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Current:

05/2015 –

Univ.Ass. (*post doc*), Lecturer & Researcher

University of Vienna – Faculty of Law (Department of European, International and Comparative Law)

- *Managing Editor* of the Austrian Review of International and European Law (ARIEL)
- *Research focus*: international public order in dispute settlement, social rights, investment law, international and European environmental law, rights of indigenous peoples
- *External Lecturing: i.a.* at (postgraduate) Vienna Master of Arts in Human Rights (University of Vienna), IMC University of Applied Sciences (Krems, AT)

03/2010 –

Translations of legal texts (English-German/German-English)

- *i.a.* for Greenpeace, Institut für Technikfolgen-Abschätzung (Österreichische Akademie der Wissenschaften), Austrian Review for International and European Law

Education:

10/2007 – 03/2015

Ph.D.

University of Vienna

- Graduated with distinction
- Thesis: 'A Legal Guide to the Rights of Peoples: The Determination of Elements of Sovereignty Through the Exercise of the Right to Self-Determination'

09/2008 – 08/2009

LL.M. in Natural Resources Law and International Environmental Law

University of Iceland

10/2002 – 04/2007

- Graduated with distinction (top of the class)
- Thesis: 'The Principle of Permanent Sovereignty over Natural Resources and Its Modern Implications'

Mag. iur. (Masters of Law)

University of Vienna

- Specialization (with distinction): Law of International Relations
- ERASMUS exchange program at University of Amsterdam (08/2004 – 01/2005)

Selected Work Experience:

04/2014 – 03/2016

Legal Researcher

Ludwig Boltzmann Institute for Human Rights,

<http://bim.lbg.ac.at/en>

- Project lead and management
- *Research focus*: Extraterritorial human rights obligations and climate change, international environmental law ('ClimAccount'), migration ('ASSESS'), EU (human rights) law ('CFREU')

09/2011 – 10/2014

Environmental Lawyer

Ökobüro – coordinating body for Austrian environmental organisations

- *Studies and legal drafting* (i.a. protected areas, European citizen initiatives)
- *Environmental law research* (international, European and national law)

03/2010 – 04/2014

Univ.Ass. (*prae doc*), Lecturer & Researcher

University of Vienna – Faculty of Law (Department of European, International and Comparative Law)

- *Head Coach* of the University of Vienna's International Law Moot Court Team (Jessup and Telders)
- *Editorial Assistant* of the Austrian Review of International and European Law (ARIEL)
- *Research focus*: International and European Environmental Law, Rights of Indigenous Peoples, Autonomy and Statehood in International Law, Dispute Settlement, Human Rights Law, European Union Law, State Responsibility

03/2012 – 12/2012

Environmental Lawyer

Justice & Environment – European Network of Environmental Law Organisations

02/2010 – 03/2010
and
10/2007 – 02/2008

- *Policy papers on environmental law topics (i.a., climate change, EIA, ETS, Aarhus Convention, energy efficiency, nuclear energy, environmental liability)*
- *Environmental law research (international and european law)*

Judicial Clerkship

Austrian Domestic Civil & Criminal Court System

Further Education:

08/2007

International Summer Academy on International Treaty Law

Erik Castren Institute of International Law and Human Rights, Helsinki, Finland

08/2006

Baltic Summer Academy on International Humanitarian Law

International Committee of the Red Cross, Aukštadvaris, Lithuania

10/2005 – 04/2006

Philip C. Jessup International Law Moot Court Competition

University of Vienna

06/2004

Legal Training on Anti-Discrimination

European Inter-University Centre for Human Rights and Democratisation, Lido, Venice

Scholarships and Grants:

2004 – 2007

University of Vienna

multiple excellence scholarships

2004/2005

ÖAD

mobility grant

Languages:

English (native speaker), **German** (native speaker), **French** (A2 level), **Dutch** (A2 level), **Spanish** (A2 level)

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