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Date of Birth: October 25, 1960

Fields of Expertise:

Energy Efficiency and the related Policy, Energy Services,
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Professional Experience

2003 – present	Director, Research Division Energy, Transport and Climate Policy, Wuppertal Institute for Climate, Environment and Energy German Co-Chair of the GJETC, Wuppertal Institute
1993 – 2003	Project Co-ordinator in the Energy Division and Scientific Coordination: Energy Efficiency and New Business Concepts, Wuppertal Institute
1991 – 1993	Research fellow and Project Co-oordinator in the Energy Division at the Öko-Institut, Darmstadt Office

Special Assigments

2012 – 2014	Co-Chair of the International Energy Program Evaluation Conference (IEPEC)
2012 – present	Member, Editorial Board of Journal „Energy Efficiency"

About Wuppertal Institute for Climate, Environment and Energy

The Wuppertal Institute undertakes research and develops models, strategies and instruments for transitions to a sustainable development at local, national and international level. Sustainability research at the Wuppertal Institute focuses on the resources, climate and energy related challenges and their relation to economy and society. Special emphasis is put on analysing and stimulating innovations that decouple economic growth and wealth from natural resource use.

Research focus are the transition processes towards a sustainable development. Based on scientific disciplinary findings, the research conducted towards this end combines its approaches to generate practical and actor-oriented solutions. Problems, solutions and networks are equally focused on global, national and regional/local levels.

Research Groups:

- Future Energy and Mobility Structures

- Energy, Transport and Climate Policy

- Sustainable Production and Consumption