

Curriculum Vitae

Michael Daxner

Date and Place of Birth: 1947 Vienna

Citizenships: German and Austrian

Education

- 1995 Honorary Doctorate State University of Novosibirsk, Russia
1990 Doctor of Humane Letters, Towson University, Md., USA
1972 PhD in Education (Thesis), English-American Studies and Philosophy
1966 – 1972 University of Vienna, University of Freiburg (Germany): Education, English-American Studies, History, Social Science and Philosophy.

Professional Career

- 2009 Member, Supervisory Board, International College, Mitrovica
2009 Member, Strategic Board Austrian Exchange Service (OeAD)
2009 Fellow in Residence, Remarque Center, New York University
2008 - Guest Fellow at the Special Research Area “Governance in Areas of Limited Statehood” SFB 700, Free University Berlin
- 2008 Research Professor SFB 700 Free University Berlin (Oct. 08-Feb. 09)**
- 2007 - 2009 President, the Council the Magna Charta Observatory
2007 - 2009 Guest teaching at the Free University of Berlin
Spokesperson of the research group on the Culture of Intervention
2005 – 2007 Expert missions to Afghanistan: Research on intervention cultures; co-operation with AUAF and UNAMA; migration project reviews
2006 - 2007 Guest-Teaching at the University of Vienna
2005 Expert mission to Afghanistan (Higher Education legislation, Rectors Conference, on German assignment)
2004 - 2006 Expert on SEE-Education, Counsellor to the Austrian Government (Science and Education), focus on SEE and the Austrian EU-Presidency 2006
- 2004 Professor of Sociology: Resuming lecturing and research at the University of Oldenburg**
- 2004 - Professor (Sociology) at the post-graduate Programme Master of International Studies: Institute for the Danube Region and Central Europe (IDM), Vienna
July 2003 Expert on Refugee Education in the Caucasus and Balkans, for the Council of Europe

**March 2003 – July 2004 Engagement in Afghan Higher Education Reform
(commissioned by German Rectors and German Academic Exchange
on behalf of the German Foreign Office)**

October 2002 Counsellor to the Austrian Government (Science & Education) on
Soft Sector Policies in South East Europe

May 2002 Special Counsellor to the UNMIK Office, Belgrade (FRY)

**2000-2002 UNMIK: Principal International Officer , Ministry of
Education.Technology, Provisional Self-Government in
Kosovo
Department of Education, Science and Technology**

2002 - 2009 Lecturer at the Salzburg Seminar Session 419, the University
Program and the International Study Program (ISP) >20 sessions
2001- 2007 Member of the Collegium: Bologna Observatory (Magna Charta)

**2000 Head of the UNMIK Department of Education and Science;
International Administrator of the University of Pristina**

1999 Treasurer IAUP (International Association of University Presidents)

1998 Professor of Sociology, University of Oldenburg

Member, Austrian Board of Universities (-2003)
Brandenburg Board of Universities (until 2000, 2003 - 2007)
Commission on the Review of Professional Higher Education
Employment, Federal Ministry of Education (Germany) (- 1999)
Board of the European University Association (CRE, - 2001)

1995 Member of the Presidency of the International Association of
University Presidents

1994 Member of the International Academy of Higher Education, Moscow

1994 German delegate to the Council of Europe Committee on Higher
Education and Research

1993 Member, Senate of the Niedersachsen Foundation

1993 Member, Senate of the German Rectors Conference

1992 International Commission of the German Rectors Conference (HRK)

1991 - 2000 Board of Foundation “Labour and Environment”

**1986 - 1998 President of the Carl-von-Ossietzky University Oldenburg
(Germany), 2 periods**

1974 Professor of Higher Education, University of Osnabrueck (Germany)

**1970 – 74 Higher Education Reform and International Desks in the Federal
Ministry of Science and Research (Vienna)**

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