

## Short biography of Vasil Kirov

Vasil Kirov joined the European Anti-Fraud Office in 2010 as Head of Unit investigating allegations of fraud and irregularities in the field of the EU Development Cooperation, Humanitarian Aid and Foreign Policy Instruments. He is currently Head of Unit investigating allegations of fraud and irregularities in the field of Research and Innovation, Internal Security, Border Controls and Migration. Previously Vasil Kirov served as Director of the Bulgarian Financial Intelligence Agency, Director at the Bulgarian State Agency for National Security and Associate Professor at the Law Faculty of the Sofia University St Kliment Ohridski. For several years, he served as Chairperson of the Council of Europe's Anti-Money laundering watchdog MONEYVAL.

Vasil Kirov is PhD in Laws. He graduated the Law Faculty of the Sofia University St Kliment Ohridski in 1987 with honours.

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