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### **CURRENT POSITIONS**

- Professor of Public International Law in the University of Oxford and Tutorial Fellow in Law, St Anne's College, Oxford (2008-)
- Course Director, Public International Law, Oxford Foreign Service Programme (2003-)
- Rechtsanwalt (2003-) and Barrister, 20 Essex Street Chambers, London (2008-)

### **PREVIOUS ACADEMIC AND PROFESSIONAL APPOINTMENTS**

- Reader and before that University Lecturer in Public International Law, University of Oxford, and Tutorial Fellow in Law, St Anne's College, Oxford (2003-2008)
- Associate Professor, Tübingen University (2002-2003)
- Assistant Professor, Tübingen University (1997-2002)
- Rechtsreferendar [assistant judge; acting prosecutor], Higher Regional Court of Appeal, Stuttgart (1995-1997)

### **VISITING AND ADJUNCT PROFESSORSHIPS**

- Visiting Professor, University of Leuven, Belgium (2010)
- Visiting Professor, Moritz College of Law, The Ohio State University (2008)
- Visiting Professor, Université Panthéon-Assas (Paris II) (2006)
- Visiting Erskine Fellow, University of Canterbury, New Zealand (2006)
- Adjunct Professor, Ohio State University and University of Georgia (2005-2009)
- Visiting Professor, Yeditepe University, Istanbul (2003)
- Visiting Professor, University Aix-Marseille III (2002, 2003)
- Visiting Professor, Jaroslaw-Mudryi Academy, Charkov, Ukraine (2001)

### **EDUCATION**

- Doctoral studies at the University of Oxford (St Antony's College) (1992-1995)
- Law studies at the Universities of Tübingen, Munich, Cambridge (Wolfson College) (1985-1992)
- Military service (Lieutenant) (1984-1985)
- Neuenbürg Grammar School (1981-1984)

### **ACADEMIC AND PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS**

- Barrister (Lincoln's Inn), member of the English Bar (called 26 July 2007)
- Master of Arts (M.A.) by resolution, Oxford University (2003)
- Rechtsanwalt, member of the German Bar (called 21 April 2003)
- Habilitation, Tübingen University (2002), Venia legendi for German Public Law, including Public International Law and European Law
- Second State Examination in Law, Higher Regional Court of Appeal, Stuttgart (1997)

- Doctor of Philosophy (D.Phil.), Oxford University (1995)
- First State Examination in Law, Tübingen University (1992)
- Master of Law (LL.M.), Cambridge University (1989)

#### **PROFESSIONAL WORK**

- Counsel and Advocate for the Government of Botswana in the *Case Concerning Kasikili/Sedudu Island (Botswana/Namibia)* before the International Court of Justice, [1999] ICJ Reports 1045 und Compte Rendue 99/9, pp. 21-46, Compte Rendue 99/12, pp. 26-39
- Legal opinion for the Government of Nigeria in the *Case Concerning Land and Maritime Boundary Between Cameroon and Nigeria (Cameroon v. Nigeria)* before the International Court of Justice
- Counsel and advocate for the applicants in *R (on the application of Kibris Turk Hava Yollari and CTA Holidays) v. Secretary for Transport*, High Court, Divisional Court, London, [2009] EWHC 1918 (Admin); Court of Appeal (Civil Division), London, [2010] EWCA Civ1093
- Counsel for the intervenors in *Apostolides v. Orams (British Residents' Society Intervening)*, Court of Appeal (Civil Division), London, [2010] EWCA Civ 9
- Counsel for the appellant in *Page v. Eckert*, High Court, Queen's Bench Division, London
- Counsel for the respondent in *Demopoulos and others v. Turkey* [8 test cases], European Court of Human Rights, Grand Chamber, Strasbourg
- Advising the Government of the Republic of Turkey on questions of international law
- Advising the Government of the Turkish Republic of Northern Cyprus on questions of international law
- Expert evidence (two declarations) on the financing of terrorism in international law in the cases *Almog v. Arab Bank* and *Afriat Kurtzer v. Arab Bank*, United States District Court, Eastern District of New York, 471 F.Supp.2d 257 (E.D.N.Y., 2007)
- Legal opinion for the British Defence Technology and Security Company QinetiQ on questions of the law of the sea and EC environmental law aspects of the Royal Navy's new active sonar system S2087 (with Professor Vaughan Lowe)
- Legal opinions for LeBoeuf, Lamb, Greene & MacRae LLP, New York, on financing of terrorism, genocide and crimes against humanity, complicity in international law
- Legal opinion for the Government of Australia concerning its submissions to the Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf (with Professor Vaughan Lowe)
- Legal advice to a multinational corporation implicated in the Oil-for-Food Programme
- Legal opinion on the status of archaeological objects found in the Adriatic Sea
- Legal advice on archaeological excavations in Turkish-occupied northern Cyprus
- Legal opinion on US Congress Resolution 562H and the expropriation of private property in Soviet-occupied former East Germany
- Legal opinion for the German Army Medical Corps on the application of German laws to German troops abroad

#### **ACADEMIC ACTIVITIES**

- External Reviewer, Open Society Justice Initiative, *Corporate War Crimes: Prosecuting Businesses for Pillaging Natural Resources*, Manual for War Crimes Prosecutors (2010)

- Member, Selection Committee for the positions of CUF Lecturer, Oxford Law Faculty (2009); Departmental Lecturer in International Refugee and Human Rights Law, Oxford Department of International Development (2009); Research Associate, Oxford Institute for Ethics, Law and Armed Conflict (2008)
- Expert reviewer for a Friedrich Wilhelm Bessel Research Award of the Alexander von Humboldt Foundation (2009)
- Expert reviewer for the Research Council of the Catholic University of Leuven (K.U. Leuven) (2009, 2010)
- External Examiner for doctoral thesis, Cambridge University (2009); IMO International Maritime Law Institute, Malta (2007, 2008)
- External Adviser to the Appointment Committee, appointment of the director of the Max Planck Institute for Social Law in Munich (2007)
- External Reviewer, World Bank Paper “‘Odious Debts’: Some Considerations’ (2007)
- Member, ILA International Committee on Non-State Actors (2007-)
- External Reviewer, Cluster of Excellence ‘Future Oceans’, Kiel University, Germany (2007)
- Member, International Review Panel, NORFACE, [a partnership of twelve European Research Councils] (2007)
- External Assessor, chair appointment, law of the sea, Kiel University, Germany (2007)
- Convenor, Public International Law teaching group, and Faculty Co-ordinator of the Public International Law Discussion Group, Oxford University (2006-2009)
- Evaluation of Research Proposals for the German-Israeli Foundation for Scientific Research & Development (2005)
- Assessor, OSI/FCO Chevening Scholarship Scheme (2003-)
- Provide legal training for Royal Navy barristers (2003-2006, 2008)
- Provide legal training to African lawyers, International Lawyers for Africa (2007-)
- Referee for Oxford University Press (1998-), Cambridge University Press (2004-), Hart Publishing (2004-), Martinus Nijhoff Publishers (2005-)
- Referee, Social Science History (2001), Chinese Journal of International Law (2002-), Oxford Journal of Legal Studies (2003-), Melbourne Journal of International Law (2007), Cyprus Review (2007), International and Comparative Law Quarterly (2009-); Journal of International Criminal Justice (2010)
- Specialist training in international humanitarian law (1996)

#### **ACADEMIC PRIZES AND SCHOLARSHIPS**

- Invitation to serve as Director of Studies at the Hague Academy of International Law during the public international law section in 2011 (2008)
- Award of €10,000 by the German Research Foundation for the book ‘Kollektive Nichtanerkennung illegaler Staaten’ [Collective Non-recognition of Illegal States], recognized as a ‘work of high scientific quality and originality’ (2003)
- Award of €2,000 by the German Foreign Office for ‘Kollektive Nichtanerkennung illegaler Staaten’ (2002)
- Teacher of the Year Award (DM 40,000), Federal State of Baden-Württemberg (2000)
- Scholarship of the German-British Jurists’ Association (1996)
- Scholarship of the Dutch Government for attending the summer course in public international law at the Hague Academy of International Law (1995)

- Rhodes Scholarship (1991-1994)
- Scholarship of the German National Academic Foundation (1987-1988)
- Scholarship of the Konrad-Adenauer-Foundation (1986-1991)

**MEMBERSHIP OF PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES**

- American Society of International Law (since 1993)
- British Institute of International and Comparative Law (since 1994)
- German Society of the United Nations (since 2003)
- German Society of International Law (since 2002)
- German Society of Constitutional Law Teachers (since 2002)
- International Law Association (first German, later British Branch) (since 2000)
- International Society for Military Law and the Law of War (since 1998)

**LANGUAGES**

- German (speaking: fluent, reading: fluent, writing: fluent)
- French (speaking: basic, reading: intermediate, writing: intermediate)