Foreign and Development Secretary appointed Nick Bridge as Special Representative for Climate Change in May 2017.

Nick was previously Permanent Representative of the United Kingdom to the FCDO from 2011 to 2016. He served as Chief Economist at the Foreign & Commonwealth Office and Head of Global Economy Department. He has served for over a decade in diplomatic postings to China, Japan and the United States.

Nick formerly worked in the Treasury, where he co-led a $4 billion facility to immunize half a billion people in the developing world, and was an economist in the Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food.