs on the international debt crisis and international finance for multinational council of central bankers, commercial bank presidents, finance ministers and leading academics.

## **EDUCATION**

INSEAD (Institut européen d'administration des affaires), Certificate in International Operations Management, Eridania Beghin Say, June 2000.

PURDUE UNIVERSITY. Center for Agribusiness, Central Soya University, 1997-98.

HARVARD BUSINESS SCHOOL. Agribusiness Executive Education Program, 1997.

HARVARD UNIVERSITY. Kennedy School of Government. Masters in Public Policy, 1985.

DAVIDSON COLLEGE. Bachelor of Arts, Cum Laude, 1980. Phi Beta Kappa, Omicron Delta Kappa.

## **NATIONALITY**

American

## **LANGUAGES**

English, Spanish

## **ADDITIONAL EXPERIENCE**

Member, International Food and Agricultural Trade Policy Council (2007-2009)

Board Member, Partnership to Cut Hunger and Poverty in Africa (2007-2009)

Board Member, International Fertilizer Development Council (2005-2009)

Member, Chicago Council of Foreign Relations, Farm Policy Task Force (2006)

Recipient, John W. Kuykendall Award for Community Service, Davidson College (2005)

Member, Advisory Council, Dean Rusk International Studies Program (2004-2009)

Member, Farm Policy Task Force, Soil and Water Conservation Society (2000-2001)  
Member, Agricultural Trade Advisory Committee, USDAIUSTR (1996-2002)  
Trustee, National Center for Food and Agricultural Policy (1999-2004)  
Chairman, Agricultural Biotechnology Forum (1998-1999)  
Member, Keystone Center's National Policy Dialogue on Trends in Agriculture (1997-1998)  
Member, Task Force on International Trade and Development, NCFAP (1996)  
Chairman, Washington Agricultural Roundtable (1996-97)  
Co-Founder, Coalition for a Competitive Food and Agricultural System (1994-2000)  
European Community Fellow (1993)  
Summer Associate, World Bank (1983), United Nations (1978)  
Headmistress and Teacher, Kimobo Friends Secondary School, Kimilili Kenya (1980-1981).