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Date of birth 15.02.1964, one son

Work experience Occupation or position held
01.10.2012-until now **Representation of the European Commission in Austria**
Head of political department
01.06.2014 **Acting Head of the Representation of the European Commission in Austria**
01.03. 2010 – until 30.09.2013 European Commission
DG Regional and Urban Policy, Territorial Cooperation, Head of Sector, Thematic policies

Main activities and responsibilities- Type of business or sector
Negotiation, drafting and Implementation of the European Union strategy for the Danube Region,
Advisor of the Central Europe Transnational Programme;
2020 strategy, future discussions on macro-regions in the EU, relations to the EIB and finance,
Finance framework for macro-regions, EU Danube strategy coordinator, Croatia accession talks,
Acting Head of Unit for European Cooperation for various periods,
30 October 2012 Appointed Member of the Board Institute for Danube and Middle Europe
Honourable Member of the Danube Development Forum
01.01.2008-28.02.2010 DG Regional Policy- Thematic unit: Co-ordination of Lisbon agenda, EU2020
budget earmarking restructuring, relocation and globalisation; **Co-ordination of State Aid Law** and
Competition Policy, infringement procedures, public procurement law
01.08.2003-31.12..2007
Coordination Unit: Coordination with other services, guidance to geographical desks, major projects,
Financial Engineering, Risk Capital Funds, Venture Capital, Public-Private-Partnerships,
SME-policy, Access to finance, Research & Development, Information Society, Germany, Italy, Slovenia
team leader for innovation and competitiveness

15. 09.1998-31. 07. 2003
European Commission
DG Taxation and Customs

Work experience Occupation or position held	European Commission Administrator -Co-ordination of briefings for <i>Commissioner Monti</i> ; DG TAXUD's coordinator for enlargement negotiations, Code of Conduct for Business Taxation; taxation of savings income; survey of bank secrecy legislation, fiscal state aids
Work experience Occupation or position held	16. 02. 1996-15. 09. 1998 DG REGIO
Work experience Occupation or position held	Structural Fund Programmes and cross-border programmes in Austria; negotiation and adoption of regional development programmes; financial management; Co-ordination of Interreg II C for the Central-and South-Eastern, Danubian and Adriatic Space (CADSES), Geographical Information Systems, Industrial Clusters. 1. 10. 1990-15. 2. 1996
	Federal Chamber of Commerce and Industry Vienna, Legal Advisor
	1994-1995 Member of Cabinet of Minister for Economy
	1995 Appointed Director of EU-regional office of Upper Styria
	1993-1994 Assistant to the EU-Ambassador
	1992 -1993 Deputy Trade Commissioner at the Austrian Permanent Rep. Brussels
	1993 Law firm, tax consultant
	1992 Traineeship European Commission
	1990 Banking, foreign trade department, treasury
	1989 Traineeship at the Court of Justice in Austria
MOTHER TONGUE language(s)	German, English, French (very good), Italian, Polish and Slovenian (basic knowledge)

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

- Dates (from – to) 1. 10. 1983-23. 01.1989
- Name and type of organisation University Graz and Vienna
- Principal subjects/occupational skills covered Lawyer and economist, Mag.Dr. iur., M.A.S Brussels; Universities Graz and Vienna, Postgraduate for export sales managers; Studies in European Law at HSG St. Gallen, Master's degree in International Politics, Université Libre de Bruxelles; Ecole National d'Administration Paris 1. 10. 1995- 31.12. 1995
- Level in national classification (if appropriate) Mag. iur, Dr.iur, Akademisch geprüfter Exportkaufmann
- Dates (from – to) 01. 09. 1999-30. 07. 2001
- Name and type of organisation Université Libre de Bruxelles
- Title of qualification awarded World economy and world politics
Master' degree in International Politics, M.A.S Bruxelles
Lecturer at LLM for European Integration University of Graz,
graz.at/hare1www/hare1www_coursecontents/hare1www_curriculum/hare1www-curriculum_2007-9.htm

PUBLICATIONS: Grants from the European Community, CA Aktuell, 1995
Investieren in Europa, 1996
Structural Funds and Reform, 1998
EURO-Almanach, Signum-Verlag Wien, 1998, Co-author
"Investieren in Europa", EU-Steuerharmonisierung und EU-Finanzierungsmöglichkeiten, München,
Das Ende goldener Zeiten? EU gegen Steuer-und Kapitalflucht, CA Exklusiv, 04/2001
"Grants from the European Community-the new Member States", Bank Austria, March 2004
EU-Beihilfenrecht-2007-2013 Linde-Boorberg Verlag, Stuttgart 2010
IDM Wiener Zeitung "Die Entwicklung des Tourismus in der EU-Donaustrategie"05/12
Wirtschaftsblatt "Donauraum-Strategie dient der Wirtschaftsbelebung"25.11.2013

Social skills and competences

Reading, travelling, sailing, gardening, skiing, tennis