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Born 1951 in Wilhelmshaven, Germany. Abitur at the Humboldt-gymnasium in Wilhelmshaven 1969. Studied Philosophy, Political Science, and Literature at Hamburg University from 1969 to 1975. Doctoral Studies in Hamburg 1975 to 1978. Dr. phil. 1978. From 1978 to 1992 Journalist for "Stern"-Magazine and "Die Zeit" (Weekly Newspaper). Assistant Professor at the University of Halle-Wittenberg from 1992 to 1996. Associate Professor 1996 to 1999. 1999 Professor at the University of Essen, 2000-2001 at Hamburg University. Since End of 2001 Chair of Political Theory and History of Ideas at Goettingen University and Fellow at the Essen Institute of Cultural Sciences.

Publication of 17 Books in German, Swedish, Korean, Norwegian and Portuguese, and more than 100 scientific essays, Lemmata in 18 Encyclopedias and Dictionaries including Dictionnaire des Science Humaines, Presses Universitaire des France and Neil J. Smelser/Paul B. Baltes (Ed.), *International Encyclopedia of the Social and Behavioral Sciences*.

Main Research Topics: Civil Society and Communitarian Ideas, Globalization, New Developments in Political Theory, Transcultural Political Theory, History of Ideas with special focus on political philosophy as well as political theory in North America and Europe, Political Ethics, Culture of Responsibility.

Academic Grants and Awards, "Drittmittel"

1993 Centre National de la Recherche Scientifique, Paris, Robert-Bosch-Stiftung

1994 Fulbright Fellowship, New York University

1996 Christian-Wolff-Award, Martin-Luther-University Halle-Wittenberg

1996-1999 Co-Speaker DFG Graduiertenkolleg "Identitätsforschung" Halle-Wittenberg (DFG Grant)

2001 Third Way and Communitarianism, Grant from Goethe-Institute, Singapore

2002 Civil Engagement and Communitarian Political Theory, Conference Grant from Fritz-Thyssen-Foundation, Göttingen

2004-2010 Research Fellow, Institute of Cultural Sciences, Essen

since 2005 Member, Center for the Theories and Methods of the Cultural Sciences (ZMTK), Göttingen

2005 – 2007 Director of Studies Euroculture Goettingen, Erasmus-Mundus-Grant (4 Mill. € in toto)

2007 Director, Interuniversity Center Dubrovnik (with Zvonko Posavec), DAAD Grant

Since 2004 Member of the Advisory Board of the Goettingen Journal of International Law

Since 1985 Editor of "Perspektiven ds" (Quarterly Journal)

Since 2004 Friedrich-Ebert-Foundation, Member of the Central Committee for the Selection of the Scholarship Holders of the Foundation

2008-2010 Religion et Société Civile, Doctoral Project with the Université Mohammed V in Rabat, with Irene Schneider, Islamic Studies, Germany, Yahia Abou El Farah, Rabat, Fatima Harrak, Rabat (DAAD-Grant)

2008-2010 Strategy Project, Post Crisis Banking, Think Tank Deekeling Arndt Advisors, Düsseldorf

2009 Tokyo University, Komaba Campus, „Reform“ and „Restauration“. Implementing Political and socio-cultural Change in Prussia and Japan. Conference of German and Japanese Historians, DAAD-Grant

Cooperations and Networks

Since 1996 Institute of Communitarian Policy Studies, Amitai Etzioni, George-Washington-University, Washington D.C.,

Since 1996 Friedrich-Ebert-Foundation, Berlin/Bonn

Wittenberg Center for Global Ethics, Andreas Suchanek

Institute of Cultural Sciences, Essen

Since 2005 Ingo Pies, Halle and Martin Leschke, Bamberg: Theories of Political Economy

SASE (Society for the Advancement of Socio-Economics)

Since 2008 Institute of Korean Studies, Freie Universität Berlin (Eun-Jeung Lee)

Since 2012 Associated Member of Lichtenberg-Kolleg Goettingen