

MR. ROBIN VINCENT

Registrar, Special Tribunal for Lebanon

Mr. Vincent is currently serving as the Registrar of the Special Tribunal for Lebanon. Since 2006, he has worked as a consultant on criminal and transitional justice issues, both for the United Nations and for the ICTJ. Mr. Vincent's work in the field of international criminal justice has included serving temporarily as Deputy Registrar of the International Criminal Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia, advising on the establishment of the Extraordinary Chambers in the Courts of Cambodia, providing advice to the US Regime Crimes Liaison Office on the functioning of the Iraqi High Tribunal, and advising the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda on issues of operational efficiency. In 2002, Mr. Vincent was appointed Registrar of the Special Court for Sierra Leone, where he was responsible for all aspects of the Court's administration from its establishment until his departure in 2005. Between 2000 and 2002, Mr. Vincent provided training in court administration for the Russian Judicial Department in Moscow and southern Russia on behalf of the British Council and the UK Department for International Development and was Project Manager for the United Kingdom's bid for a European Twinning Project in Slovakia.

Mr. Vincent began his career as a court administrator in the United Kingdom, in the Worcester County and Crown Courts, Worcester County Magistrate's Court and in the Crown Court at Manchester. He later worked in the Lord Chancellor's Department Headquarters, as Head of the Court Service Development, Personnel and Judicial Appointments Divisions, respectively. Later, Mr. Vincent served as a member of the Court Service Board for England and Wales in his capacity as Regional Director for the North West of England.

Mr. Vincent was invested as a Commander of the British Empire and a Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of St. Michael and St. George by HM Queen Elizabeth II in 2001 and 2006, respectively. He has also been bestowed with an honorary degree for

services to national and international justice by the University of Worcester, and is an honorary member of the Northern Circuit Bar.