

Curriculum Vitae



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Date of Birth

13 January 1965, Austria

Vocational career

Since 2009: Senior Counsel of SFP International Ltd., London, UK

Since 2008: Assistant Professor, Institute of International Law and International Relations,
Karl-Franzens University of Graz

2006-2008: Counselor, International Forum of Justice and Peace, Netherlands

2006-2008: Associated Expert, Centre for Islam in Europe at Ghent University, Belgium

2002-2007: Lecturer/Researcher, Institute of International Law and International Relations,
Karl-Franzens University of Graz

03-10/2002: Researcher, Institute of Criminal Law and Criminology, University of Vienna

1996-1998: Jurist, Non-profit organization, CCC-International, Vienna

1995-2010: Translator for Hebrew (Office DDDr. Micolini, Graz and Criminal Court, Vienna)

1995-1996: Legal Employee in law office Dr. Grohs & CO., Vienna

1994-1995: Legal Practice at Civil and Criminal Courts, Vienna

1993-1994: Legal Consultant in Pensions Office (VRD), Tel Aviv

1988-1990: Legal employee in law office Dr. Schmidt, Graz

1984-1985: Research Assistant, Institute of Austrian Legal History, Karl-Franzens University
of Graz

Education

1996-2001: Doctorate of jurisprudence, University of Vienna. 2001: Graduated with honor.

Thesis: "Foundations of Civil and Political Rights in Israel and the Occupied Territories".

1996-1998: Research Activities, Hebrew University Jerusalem and occupied Palestinian areas

1993-1994: Study of Israeli law with partial examinations at the Israeli bar, Jerusalem

1993: Graduation, diploma study of jurisprudence, Karl-Franzens University of Graz

1990: Study of the Hebrew language, Tel Aviv University

1971-1983: Elementary school and High School

Main Research Areas

Near and Middle East (focus: Israel, Palestine, Iran, Iraq, Lebanon, Syria, Turkey, Pakistan), counterterrorism, human rights protection (focus: freedom of religion), armed conflict, environmental law (focus: genetic engineering, climate protection)

Memberships

Since 2008: Member of the American Society of International Law (ASIL)

Since 2007: Member of the European Society of International Law (ESIL)

Since 1997: Member of the Society for Austro Arab Relation (SAAR)

Extramural Activities

Since 2007: IT-Expert, Karl-Franzens University of Graz

Special Knowledge

English, French, Hebrew (all languages in speaking and writing)

Arabic and Persian (basic knowledge)