



State Secretary for Culture and Europe in the Thuringian State Chancellery

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2 grown-up children
lives in Erfurt

1. From the CV of the State Secretary:

since 5 Dec. 2014 **State Secretary for Culture and Europe**

02/2012 - 12/2014	Head of the "Environmental Policy" department at the Thuringian Ministry for Agriculture, Forestry, the Environment and Nature Conservation
09/2010 - 01/2012	Consultant on the Environment, Agriculture, Nature Conservation and Consumer Protection in the Representative Office of the Federal State of North Rhine-Westphalia with the European Union, Brussels
01/2004 - 08/2010	Head of the Public Relations and Consumer Information department, Press spokesperson of the North Rhine-Westphalian Federal State Office for Nature, the Environment and Consumer Protection, Recklinghausen, previously NRW Environment Office. Based in: Essen
1992 - 2003	Head of Public Relations and Technology Marketing at the Institute for Chemo- and Biosensor Technology, Münster
12/1991	Doctorate in Chemistry (Dr. rer. nat.) at the University of Münster (Westfälische Wilhelms-Universität)
1983 - 1988	Studied Chemistry at the University of Münster (Westfälische Wilhelms-Universität)
1974 - 1983	Ernst-Barlach-Gymnasium Castrop-Rauxel, Abitur (university entrance qualification)

2. The State Secretary's membership of various bodies:

- Represents the Free State of Thuringia as a member of the European Union's Committee of the Regions (CoR)
- Deutsches Nationaltheater und Staatskapelle Weimar GmbH - Thuringian State Theatre: Chair of the Supervisory Board
- Schloss Friedenstein Foundation: Chair of the Foundation Board
- Thuringian Palaces and Gardens Foundation: Chair of the Foundation Board

- Stiftung Ettersberg (Ettersberg Foundation): Deputy Chair of the Foundation Board
- Board of Trustees of the Bauhaus Verbund 2019: Chair of the Board of Trustees
- Thuringian-Hungarian Joint Commission: Co-Chair
- Stiftung Preußischer Kulturbesitz (Prussian Cultural Heritage Foundation): Member of the Foundation Board
- Kulturstiftung der Länder (Cultural Foundation of the German Federal States): Member of the Foundation Board
- Thüringer Tourismus GmbH (TTG): Member of the Supervisory Board
- Deutsches Museum München (German Museum Munich): Member of the Board of Trustees, representing the Minister-President
- Haus der Geschichte der Bundesrepublik Deutschland Bonn (House of the History of the Federal Republic of Germany): Member of the Board of Trustees
- International Building Exhibition (IBA) in Thuringia: Member of the Supervisory Board

3. The State Secretary's voluntary activities:

since 11/2014	Member of the SPD Executive Committee in Thuringia
2014 - 2015	Qualified Person on the City of Erfurt's Committee for Urban Development and the Environment
since 2014	Reserve candidate for the European Parliament
01/2014 - 03/2015	Lay judge at Erfurt Local Court
seit 2013	Federal State Board of the working group Social-Democratic Women (ASF); since 11/2014: Deputy Chair
2003 - 2009	Member of the Board of the broadcaster WDR: Deputy Chair of the Committee for Broadcasting Development
2002 - 2004	Member of the SPD Executive Committee in North Rhine-Westphalia, Founder of the Working Group on Agriculture and Consumer Protection
1995 - 2000	Qualified Person on the City of Münster's Economic Affairs Committee, focusing on Münster as a technology business location
1992 - 2003	Various voluntary activities in own children's kindergarten and school; Member of Lebenshilfe für Menschen mit geistiger Behinderung Herne e. V. (charity supporting people with intellectual disabilities)
1989 - 2004	Various voluntary activities in SPD committees in Münster, including Deputy Chair of the Subdistrict 1993 - 1995 and 1999 - 2003; Chair of the Münster-Geist local branch 1991 - 1993, Münster-Angelmodde local branch 1993 - 1997
1980 - 1985	Active in the peace movement, participated in Easter Marches and demonstrations, including in the Hofgarten, Bonn against nuclear weapons
1980 - 1983	Active in BUND, Castrop-Rauxel local group