



Great Supreme Patriarch Tep Vong, who was a high-ranking official in the People's Republic of Kampuchea regime and is now Cambodia's highest ranking monk.
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John Evans was confirmed by the Senate on June 25, 2004 and was sworn in as the U.S. Ambassador to Armenia on August 11, 2004. He presented his credentials to President Kocharian on September 4, 2004, and served for two years in Armenia, but then departed on September 10, 2006, in the wake of differences with the Administration over the issue of the Armenian Genocide. In the first part of his career, he served in Tehran (1972-74), in Prague (1975-78), in the Executive Secretariat and Office of the Secretary of State (1978-80), in Moscow (1981-83), at the U.S. Mission to NATO (1983-86), and as Deputy Director of the Soviet Desk (1986-89). Mr. Evans went on to serve as Deputy Chief of Mission in Prague (1991-94), as Consul General in St. Petersburg (1994-97), and as leader of the OSCE Mission to Moldova (1997-99). On his return to Washington in 1999, Mr. Evans assumed direction of the State Department's Office of Analysis for Russia and Eurasia, winning a Meritorious Honor Award and the CIA Director's Exceptional Performance Award. From May 2002 until his appointment to Yerevan, he directed the Office of Russian Affairs.

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