


CURRICULUM VITAE

PERSONAL DATA	
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Date of Birth	8 May 1964
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EDUCATION	
2009 (19 April)	Venia legendi for International Relations, in particular European Integration adjunct Professor at Cologne University/Germany
2006 (28 June)	Venia legendi for International Relations, in particular European Integration adjunct Professor at Siegen University/Germany
1997	International Visitor Program of the United States of America
1992	Postgraduate at European Academy Vienna
1988 – 1989	Studies of Jurisprudence (doctorate) at Johannes-Kepler-University Linz Doctoral thesis in International Law Doctorate in Jurisprudence (A-equiv)
1983 – 1988	Studies of Jurisprudence (diploma) at Johannes-Kepler-University Linz Diploma thesis in International Law Magister in Jurisprudence (A-equiv) Studies of Business Administration (diploma) at Johannes-Kepler-University Linz Diploma thesis in Business Administration (A-equiv)
1974 – 1982	Grammar School Final examination (A-equiv) at Khevenhüllergymnasium Linz

Work Experience	
Current Position	Minister plenipotentiary Head of Department
Since 2005	<i>Austrian Focal Point for the EU High Level Governance Process</i>
2000/ 2003-2004	Member of the Group of Representatives of the Governments of the Member States for the Intergovernmental Conference(IGC) 2000 (Treaty of Nice) and for the IGC 2004 (Constitutional Treaty)
Since 01/1995	Member of the Permanent Representation of Austria to the European Union, Brussels
Since 04/1993	Member of the Liaison Office of the Austrian States, Vienna
04/1993 – 12/1994	Member of the Austrian Mission to the European Community, Brussels Member of the Austrian negotiation team for EU-Accession
12/1991 – 04/1993	Upper Austrian State Government (Legal Service)
04/1991 – 11/1991	Law Firm, Linz
04/1990 – 03/1991	Junior Lawyer, Linz
Spring 1990	Manager in private industry, Vienna

TEACHING ASSIGNMENTS	
Since 2008	Senior Research Fellow at the Institute for International and Foreign Politics at the University of Cologne
Since 2006	Adjunct Professor for International Relations at the University of Siegen
Since 2003	Guestlecturer at the Austrian Military Defence Academy

Since 2003	Guestlecturer at POHTO – Institute for Management and Technological Training/Finland
April 2001	Guestlecturer at University of Auburn/AI/USA
Since 2000	Lecturer for the Europe-Certificate-Program at University of Siegen
1999 – 2004	Lecturer at Rotman School of Management, University of Toronto*
Since 1999	Lecturer at USW Schloß Gracht (now: esmt/USW networks)
1999 – 2003	Lecturer in the Matra-Program of the Ministries for Foreign Affairs of the Kingdom of the Netherlands and the Republic of Poland*
Since 1997	Lecturer at Institute for Political Science at University of Siegen/Germany
1997	Lecturer at Institute for Media and Communication, Technical University of Berlin
* End of respective program	

ORDERS AND DECORATIONS

Order of the Tyrolean Eagle in Gold (October 25, 2008)

Medal for Extraordinary Merits for Bavaria in a United Europe (April 26, 2006)

Wehrdienstzeichen 2. (silver) und 3. (bronze) Klasse (Austrian Army)

Wehrdienstmedaille in silver and bronze (Austrian Army)

MEMBERSHIPS

- Associate Fellow at the Austrian Institute for European and Security Policy
- Associate Member at the International Institute for Strategic Studies London
- Member of the European Military Press Association
- Member of the European Environmental Lawyers Association

KNOWLEDGE OF FOREIGN LANGUAGES

- **German** (mothertongue)
- fluent in written and spoken **English** (conference language)
- fluent in written and spoken **French** (conference language)
- spoken **Italian**, reading abilities to be activated
- spoken **Dutch**, reading abilities to be activated

COMPUTER LITERACY

- **advanced knowledge of office software** (DTP, spreadsheet, presentation) mostly Microsoft products (Word, Excel, PowerPoint, Access); highly flexible to adapt to other software
- **experienced in different Operation Systems** (WINDOWS 3.11, 95, 98, NT, 2000, XP)
- **knowledge of project management software**
- **familiar with Internet services** (WWW-navigation, utilization of search engines, email, news-groups, telnet, editing of basic HTML-documents) in order to retrieve information and to communicate

LIST OF PUBLICATIONS (SELECTION)

MONOGRAPHS

International Organizations, Heidelberg – New York – Tokyo 2010 (not yet published)

The Treaty of Lisbon, Text and Commentary (incl. CD-ROM), 1st Edition, Baden-Baden – Wien – Bern 2008 (2nd revised Edition 2010)

The Evolution of the European Law – From the Treaties of Rome to the European Constitution (incl. CD-ROM), Baden-Baden – Wien – Zürich 2004

The Treaty establishing a Constitution for Europe – Text and Commentary (incl. CD-ROM), Baden-Baden – Wien – Zürich 2004

The Convention on the Future of Europe – Text and Commentary (incl. CD-ROM), Baden-Baden – Wien – Zürich 2003

The Treaty of Nice – Text and Commentary, Baden-Baden – Wien 2001 (2. Edition 2003)

The European Union – A Compact Guide for Business-Government-Relations, Baden-Baden 2000
Lobbying and Communication in the European Union, Berlin-Vienna 1997 (2 nd revised Edition incl. CD-ROM 2005)
Foreign Armies – The armed Forces of the African States and of the Near East (Co-Author), Truppendienst Taschenbuch Volume 40, Wien 1995
Guerillas and the Law of War, Düsseldorf 1995
Austria and the Environmental Law of the European Union, Vienna 1995 (Ed.)
Humanitarian Law, Law of War, Law of Neutrality and Protection of Cultural Possessions, Truppendienst-Taschenbuch Volume 1, Vienna 1991

ARTICLES AND CONTRIBUTIONS TO BOOKS
The Treaty of Lisbon – Immigration and Asylum Policies of the European Union, in: Diplomatiche Akademie Wien (Hrsg): Migration and the European Union – Favorita Papers, Vienna 03/2008, Vienna 2009, 58-62
The Transatlantic Co-operation – A European Agenda, in: Zeitschrift für Außen- und Sicherheitspolitik 1/2009, Cologne
Austria, in: Dizionario dell'Integrazione Europea/Dictionary on European Integration, Rome (2008)
European Common Foreign and Security Policy after Lisbon, in: Zeitschrift für Außen- und Sicherheitspolitik 1/2008, Cologne
The Legitimation of supranational Organisations, in: Journal for Public Law (ZÖR), 62/2007, 323-370
The Conference on Subsidiarity in St. Pölten – Further Development of the Principle of Subsidiarity, in: Woschnagg, Gregor et al.. (Eds): Behind the Curtains of the EU, Wien-Graz-Klagenfurt 2007
Ordnungspolitische Aspekte des Vertrags über eine Verfassung für Europa, in: Jenkis, Helmut (Hrsg): Freiheit und Bindung der Wirtschaft – Beiträge zur Ordnungspolitik, Festschrift 70. Geburtstag Prof. Gemper, Berlin 2006
Fundamental Rights und European Citizenship – Transcript of speech given to the Regional Parliament of the Land Salzburg on the occasion of a parliamentary enquete of the Regional Parliament of the Land Salzburg on the Constitutional Treaty on May, 2, 2005, Schriftenreihe des Landespressebüros, Serie „Salzburger Landtag“, Nr. 7, Salzburg 2006
EUREK – Pilotprojekt für eine kohärente und koordinierte EU-Politik?, Beitrag Festschrift Dr. Kunze, Vienna 2003
The Iraq-War – The Relations between the EU and the USA, EU-Magazin 05/2003, 14-16 (Part I), 06/2003, 16-18 (Part II)
The European Union and the G7/8, Toronto 2001, 123-140
EU-Lobbying – A Means to an End or an End in Itself, USW News, Ausgabe 2, Ertftstadt 1999
The Evolution of Asylum Law in the European Union, Europäische Sicherheit 10/98, Bonn
Transboundary Book Price Binding – A Question of Culture or of Internal Market, EU-Magazin 10/97, Baden-Baden
The European Union – Enlargement and Consolidation, Europäische Sicherheit 1/97, Bonn
The 5 th Action Program for the Environment, Part I and II, Ökoprojekt 1/96, Ökoprojekt 2-3/96, Vienna Political Academy (Ed.), Questions and Answers on the European Union (Co-Author), Vienna 1996
Aspects of the Law of War concerning the Identification of Combatants, in: Schmidl, Erwin (Ed.), Friend or Enemy, Vienna 1995
Supportive Measures for the Environment of the European Union, Ökoprojekt 5/95, Vienna
The Institutions of the European Union, in: Fischer, Klemens (Ed.), Austria and the Environmental Law of the European Union, Vienna 1995
Regional and Structural Policy of the European Union, in Fischer, Klemens (Ed.), Austria and the Environmental Law of the European Union, Vienna 1995
Nature Protection of the European Union, in Fischer, Klemens (Ed.), Austria and the Environmental Law of the European Union, Vienna 1995
The Common Foreign and Security Policy of the European Union, Truppendienst 1/94, Vienna
International political-economic Integration, Truppendienst 6/93, Vienna
War Crimes in the Balkan Conflict, Truppendienst 5/93, Vienna
The legal Framework for Prisoners of War, Part I to Part IV, Truppendienst 6/90 bis 3/91, Vienna

LECTURES (SELECTION)
The Rule of Law in an Integrated Europe, Podgorica (Montenegro) January 2009
The Treaty of Lisbon – A new Setting for the European Union, La Valetta (Malta) February 2008, Riga (Latvia) May 2008, Sofia (Bulgaria) October 2008
Fundamental Rights and Citizenship in the European Union, Parliamentary Enquete of the Assembly of the Land Salzburg concerning the „Treaty establishing a Constitution for Europe“, Salzburg 2005
Internal and External Security of the European Union – Current State of Development, Bundesakademie für Sicherheitspolitik, Berlin 2005
EU Coordination in federal Memberstates, Bertelsmann-Stiftung, Gütersloh 2004
The European Union – Status quo and future challenges, Berlin 2003
Commercial and Trade Relations between EU and Far East Countries, in particular Korea, Pusan/Korea 2002
Implications of EU-Membership for Polish Public Administration, Warsaw 1999
The Position of the Austrian States within the institutional Framework of the European Integration, Tübingen 1998
Waste Management in the European Union, Innsbruck/Austria 1998
The Austrian Constitution and Federalism in Austria, European Commission, Brussels 1998
Agenda 2000 - The Future of the Regional and Structural Policy of the European Union, University of Siegen, 1997
The European Union - A Perspective, Warsaw 1996, Congress of the European Military Association
Implementation of environmental Acts of the EU in Austria, Brussels 1995, European Environmental Lawyers Association
The Accession of Austria and the Implementation of Acts of the EU, Vienna 1995, Congress of the International Bar Association
Aspects of the Law of War concerning the Identification of Combatants, Wien 1993

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