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Professional career
since 10/2004 Full professor and Ernst & Young - chair of business administration and accounting at Mannheim University
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10/2003 – 9/2004 Departmental representation for accounting at the Otto-von- Guericke-University, Magdeburg
4/1996 – 10/2003 Research assistant and assistant professor at University of Bielefeld, chair of business administration, operations & managerial accounting (Prof. Dr. H. Jahnke)

Education
4/1996 – 2/2004 doctoral and postdoctoral studies at University of Bielefeld
Habilitation: Internationalization of accounting, auditing and corporate governance
doctoral thesis: Cost and benefits of stock option programs
10/1991 – 03/1996 studies of business administration & economics (Betriebswirtschaftslehre) at University of Bielefeld
diploma thesis: Reasons for and consequences of the differences between the definition of income in commercial law and tax law

Memberships in scientific organizations
- American Accounting Association (AAA)
- Erich-Gutenberg-Arbeitsgemeinschaft
- EON Ruhrgasstiftung, Stipendienfonds- Vergabeausschuss
- European Accounting Association (EAA)
- European Auditing Research Network (EARnet)
- Gesellschaft für Operations Research (GOR)
- International Association for Accounting Education and Research (IAAER)
- Schmalenbach Gesellschaft
- Verband der Hochschullehrer für Betriebswirtschaft (VHB)
- Verein für Socialpolitik, Ausschuss Unternehmensrechnung

Editorial board memberships
- Associate Editor: OR Spectrum
- Business Research (BuR)
- Die Betriebswirtschaft (DBW)

Referee experience

- Applied Mathematical Modelling
- Business Research
- Contemporary Accounting Research

- Die Betriebswirtschaft
- Die Unternehmung
- European Accounting Review
- European Journal of Operational Research
- IIE Transactions (Operations Engineering)
- International Journal of Production and Economics
- International Transactions in Operational Research
- Journal für Betriebswirtschaft
- Journal of Financial Intermediation
- OR Spectrum
- Schmalenbach Business Review
- Zeitschrift für Betriebswirtschaft
- Zeitschrift für betriebswirtschaftliche Forschung
- Zeitschrift für Controlling & Management
- Jahrestagungen der American Accounting Association, der German Economic Association of Business Administration sowie des Verbandes der Hochschullehrer für Betriebswirtschaft
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