

Kwan Sai Kheong

1975 - 1980



Education

- Attended a Chinese school, then Raffles Institution
- Dip. Arts (Raffles College)
- Royal College of Art in London, Majored in painting
- BA (Univ. of London)

Career

- 1946 Began career in education: teacher in Raffles Institution; later Inspector of Schools; then Vice-Principal (1947-1953) of Teachers' Training College
- 1964-75 Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Education
- 1975-80 Vice-Chancellor, University of Singapore
- 1980-81 Ambassador to the Philippines

Offices held

- Chairman, Singapore National Commission for UNESCO
- President, Young Musicians Society
- Director, National Cadet Corps
- Council Member: University Malaya; University of Singapore; Nanyang University; Institute of Southeast Asian Studies Member, RIHED Governing Board

Honours

- 1963 Pingat Pentadbiran Awam (Public Administration Medal, Gold)
- 1968 Pingat Jasa Gemilang (Meritorious Service Medal)
- 1973 Hon. Doctor of Letters (University of Singapore)
- 1977 Officier, Ordre des Palmes Acadeiques
- 1977 Hon. Doctor of Education (Chulalongkong University)