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Academic education	Study of economics in Heidelberg, Tokyo (Sophia University) and	
	Cologne. 1986 diploma in economics, Cologne University, with a thesis in econometrics,	
	1990 PhD in economics, Cologne University, with a thesis in industrial	
	organization,	
	1996 Habilitation in	economics, Cologne University, with a thesis on
	Japanese post war economic development.	
Professional	12/1986 to 11/1989	research assistant, Cologne University.
Experience	12/1989 to 10/1992	research associate, German Monopolies
		Commission, Cologne.
	11/1992 to 10/1997	senior research fellow, German Institute for
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	Since 11/1997	Professor for Japanese Economy at Japan Centre
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		Maximilians-University (LMU) Munich.
	10/2010 to 03/2012	leave from LMU to teach and conduct research at
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Research priorities	Japanese economy, Japan's fiscal and monetary policy, corporate	
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