

**HE MR STANISLAS KAMANZI**

Minister of Natural Resources, Rwanda

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Ambassador Stanislas Kamanzi is currently Minister of Environment and Lands the Republic of Rwanda.



He has a Master's degree in Environment and Development, from the University of Natal/South Africa with specialization in Geographical Information Systems and Water Resources Management.

From April 1988 to February 1992, Mr Kamanzi was a civil servant in territorial administration (former Commune Gituza's Assistant Mayor in charge of Economic and Technical Affairs). From February 1992 to June 1993, he was a Member of the staff in charge of Documentation, Research and Evaluation at Inades Formation Rwanda. From June 1993 to April 1994, he served as Sous-Préfet of the Kinyihira Sous-Préfecture (Byumba Demilitarized Zone). From December 1994 to January 1998, he was Assistant Lecturer at the National University of Rwanda's Department of Geography, and then became a Junior Lecturer was with them till November 2002.

Mr Kamanzi was appointed Ambassador of the Republic of Rwanda to France in September 1999. In November 2002, he became Ambassador and Permanent Representative of Rwanda to United Nations. He was appointed Minister of Infrastructure in March 2006, and then became Minister of Natural Resources in March 2008.