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Aileen Nandi joined the U.S. Commercial Service in 2002 and arrived in Mexico City in January of 2003. In her current capacity as a Commercial Officer she manages five Mexican nationals and handles several services sectors, including travel/tourism, architecture/construction/engineering, financial products, consumer services and more. Additionally, she oversees the American Business Information Center (ABIC), which helps Mexican firms find U.S. suppliers. She also serves as the liaison with USTDA, Exim and OPIC.

Prior to joining the U.S. Commercial Service, Ms. Nandi worked as a Country Manager for the U.S. Trade and Development Agency (USTDA) in the Central/Eastern Europe Region from 1998-2002. At USTDA, she identified and analyzed potential infrastructure projects for USTDA investments to leverage U.S. exports during project implementation. As Country Manager, she worked closely with Exim, OPIC and other financial institutions to determine the whether a given project would be financed. Of particular note, Ms. Nandi was instrumental in pioneering USTDA's program in Southeast Europe during and just after the Balkan conflicts and assisted with several major multi-agency and multilateral reconstruction efforts. Under her tenure at USTDA, the Agency's investments doubled in the countries in her portfolio, which ranged from the Baltics to the Balkans.

Ms. Nandi has an MA from the School of Foreign Service at Georgetown University. She was a Fulbright Scholar to Dresden, Germany, where she researched the unemployment effects among women after German unification. Ms. Nandi also holds a BA in economics and international studies from the University of Richmond in Virginia. She speaks fluent German and proficient French and Spanish.