

Intensive Course: “Russian law – the legal system of a country at war”

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Curriculum vitae

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1964: born – Frechen b. Köln, (West) Germany

1983-1989: Student of Law – University of Cologne; King’s College London (KQC)

1989-1990: Teacher of German as a Foreign Language – Novoschool, Budapest

1990-1994: Practical Legal Education – Supreme Regional Court Cologne; Hungarian Ministry of the Interior

1995-1997: Legal Advisor and Research Assistant – Federal Association Information and Advice to the Persecutees of the Nazi Regime, Cologne

1997: Doctor utriusque iuris – University of Cologne, summa cum laude

1997-2002: University Assistant – University of Cologne, Institute of East European Law

2002: Habilitation – University of Cologne, venia legendi for Constitutional and Administrative Law, Public International Law and East European Law

2002-now: Senior Research Fellow and Managing Director – Institute for East European Law, Munich, since 2007: Regensburg (extra-universitarian research institute)

2007: Professor honoris causa – Andrassy German-Speaking University Budapest

2009-2012: Key Expert – Twinning Project ‘Legal Education System Reform in Kosovo’, Prishtina

2010-2011: Guest Professor for Research – Centre for Asian Legal Exchange (CALE), University of Nagoya

2014: - Guest Researcher – Institute for State and Law, Hungarian Academy of Science, Budapest
- Member of the Advising Body on the Codification of the Administrative Court Procedure Bill – Hungarian Ministry of Justice, Budapest

2014: Doctor et professor honoris causa – University of Pécs (Hungary)

2016-now: Vice President of the Association for South East European Studies

2016-now: Member of the Scientific Board of the Institute for German Law at the National University Kyiv-Mohyla Academy

2022-now: Full Time Professor – Andrassy German-Speaking University Budapest, Chair for European Public Law and Jurisprudence

regular teaching assignments:

University of Munich, University of Regensburg, University of Vienna, ELTE University Budapest, University of Pécs, University of Szeged

guest lecturer:

University of Lisbon, University of Ljubljana, University of Miskolc, University of Nagoya, Keio University Tokyo, Waseda University Tokyo

fields of research:

law of the East European states, Hungarian law, comparative constitutional law, comparative administrative law, translation of legal texts