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Envoy for Climate Change  
and Health

DR VANESSA KERRY

Auch bei ihr steht viel Geld  
von BILL GATES dahinter.



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FREIHEUT

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Freiheit

Freiheit – Handbuch für den Tiger in  
dir

Tiger, zieh den Schafspelz aus!  
Rundherum steigt das Chaos. Darum  
hungern immer mehr Menschen nach  
einem freien und selbstbestimmten Leben.  
“Freiheit” erklärt die Muster der  
Unterdrückung und die Methoden, wie wir  
uns davon befreien.

»Fakten hören nicht auf zu  
existieren, nur weil sie ignoriert  
werden.«

ALDOUS HUXLEY (1894-1963), SCHRIFTSTELLER

<https://tkp.at/2023/06/22/kerry-tochter-und-wef-leader-wird-erste-who-chefin-fuer-klimawandel-und-gesundheit/>

[https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Vanessa\\_Kerry](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Vanessa_Kerry)

„Spenden“ der GATES Foundation  
GATES ist ein profitorientierter Geschäftsmann  
Er INVESTIERT  
Vaxxen haben 21% Ertrag, sagte er einmal erfreut

**Vanessa Bradford Kerry** (born December 31, 1976) is an American physician, public health expert, and doctor. She is a founder of the non-profit **Seed Global Health**.

[https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Seed\\_Global\\_Health](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Seed_Global_Health)

**Partner:**

**PEPFAR: GATES 14.461.220,00**

**Massachusetts General Hospital GATES: 211.766.728,00**

**Baylor College of Medicine GATES: 7.422.395,00**



Her father is [John Kerry](#), who served as the 68th United States Secretary of State.

## Early life and education[edit]

Kerry was born in [Boston, Massachusetts](#), on December 31, 1976. She is the younger daughter of politician [John Forbes Kerry](#) and writer [Julia Stimson Thorne](#). Her older sister [Alexandra](#) is an actress, filmmaker, director and producer.[1] After her parents divorced, she moved with her mother to [Bozeman, Montana](#). She attended [Phillips Academy](#) in [Andover, Massachusetts](#) for high school.[2]

Kerry graduated from Phillips Academy, Andover and *summa cum laude* from **Yale University GATES: 85.235.233,00** with a major in [biology](#). While a student at Yale, she played for the [varsity lacrosse](#) team for four years. After graduating with her [bachelor's degree](#), she went to **Harvard Medical School GATES: 582.375.977,00**

where she graduated with honors. She took a year from Harvard to attend the **London School of Economics GATES: 12.862.779,00**

and the **London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine, GATES: 326.627.808,00** earning her master's of science in health policy, planning and financing. While in London, she was a [Fulbright Scholar](#).<sup>[3]</sup>

While in medical school, she interned with the Vaccine Fund of the **Global Alliance for Vaccines and Immunization, GAVI, GATES: 7.704.643.041,00**

founded by the [Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation](#); she conducted a study on immunization in [Ghana](#). She later studied and advised on government relations for health and development in Rwanda in partnership with [Partners in Health](#).

## Career<sup>[edit]</sup>

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Kerry completed her internal medicine residency and critical care fellowship at **the Massachusetts General Hospital GATES: 211.766.728,00**

in Boston. She is now a physician specializing in critical care. Kerry has continued work in global health and has collaborated on projects in Haiti and Rwanda through the Harvard Medical School Department of Global Health and Social Medicine. She is also actively working on public sector partnerships in Uganda, Malawi, Zambia and Sierra Leone through [Seed Global Health](#) and supports education and public policy at the MGH Center for Global Health.<sup>[4]</sup>

## Seed Global Health<sup>[edit]</sup>

Active in global health for many years, in 2011 Kerry started the non-profit [Seed Global Health](#). Seed's flagship program was the Global Health Service Partnership (GHSP),<sup>[5]</sup> a partnership with the [Peace Corps](#). The Partnership sent health professionals abroad to work as medical and nursing educators and to help build capacity. With the Peace Corps through GHSP, Seed helped send over 191 physician and nurse educators to train more than 16,000 health professionals in sub-Saharan Africa. In 2018, Seed launched a new strategy, Sharing Knowledge, Saving Lives.<sup>[6]</sup> The program is currently active in [Malawi](#), [Uganda](#), [Sierra-Leone](#), and [Zambia](#) and has trained almost 40,000 health workers in seven countries in Sub-Saharan Africa in total.<sup>[7]</sup>

In 2010, Kerry wrote an op-ed on the idea of sending American health professionals to teach for [The New York Times](#).<sup>[8]</sup> She has also published in the [New England Journal of Medicine](#)<sup>[9]</sup> and **[The Lancet GATES: 17.787.084,00](#)**

on the topic.<sup>[10]</sup> The program also partners with academic medical centers such as the **[Massachusetts General Hospital : GATES: 211.766.728,00](#)**

and the MGH Center for Global Health. In 2013, Kerry, as CEO was named a Draper Richards Kaplan Social Entrepreneur.<sup>[11]</sup> In 2014, she was featured in *Boston Magazine's* Power of Ideas for her work with the organization.<sup>[12]</sup> In 2015, she earned an Honorary Degree from **[Northeastern University GATES: 5.213.785,00](#)**

and in 2016, she was named **[a World Economic Forum Young Global Leader. GATES: 3.327.882,00](#)**

Seed's work has promoted the need for a strong workforce and health systems for better health, economic growth, security and wellbeing. In 2021, Seed started promoting the connection between and health and climate change at the [Conference of the parties 26](#).<sup>[13]</sup>

Kerry is the Director of the Program in Global Public Policy at the Mass General Center for Global Health and spearheads the program in Global Public Policy and Social Change at the Department of Global Health and Social Medicine. She is an Associate Professor of Medicine at [Harvard Medical School](#) and serves on its faculty.<sup>[14]</sup>

## Personal life<sup>[edit]</sup>

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On October 10, 2009, in Boston, Kerry married [neurosurgeon](#) Dr. Brian Vala Nahed, who specializes in brain tumors and spinal disorders.<sup>[15]</sup> As a surgeon and scientist, Dr. Brian Nahed leads a research lab, which aims to develop the first blood test for brain tumors.<sup>[16]</sup><sup>[17]</sup> In 2012, she gave birth to their son, and gave birth to their daughter in 2015.<sup>[18]</sup><sup>[19]</sup> She is a former member of the Board of Directors of [Young Democrats of America](#) and is a term member to the [Council on Foreign Relations](#). **GATES: 4.674.953,00**

## Advocacy<sup>[edit]</sup>

Kerry took a leave from her medical studies in order to campaign for her father's, then [Senator John Kerry](#), presidential bid in 2004, even introducing him at that year's [Democratic National Convention](#). She campaigned by herself and with her sister, mostly focusing on campaign stops at university campuses. She made speeches in support of her father and focused on [health care](#) issues and [tuition](#) costs for students, two [Democratic](#) campaign issues she felt personally attached to.<sup>[20]</sup> She also appeared with Alexandra on the [MTV Music Video Awards](#) **GATES: 10.979.314,00**

show in [Miami](#) where she joined [George W. Bush](#)'s daughters [Barbara](#) and [Jenna](#), who were campaigning for their father George W. Bush, to encourage youth and citizen voting. Jenna later confirmed that Barbara and Jenna also developed a friendship with [John Kerry](#)'s daughters, [Alexandra](#) and Vanessa.<sup>[21]</sup> Through her work with her father and her public health policy education, she has not ruled out running for political office in the future.<sup>[22]</sup>

She has also spoken at a number of venues around the globe including

**World Health Assembly, GATES: 4.693.198.922,00**

**United Nations GATES: 731.363.092,00 (nicht WHO),**

**Aspen Ideas Festival, GATES: 123.202.342,00**

Millennium Campus Network Conferences, [TedX Boston](#)

**,San Diego State University, GATES: 15.235.919,00**

**UCLA GATES: 36.475.278,00**

, [APHA](#) and other venues.

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