

Curriculum Vitae

Born 1959 in a miner's family at the Saarland, married since 1988.

1979-1985 studies of mathematics, physics, catholic theology, history in Bonn, Trier, Jerusalem, Würzburg, MA in theology 1985

1985-1987 part time Teacher at a Public School ('Adeliges Julianum' in Würzburg)

1987-1988 Visiting Scholar at the 'Center for Process Studies' in Claremont, California

1990 PhD in Theology at the University of Würzburg

1990-2001 Assistant professor and Associate professor at the Institute for Systematic Theology at the University of Würzburg

1997 Habilitation at the University of Würzburg

1998-2002 various part-time professorships at different universities (see below)

Since 2002 Professor for Dogmatics at the University of Salzburg

2006-2007 and 2011-2013 Dean of the Faculty of Theology at the University of Salzburg

Academic Career

MA-thesis in theology 1985: 'A supernatural existential. Karl Rahner's Theology as analytical enterprise of being here and now'

1982-1983 member of the academic year of the Dormition Abbey at Mount Zion in Jerusalem

1987-1988 visiting scholar at the 'Center for Process Studies' in Claremont, California

1990 PhD-thesis: 'Nature and Creation – Reality in Process. A.N. Whitehead's philosophy as a fundamental theology of an existence in creativity'

1997 habilitation thesis: 'Believing within discourses about the signs of the times. Peirce's semiotics and a pastoral topology of theology'

1997-2002 Privatdozent at the University of Würzburg

1998-2002 professorships in Eichstätt and Salzburg

2002 full professor for dogmatics at the University of Salzburg

Publications

6 monographs, 1 commentary, 4 edited books, 269 articles

Research Interest within Systematic Theology

Second Vatican Council, topology of religion and spatial turn in God-talk, juxtaposition of power and powerlessness in Christian faith, theological agenda of *loci theologici alieni*, theology of sign of the times

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