

CURRICULUM VITAE:

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EDUCATION

UNIVERSITY OF ZURICH (SWITZERLAND): *Habilitationsschrift* in Public International Law, 2002.

HARVARD UNIVERSITY (USA): LL.M, 1999.

UNIVERSITY OF THE FREE STATE (SOUTH AFRICA): LL.D in Comparative Constitutional Law, 1995.

UNIVERSITY OF THE FREE STATE: LL.B (cum laude), 1991; B.Iur (cum laude), 1989.

KÄTE HAMBURGER KOLLEG LAW AS CULTURE: Fellow (Oct 2015- Jul 2016).

STELLENBOSCH INSTITUTE FOR ADVANCED STUDY (STIAS): Fellow (Sept 2013, May-June 2015).

MAX PLANCK INSTITUTE FOR FOREIGN PUBLIC LAW AND INTERNATIONAL LAW (GERMANY): Visiting Scholar (1991-1993; Aug 2007-Feb 2008, Sept-Nov 2012, Nov-Dec

2014).

EXPERIENCE

Professor of International Law: University of Graz, Austria (since Jan 2020).

Honorary Professor: Faculty of Law, University of Bonn, Germany (since July 2015).

SARChI Professor of International Constitutional Law: Faculty of Law, University of Pretoria, South Africa (Jan 2016-Dec 2019).

Visiting Professor: Faculty of Law, University of Vienna, Austria (March 2017).

Founding Co-Director and Professor of International Law: Institute for International and Comparative Law in Africa, Faculty of Law, University of Pretoria, South Africa (Jan 2011-Dec 2015).

Professor of International Constitutional Law: Department of Public International Law, Faculty of Law, University of Amsterdam, The Netherlands (tenured until 2011 and extraordinary Professor until December 2013).

Extraordinary Professor: Faculty of Law, University of Pretoria, South Africa (2008–2010).

Extraordinary Professor: Faculty of Law, North-West University (Potchefstroom campus), South Africa (2004-2009).

Invited Lecturer: Faculty of Law, University of Zurich, Switzerland (2003-2010).

Associate Professor of Public International Law: Department of Public International Law, Faculty of Law, University of Amsterdam, The Netherlands (2002-2004).

Associate Professor of the Law of International Organisations: Faculty of Law, Leiden University, The Netherlands (2000–2002).

Research Fellow: T.M.C. Asser Institute, The Hague, The Netherlands (1999-2000).

Lecturer in Law: Brandeis University, Waltham, Massachusetts, USA (1999).

Staff Legal Counsellor: Swiss Institute of Comparative Law, Lausanne, Switzerland (1996-1998).

Labour Legislation Specialist: Labour Legislation and Labour Relations Branch, International Labour Office (ILO), Geneva, Switzerland (1995).

External Collaborator: International Institute for Labour Studies (IILS) of the ILO, Geneva, Switzerland (1994).

Intern: United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights, Geneva, Switzerland (1993).

Lecturer: Constitutional Law and Interpretation of Statutes, Department of Constitutional Law and Legal Philosophy, University of the Free State, Bloemfontein, South Africa (1991).

Academic Assistant: Department of Constitutional Law and Legal Philosophy, University of the Free State, Bloemfontein, South Africa (1990).

AWARDS:

A2 rating awarded by the South African National Research Foundation (awarded to researchers who are internationally recognized as a leader in their field, 2016-2021) (previous rating B1, 2010-2015).

Alexander von Humboldt Fellowship (2007-2008, 2012-2015, 2018).

German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD) Fellowships (1992-1993, 2018).

Käte Hamburger Center for Advanced Study in the Humanities “Law as Culture” (2015-2016).

Stellenbosch Institute for Advanced Study (STIAS) Fellowship (2013, 2015).

Exceptional Achiever Award (Faculty of Law) (2013).

VICI Excellence Grant (Netherlands Organisation for Scientific Research) (2007-2012).

Swiss National Science Foundation Fellowship (1998-2000).

Harvard Law School Fellowship (1998-1999).

Attorneys' Fidelity Trust Fund (South Africa) Fellowship (1991-1992).

Moritz Bobbert Medal for outstanding achievement in the LL.B examination (1990).

Bar Award for best final year student in the LL.B examination (1990).

Dean's Medal for the top student in the Faculty of Law (1990).

Dean's Medal for best B. Iur graduate (1988).

Honorary colours from the Students Representative Council for the best B.Iur student (1986-1988).

EDITORIAL ACTIVITIES

Member, Scientific Advisory Board, *International Journal of Constitutional Law* (ICON)

Member, Advisory Board, *Max Planck Encyclopaedia of Comparative Constitutional Law* (MPECC).

Member, Scientific Advisory Board, *Austrian Journal of Public Law* (ZöR).

Member, Editorial Board, *Potchefstroom Electronic Law Journal* (PER).

Member, Editorial Board, *Közzégi Szemle* (Hungarian Public Law Review).

Former Member, International Advisory Board, *African Human Rights Law Journal* (AHRLJ) (2009-2015).

Former Editor-in-Chief (with André Nollkaemper), *Oxford Reports on International Law in Domestic Courts* (Oxford University Press, 2006-2014).

Former General Editor (with Rüdiger Wolfrum & Rainer Grote), *Oxford Constitutions of the World*, Oxford University Press, 2011-2014).

Former Member, Editorial Board, *Netherlands International Law Review* (NILR) (2004-2009).

Former Member, Editorial Board, *Leiden Journal of International Law* (LJIL) (2000-2002).

Manuscript Referee, Cambridge University Press, Hart Publishing, Oxford University Press.

LANGUAGES

Fluent in Afrikaans (mother tongue), English, German and Dutch, proficient in French.

MEMBERSHIP AND OTHER ACTIVITIES

Member, South African Academy of Sciences (ASSAf) (since 2018).

Member, Extended STIAS Fellowship and Research Programme Committee (since 2017).

Member, Scientific Advisory Board on Development Policy, Max Planck Foundation for International Peace and the Rules of Law (since 2014).

Member, General Council, International Society of Public Law (ICON*S) (since 2013).

Member, Project Advisory Board (*Projektbegleitgruppe*), *Handbuch des deutschen Verfassungsrechts* (directed by Matthias Herdegen, Johannes Masing, Ralf Poscher, Klaus Gärditz) (since 2013).

Former Member, European Research Council Evaluation Panel (AdG 2016 SH2) (2016-2019).

Former Member, Senior Appointments Committee of Council (Academic) of the University of Pretoria (2011-2015).

Former Member, Governing Board, African Foundation for International Law (2009-2012).

Former Member, Advisory Committee on Issues of Public International Law of the Netherlands (CAVV) (2008-2010).

Former Member, Inter-disciplinary Evaluation Council, 2006-2007 Innovative Research Incentive Scheme, Netherlands Organisation for Scientific Research (MaGW Vidi) (2006-2007).

Advocate of the High Court of South Africa (since 1995).

Member, American Society of International Law, European Society of International Law, German Society of International Law, Netherlands Society of International Law.

Regular invited speaker at international conferences.