

Heorhii Tykhyi

Spokesperson of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Ukraine

Biography

Born on June 7, 1989 in the city of Kyiv.

Studied at Kyiv Lyceum №38 named after Molchanov. In 2006, he entered the Faculty of Social Sciences and Social Technologies at the National University of Kyiv-Mohyla Academy.

In 2010, he received a bachelor's degree, and in 2012, a master's degree in political science. From 2012 to 2015, he was a postgraduate student at the National University of Kyiv-Mohyla Academy. His research interests included the metaphors of political discourse, cognitive linguistics, and the memory policies in Ukraine.

Professional activity

Since 2008, he has worked in the media: as an editor and reporter on Savik Shuster's programs (2008-2013), as a freelance producer of the first German TV channel ARD in Ukraine (2014-2018), and as a correspondent for the National News Agency Ukrinform (2018-2019).

In 2014, he covered the events of the Revolution of Dignity and the beginning of Russian aggression in the east of Ukraine for German television. In August 2014, together with his colleague Ivan Lyubysh-Kirdey, he was surrounded in Ilovaik, where he made a documentary about the heroic Ukrainian volunteer fighters in the besieged city.

In 2018, he established the Ukrinform bureau in New York, USA.

In 2019, he began working in government communications: as press secretary to the Deputy Prime Minister for European and Euro-Atlantic Integration (October 2019-March 2020), and later as a communications adviser to the Minister of Foreign Affairs of Ukraine Dmytro Kuleba (March 2020-July 2024).

In July 2024, he was appointed Spokesperson of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Ukraine.