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EDUCATION:

Habilitation, Geography, University of Salzburg, Austria, 1993
Doctor of Science (Dr.rer.nat.), Geography, University of Vienna, Austria, 1984
Master of Science (Mag.rer.nat), Geography, University of Vienna, Austria, 1982

RESEARCH INTERESTS:

Geographical Information Science and Systems. Remote Sensing and Image Processing. Internet-based geographical applications and interoperable systems. Geographic Information Infrastructures. Spatial Analysis Techniques. Digital Terrain Models. Theoretical Topoclimatology. Spatial modelling of renewable and sustainable energy potentials. Spatial Statistics and Geostatistics. Modelling and Simulation of dynamic processes. Open Systems architectures, interfaces, metadata and catalogues. Location based systems and services. Internet-based distance education. Active learning in online environments and design of interactive learning materials.

POSITIONS HELD:

2006 - Director, Institute for Geographic Information Sciences, Austrian Academy of Sciences
2003 Prof h.c., Kyrgyz State University CTA
2003 - Chair, Geography Curriculum Commission, University of Salzburg
2002 - (Adjunct) Associate Professor, University of Redlands, USA
2002 - 2005 Director, Studio "iSPACE" – Research Studios Austria (Austrian Research Centers)
1999 - 2002 Chair, Department of Geography and Geoinformatics, Salzburg University
1993 - Associate Professor, Salzburg University, Austria
1988 - Director, (now) Centre for Geoinformatics, University of Salzburg, Austria
1985 - 1993 Assistant Professor, University of Salzburg, Austria
1981 - 1984 Research Associate, University of Vienna and University of Victoria (Canada)

Select ACADEMIC / PROFESSIONAL FUNCTIONS (current):

- Full Member, Austrian Academy of Sciences
- Austrian Association for Geographical Information (AGEO). Co-Founder and President since 2007
- International Institute for Geographic Information (IIG). Founder and President since 1999
- Editorial board memberships: Transactions in GIScience (Blackwell) / GIS Science, GISbusiness (abc Verlag) / Geocarto International / International Journal of Geoinformatics / Journal of Geomatics / etc.
- Chair: UNIGIS International Association (www.unigis.net)
- European Master in GI Science. Project leader and board chair
- Co-founder and adviser to "GIS Cluster Salzburg"
- Member, GISIG Executive Committee
- Board of Directors, Global Spatial Data Infrastructure Organisation (GSDI)

Quick links

Z_GIS Centre for Geoinformatics: <http://www.uni-salzburg.at/zgis/>
AGIT Annual Symposium and Exhibition: <http://www.agit.at>
GI_Forum Geoinformatics Forum Salzburg: <http://www.gi-forum.org>
UNIGIS MSc program: <http://www.unigis.ac.at>
Int'l **UNIGIS** network: <http://www.unigis.net>
European Masters: <http://www.euromastergi.org>
GIS Industry: <http://www.giscluster.at>
ÖAW GIScience: <http://www.oeaw.ac.at/giscience>

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