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CURRICULUM VITAE

1984 1st State Examination in Law (Göttingen)
1987 LL.M., McGill University (Montreal, Canada)
1988 2nd State Examination in Law (Kiel)
1991 Doctor jur. (Kiel)
1990-1992 Employment with German Space Agency (Bonn)
1992-1996 Senior Research Fellow, Walther-Schücking-Institut at the University of Kiel
1996 Habilitation (Dr. jur. habil.)
1997 Professor for German Public Law, European Law and Public International Law, University of Cologne
Since 1998 Jean-Monnet Professor for the Law of European Integration
Since 1 September 2001 Holder of the Chair for Public International Law, European Law, European and International Economic Law and Director of the Institute of Air and Space Law, University of Cologne

POSITIONS

- International Academy of Astronautics, Full Member
- Académie de l'Air et de l'Espace, Corresponding Member
- International Institute of Space Law, Board of Directors (Treasurer)
- European Centre for Space Law, Board of Directors
- International Institute of Air and Space Law, Leyden, Member of the Advisory Board
- International Law Association, Rapporteur of Space Law Committee
- International Chamber of Commerce, Member of Air Transport Commission
- German Society of International Law, Member of the Advisory Board
- European Air Law Association, Member of the Committee of Management
- German Association of International Law (ILA German Branch), Treasurer
- American Society of International Law, Member

PUBLICATIONS

More than 200 publications in the field of Public International Law, European Law, German Public Law, and Air and Space Law, including:

“Einführung in das Völkerrecht” (Introduction to Public International Law), 9th edition 2008 and “Europarecht” (European Law), 5th edition 2010.

Editor of the German Journal of Air and Space Law (ZLW) and of the Series „Studies in Air and Space Law“.

Co-editor of the looseleaf collection „Space Law – Basic Legal Documents“.

Co-editor of a Compendium on Air Law which was prepared in cooperation with Lufthansa, the “Kölner Compendium des Luftrechts”, volume 1 appeared in spring 2008, volume 2 in May 2009 and volume 3 in January 2010.

Also in preparation is a commentary on the existing international space legislation (outer space treaties and UN General Assembly resolutions) in 3 volumes, the “Cologne Commentary on Space Law”, in cooperation with the German Aerospace Centre (DLR). Vol. 1 appeared in October 2009.

AWARDS

2009 Distinguished Service Award of the International Institute of Space Law

2010 Award of the Class on Social Sciences for Vol 1 of the “Cologne Commentary on Space Law” of the International Academy of Astronautics.