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Professor – Mediator/Trainer for Non-Violent Communication – Musician

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## Functions (within University)

- Director of Research Centre for Innovation in Education and Professional Development (ZeBiP)
- Dean of Study Affairs of Faculty I
- Senate Deputy for foreign relations with Asia
- Head of MA Educational Science
- Head of MA Inter-Cultural Education/Cultural Mediation
- Ombudsman for PhD issues
- Elected member of the board of the faculty and senate

## Research Focus

- International and Intercultural Comparative Educational Science – Focus: Global Citizenship Education, Global Learning, Education for Sustainability, Peace Education
- School Development – Focus: Basic Education and School Theory concerning globalisation
- Qualitative-interpretative Educational Research – Focus: Grounded Theory and Documentary Method
- Methodology of Science – Focus: System-theoretical Educational Science and Philosophical Anthropology

## Career

- Prof. of Educational Science/Education of Difference at Weingarten University of Education (since 2007)
- Associate Prof. University of Erlangen-Nuremberg (2001 – 2007)
- Coordinator of Intercultural Education working group at University of Hannover (1990 – 2000)
- Habilitation on School-Theory concerning Globalisation, Erlangen-Nuremberg (2007)
- Teacher for Primary- and Secondary Education, Nuremberg (2002 – 2004)
- Dissertation on Non-Formal Education in India and Bangladesh, Hannover (2000)
- Scholar of Evangelisches Studienwerk Villigst (1996 – 1999)
- Teacher for clarinet, Hannover county (1992 – 1999)
- 1st and 2nd State Exam for Primary and Secondary Schools, Hannover (Music, German, Catholic Theology/religious education) (1994, 2001)
- Studies of Teacher Training for Secondary School, Hannover (French, German, Catholic Theology/religious education) (1989 – 1992)
- Mediator (since 1998) and trainer for non-violent communication (since 2005)
- Scientific international experience in Africa (Egypt, Senegal), Asia (Bangladesh, India, Japan), America (Brazil, Chile), Europe (Belgium, Belarus, France, Great Britain, Ireland, Netherlands)

## Awards

- Nominated for the Baden-Wuerttemberg State Teaching Award related to the project ‘Non-violent Communication within Higher Education’ (2017)
- Teaching award of the University of Education for the project ‘activities of Non-Violent Communication’ bestowed by the regional Savings Bank Ravensburg (2015)
- Award for distinguished achievements of teaching within higher education by the VC of University Erlangen-Nuremberg (2007)
- Award for excellent study achievements and outstanding commitment by the Ministry of Education and Science, Lower Saxony (1993)

## Scientific Advisory Councils (Selection)

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Barbara Budrich Publisher (Leverkusen) – GREAT/German Research Center for Cooperative Vocational Education and Training (Köln) – Pax Christi, German Branch (Berlin) – Xertifix (Hannover) – Sudbury School (Ammersee)

## **Memberships (Selection)**

### *Academic*

German Society for Educational Science

- 2002 – 2011 management board member of Commission ‘Educational Research with the Third World’, since 2005 ‘Comparative and International Educational Science’
- 2006 – 2007 President of Section International and Intercultural Comparative Educational Science

Germany University Union

Helmuth Plessner Society

### *Commitment within civil society*

Association of World Citizens, German Branch

Peace region Lake Constance

Professional Association of Non Violent Communication

Union of Education and Science

Xertifix

International Fellowship of Reconciliation, German Branch (Co-President of India Commission)

## **Scientific Journalism**

since 2008	Editorial board member of International Journal of Development Education and Global Learning (IJDEGL)
since 1998	Editorial board member of Zeitschrift für Internationale Bildungsforschung und Entwicklungspädagogik (Journal of International Education Research and Development Education (ZEP) (1998 – 2007 Director of Editorial Office)