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Departments<sup>1</sup>

## Portfolio Responsibilities of the Barroso Commission

Responsibilities

José Manuel BARROSO	
President	
Responsible for:	
<ul> <li>Political guidance of the Commission</li> <li>Organisation of the Commission in order to ensure that it acts consistently, efficiently and on the basis of collegiality</li> <li>Allocation of responsibilities</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Secretariat General</li> <li>Legal Service</li> <li>Spokesperson</li> <li>Group of Policy Advisers (GOPA)</li> </ul>
Chair of Group of Commissioners on Lisbon Strategy	
Chair of Group of Commissioners for External Relations	
Margot WALLSTRÖM	
Vice President	
Commissioner for Institutional Relations and Communication Strategy	
Responsible for:	Press and Communication DG including Representations in the Member States
- Relations with the European Parliament	
- Relations with the Council and representation of the Commission, under the authority of the President, in the General Affairs Council	
- Contacts with National Parliaments	
- Relations with the Committee of the Regions, the Economic and Social Committee, and the Ombudsman	
- Replacing the President when absent	
- Coordination of press and communication strategy	
Chair of Group of Commissioners for Communications and Programming	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> This list of department responsibilities is indicative and may be subject to adjustments at a later stage

Günter VERHEUGEN	
Vice President	
Commissioner for Enterprise and Industry	
<ul> <li>Responsible for:</li> <li>Enterprise and industry</li> <li>Coordination of Commission's role in the Competitiveness Council</li> <li>Chair of Group of Commissioners for the Competitiveness Council</li> <li>Vice Chair of Group of Commissioners on Lisbon Strategy</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>DG Enterprise and Industry (renamed), adding:         <ul> <li>Space (from DG RTD)</li> <li>Security-related research (from DG INFSO/RTD)</li> <li>Application of treaty rules on free movement of goods (from DG MARKT)</li> </ul> </li> <li>Agencies:         <ul> <li>EMEA (European Agency for the Evaluation of Medicinal Products)</li> <li>ECA (European Chemicals Agency)</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
Jacques BARROT Vice President Commissioner for Transport Responsible for: - Transport	<ul> <li>Transport activities in the Transport and Energy DG</li> <li>Agencies: <ul> <li>EMSA (European Maritime Safety Agency)</li> <li>EASA (European Aviation Safety Agency)</li> <li>ERA (European Railway Agency)</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
Siim KALLAS	
Vice President Commissioner for Administrative Affairs, Audit and Anti-Fraud Responsible for: - Consolidation of Administrative Reform - Personnel and Administration - Budgetary discharge - Internal Audit - Fight against Fraud - Security	<ul> <li>Personnel and Administration DG</li> <li>Internal Audit Service</li> <li>European Anti-Fraud Office (OLAF)</li> <li>Informatics DG</li> <li>Office for Administration and Payment of individual entitlements</li> <li>Offices for Infrastructures and Logistics</li> <li>Relations with the Inter-institutional</li> </ul>
Chair of the Audit Progress Committee	European Personnel Selection Office

Rocco BUTTIGLIONE	
Vice President	- Justice, Freedom and Security DG
Commissioner for Justice, Freedom	(renamed)
and Security	<ul> <li>Agencies:</li> <li>EMCDDA (European Monitoring)</li> </ul>
Responsible for:	Centre for Drugs and Drug
- Justice and Home Affairs	Addiction)
	<ul> <li>EUMC (European Monitoring Centre on Racism and Xenophobia) – will be combined with Fundamental Rights</li> <li>Border Control (European Agency</li> </ul>
	for the Management of Operational Cooperation at the External Borders)
Viviane REDING	
Commissioner for Information Society and Media	- Information Society DG adding:
Responsible for:	- Audiovisual policy and Media
- Information Society	programme Units from DG EAC - Agencies:
<ul> <li>Audiovisual Policy</li> <li>Coordination of Media Affairs</li> </ul>	- ENISA (European Network and
	Information Security Agency)
Stavros DIMAS	
Commissioner for Environment	
Responsible for:	- Environment DG Agencies:
- Environment	- EEA (European Environment Agency)
Joaquin ALMUNIA	
Commissioner for Economic and Monetary Affairs	
Responsible for:	- Economic and Financial Affairs DG
<ul> <li>Economic and Financial Affairs</li> <li>Monetary matters</li> <li>Statistical Office</li> </ul>	- Statistical Office
Danuta HÜBNER	
Commissioner for Regional Policy	
Responsible for:	Regional Policy DG
- Regional Policy	
<ul><li>Cohesion Fund</li><li>Solidarity Fund</li></ul>	

Joe BORG	
Commissioner for Fisheries and Maritime Affairs Responsible for: - Fisheries - Coordination of maritime affairs Chair of Commission Taskforce to develop a Green Paper on maritime Policy	<ul> <li>Fisheries and Maritime Affairs DG (renamed) adding:</li> <li>Transfer of responsibility for law of the sea from RELEX</li> <li>Agencies: <ul> <li>CFCA (Community Fisheries Control Agency)</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
Dalia GRYBAUSKAITE	
CommissionerforFinancialProgramming and BudgetResponsible for:-Financial Programming-Budget	- Budget DG
Janez POTOČNIK	
CommissionerforScienceandResearchResponsible for:	
<ul> <li>Science, Research and Development</li> <li>Joint Research Centre</li> <li>Ján FIGEL</li> </ul>	- Research DG - JRC
Commissioner for Education, Training, Culture, and Multilinguism	
<ul> <li>Responsible for:</li> <li>Education and Training</li> <li>Youth, Sport, Civil Society</li> <li>Culture</li> <li>Translation and Interpretation</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Education and Culture DG</li> <li>Interpretation DG(SCIC)</li> <li>Translation DG</li> <li>Relations with Inter-institutional Publications Office (OPOCE)</li> <li>Agencies: <ul> <li>CEDEFOP (European Centre for the Development of Vocational Training)</li> <li>ETF (European Training Foundation)</li> <li>CdT (Translation Centre for the Bodies of the European Union)</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

Markos KYPRIANOU	
CommissionerforHealthandConsumers ProtectionResponsible for:-Public Health-Consumers Affairs	<ul> <li>Health and Consumer Protection DG</li> <li>Agencies: <ul> <li>CPVO (Community Plant Variety Office)</li> <li>ECDC (European Centre for Disease Prevention and Control)</li> <li>EFSA (European Food Safety Authority)</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
Olli REHN	
Commissioner for Enlargement Responsible for: - Candidate countries (Rumania, Bulgaria, Croatia, Turkey) - Western Balkans	<ul> <li>Enlargement DG adding</li> <li>Western Balkans Directorate from RELEX DG</li> <li>Agencies:         <ul> <li>EAR (European Agency for Reconstruction)</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
Louis MICHEL	
Commissioner for Development and Humanitarian Aid	
Responsible for: <ul> <li>Development Aid and Cooperation</li> <li>Humanitarian Aid</li> </ul> László KOVÁCS	<ul> <li>Development DG</li> <li>Humanitarian Aid Office (ECHO)</li> </ul>
Commissioner for Energy	
Responsible for: - Energy policy - Nuclear Safety and Security	<ul> <li>Energy activities in the Transport and Energy DG</li> </ul>
Neelie KROES-SMIT	
Commissioner for Competition	
Responsible for:	- Competition DG
Competition	
Mariann FISCHER BOEL	
Commissioner for Agriculture and Rural Development	
Responsible for:	- Agriculture and Rural Development
<ul><li>Agriculture</li><li>Rural Development</li></ul>	DG (renamed)

Benita FERRERO-WALDNER	
Commissioner for External Relations and European Neighbourhood Policy	
<ul> <li>Responsible for:</li> <li>External Relations</li> <li>Common Foreign and Security Policy</li> <li>European Neighbourhood Policy</li> <li>Delegations in non-member countries</li> <li>Vice-Chair of Group of Commissioners for External Relations</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>External Relations DG</li> <li>EuropeAid – Cooperation Office</li> </ul>
Charlie McCREEVY	
Commissioner for Internal Market and Services Responsible for: - Internal Market - Financial Services	<ul> <li>Internal Market and services DG (renamed)adding:</li> <li>Free movement of capital from ECFIN DG</li> <li>Responsibility for business related services and management of notifications by MS of draft rules on services from ENTR DG</li> <li>Agencies:         <ul> <li>OHIM (Office for the Harmonisation of the Internal Market – Trade Marks and designs)</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
Vladimir SPIDLA	
CommissionerforEmployment,SocialAffairsandEqualOpportunitiesResponsible for:-Employment-Social Affairs-Equal OpportunitiesChair of Group of Commissioners forEqual Opportunities	<ul> <li>Employment Social Affairs and Equal Opportunities DG (renamed)</li> <li>Agencies:         <ul> <li>EUROFOUND (European Foundation for the Improvement of Living and Working Conditions)</li> <li>EU-OSHA (European Agency for Safety and Health at Work)</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
Peter MANDELSON	
Commissioner for Trade	
<ul> <li>Responsible for:</li> <li>Trade Policy</li> <li>International dimension of competitiveness</li> <li>Member of the Group of Commissioners for the Competitiveness Council</li> </ul>	- Trade DG

Ingrida UDRE Commissioner Customs Union	for	Taxation	and	
Responsible for:				- Taxation and Customs Union DG
- Customs - Taxation			-	