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Academic and Professional Career

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2017/2019	Dean of the WFI - Ingolstadt School of Management, Catholic University of Eichstaett-Ingolstadt
2013 and 2014	Visiting Professor at the University of Vienna, Austria, Chair of Logistics and Supply Chain Management
2010	Calling from the University of Mannheim, for the professorship of Service Operations, refused.
2009/2011	Dean of the WFI - Ingolstadt School of Management, Catholic University of Eichstaett-Ingolstadt
2007	Calling from the University of Jena, for the professorship of Operations Management, refused.
2004	Calling from the University of Vienna, Austria for the professorship of Production and Logistics with international orientation, refused.
since 2003	Visiting Professor for "Production and Logistics" and "Operations Management", Free University of Bolzano, Italy.
2002	Calling from the University of Saarbruecken, for the professorship of Logistics and Management Science, refused.
03/1998	Full Professor of Supply Chain Management and Operations at the Catholic University of Eichstaett-Ingolstadt.
1997-1998	Deputizing the professorship of Production, Logistics, and Operations Management at the Catholic University of Eichstaett-Ingolstadt.
1997	Habilitation at the Faculty of Business Administration, Economics and Social Sciences of the University of Cologne, Thesis: "Performance evaluation and maintenance planning of flexible flow lines", in German.
1994-1997	Research assistant at the University of Cologne, Department of Production and Operations Management (Prof. Dr. H. Tempelmeier).
1990-1994	Research assistant at the Technical University of Brunswick, Department of Production and Operations Management (Prof. Dr. H. Tempelmeier).
1990	Ph.D. in Business Administration (Dr.rer.pol.) from the Technical University of Darmstadt, Faculty of Law and Economics, Thesis: "Short range planning of flexible manufacturing systems", in German.
1985-1990	Research assistant at the Technical University of Darmstadt, Department of Production and Materials Management (Prof. Dr. H. Tempelmeier).
1983-1985	Social years at the Municipal Hospital of Darmstadt.
1983	Diploma (master program) in Industrial (Mechanical) Engineering (Wirtschaftsingenieurwesen, Fachrichtung Maschinenbau) from the Technical University of Darmstadt.
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