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Curriculum Vitae

Personal data

Birthday	1957.09.27
Place of birth	Sibiu (Hermannstadt), Romania
Emigration to Germany	1980
Marriage	1980, with Karla Polen-Berl
Children	Dr. Isabelle Marion, born 1987
Citizenship	German

Education

1972-1977	Pedagogical Gymnasium Sibiu (Romania), high school diploma. rating: very good
1979-1980	Study of History and German Studies at the University of Sibiu (Romania)
1981-1984	Study of History and German Studies at the Universities of Tübingen and Stuttgart (Germany)
1984	Academic degree: Lectureship for gymnasium, rating: very good
1985-1989	Promotion fellowship of the renowned “Studienstiftung des deutschen Volkes”
1989	Academic degree: Dr. phil., rating: very good

Employment

1990-1991	Scientific Assistant at the University of Stuttgart, Germany
1992 to present	Head of the Department of Contemporary History at the Institute for Danube Swabian History and Regional Studies (IdGL)
2007 to present	Managing director and deputy head of the IdGL

Teaching

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| 1992 to present | Lecturer at the department of History of the University of Tübingen, Germany |
| 1998, summer semester | Harvard University, Cambridge Mass (USA) |
| 2014 to present | University of Toronto, Munk School of Global Affairs (Canada) |
| 2015, summer semester | Colgate University, Hamilton (USA) |
| 2016 to present | Visiting Professor at the University Lucia Blaga Sibiu (ULBS) |

Research focus

Modern History of Europe, South-Eastern Europe and Germany
History of Nationalism and Nation
Migration History
Minority History
Memory History
Science History of German and South-Eastern History

Research periods abroad

Universities of Vienna and Graz (Austria)
University of Prague (Czech Republic)
Universities of Budapest (ELTE) and Pécs (Hungary)
University of Amsterdam (Netherlands)
Universities of Warsaw and Poznan (Poland)
Universities of Cluj-Napoca, Iași, Sibiu and Timișoara (Romania)
University of Novi Sad (Serbia)
University of Ljubljana (Slovenia)
University of Uppsala (Sweden)
University of Lausanne (Schwitzerland)
University of Chernivtsi (Ukraine)

Organizations

- Chairman of the Commission on German History and Culture in South Eastern Europa
- Speaker of the Center for German Studies and Culture in South Eastern Europe at the University of Tübingen
- Member of the board of the Society for Historical Migration History
- Member auf the scientific board of the foundation "Flucht, Vertreibung, Versöhnung"

Editorial positions

Co-editor of the editorial board of the Yearbook “Danubiana Carpathica”

Co-editor of the publication series “Schriftenreihe der Kommission für Geschichte und Kultur der Deutschen in Südosteuropa

Co-editor of the publication series “Past and current Migrations”

Exhibition curator

Fremde Heimat. Das Lager Schlotwiese nach 1945. Stuttgart 1994

Ihr und Wir. Eingliederung der Heimatvertriebenen in Baden Württemberg. Große Landesausstellung. Stuttgart 2009-2010

Reviewer

Several German and Austrian scientific boards, several German and English historical magazines

Awards

Ludwig-Uhland-Price 2017

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