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## CV

29. 02. 1956                      Date of birth (Buedingen, Hesse, Germany)

### Summary

More than 25 years experience in teaching, research and practice in law;  
15 years experience in European and international network management.  
Currently Chair for German, European and International Private Law and  
Commercial Law at Law of Faculty, Leibniz University Hanover, Germany.

### Education

1971 – 1980                      Technical high school at Hanau, Germany; studies in law, physics and  
philosophy at J.W.Goethe-University, Frankfurt/Main, Germany; grantee of  
German National Fellowship Foundation

1981                                First state examination in law, Frankfurt/Main, Germany

1981 – 1982                      Graduate studies at University of California Los Angeles, School of Law,  
USA; Master of Laws (LL.M.); assistant of Prof. George Fletcher, UCLA

1983 – 1985                      Clerkship, Court of Appeals, Frankfurt/Main, Germany

1985                                Ph.D. (Dr. jur.) at J.W.Goethe-University, Frankfurt/Main, Germany  
(advisor: Prof. Dr. Dieter Simon, MPI Frankfurt)

1986                                Second state examination in law.

### Employment

1982                                Patent and copyright law firm Spensley, Horn, Jubas & Lubitz, Los Angeles,  
CA, USA

1983 – 1985                      Clerkship, Court of Appeals, Frankfurt/Main, Germany

1986 – 1987                      Ministry for Cultural Affairs Rhine-Palladium, Mainz, Germany

1987 – 1992                      Juniorprofessor at Hamburg University, Faculty of Law, Hamburg, Germany

1992                                Habilitation at Hamburg University, thesis on competition procedure, *venia  
legendi* for private law, civil procedure, business law, and theory of law  
(adv.: Prof. Dr. Rainer Walz).

1992 – 1994                      Ass. Professor at Leibniz University Hanover, Germany

1993 – 1994                      Teaching at Europe University Viadrina, Frankfurt/Oder, Germany

<b>1994 -</b>	Chair for German, European and International Private Law and Commercial Law, Faculty of Law, Leibniz University Hanover, Germany
1999 - 2016	Chairman for the international programmes of ELPIS (MLE / CLE / LL.M. Eur. joint degree) at LUH and for the ELPIS network of European law faculties (for details vf. <a href="http://www.ELPIS.eu">www.ELPIS.eu</a> )
2000 – 2004	Dean and vice dean at Faculty of Law, Leibniz University Hanover
2002	Guest lecturer and research at Chulalongkorn University Bangkok, Thailand
2003 – 2006	Scientific coordinator of TEMPUS project "reform of Russian legal education", four pilot projects in the Ural region at Tjumen, Ekaterinenburg, Perm und Ishevsk, Russia.
2004 – 2014	Erasmus Mundus coordinator (EU) for the programme “European Legal Practice LL.M. Eur. joint degree” (France/Germany/Portugal)
<b>2017 -</b>	Dean, Faculty of Law, Leibniz University Hanover

#### International Teaching/Research

Japan (Keio U and Yokohama City U 1994), United Kingdom (Strathclyde U Glasgow 1996, Durham 2011), Poland (Marie-Curie Sklodowskiej U Lublin 1994, 2001 – 2003, 2010; Center for New Europe, U Krakow 1996, 1998); Greece (Aristoteles U Thessaloniki 1998); Turkey (Bilgi Univ. Istanbul 1998; political delegation, Minister for Economy, Lower Saxony at Istanbul, Izmir and Ankara 2010); Russia (State U Perm 2001, Law Academy Ekaterinenburg 2004); Portugal (Catholic U of Portugal, Lisbon 2001 – 2009; U of Lissabon 2010 – 2018); France (Le Havre 2017); Thailand (Chulalongkorn U Bangkok 2002, 2007 – 2014); China (Northwest U Xi'an 2005, Jiao Tong U Shanghai 2007); India (SYMBIOSIS U Poona 2008 – 2011, NLU New Delhi 2017); Indonesia (Bandung Univ. 2012, Gadjah Mada U, Yogyakarta 2013); Malaysia (UiTM Shah Alam (KL) 2016).

#### Other Activities

Rapporteur for the European Council, meeting in Waszawa 2000; adv. commission on the reform of legal education of Lower Saxony 2001/2; chairman Hanoverian Learned Society for Legal Studies 2004 – 2012; board of Center for East-West Contacts, Lueneburg 2007 – 2013.

Presently: Adv. Council Faculty of Law, University of Lisbon, Portugal; ext. member of the registry of the Aristotle U of Thessaloniki, Greece; g. Ed. Law Journal of Mykolas Romeris U Vilnius, Lithuania; g. Ed. Law Journal of SYMBIOSIS U, Punay, India; Adv. Board Law Review and designated visiting professor at UiTM, Shah Alam, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia (2014 - 2017); coordinating scholar of the German National Fellowship Foundation; Adv. Board CDF Hanover.

#### Honors

Award on activity in the European program Erasmus Mundus by DAAD (German International Academic Service) at Berlin Academy of Science, 2009.

*Professor h.c.* Marii Curie Sklodowskiej University (UMCS), Lublin, Poland, October 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2010

*Docteur honoris causa*, University of Rouen, France, June 28<sup>th</sup>, 2013

Scholar of Global Initiative of Academic Networks (GIAN) by Min. of Human Resouce Development of India, September 2017.