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Born on January 15th 1959 in Koprivnica/Croatia.

Married, three children.

Roman-catholic.

Resident in Gundelsheim-Böttingen.

POLITICAL COMMITMENT

since 2009	Member of the Regional Assembly Heilbronn-Franken and the County Council Heilbronn
since 2005	Member of the German Bundestag for Heilbronn constituency, two times elected via the SPD land list Baden-Württemberg
since 2004	Member of the Gundelsheim town council
since 1997	Member of the SPD state executive board Baden-Württemberg
since 1993	Deputy Chair of the SPD district chapter Heilbronn-Land
1986 - 1989	Deputy Chair of the Young Socialists of the SPD Heilbronn-Land
1984 - 1991	Chair of the SPD Gundelsheim
since 1982	Member of the Social Democratic Party of Germany (SPD)

MEMBERSHIP IN BUNDESTAG COMMITTEES

Member of the Committee on Labour and Social Affairs

Substitute member of the Committee on the Affairs of the European Union

Deputy Chair of the Parliamentary Friendship Groups Bosnia-Herzegovina and Croatia

Member of the Parliamentary Friendship Groups Slovenia, South Eastern Europe and United States

Member of the Prayer Breakfast Group

Member of the SPD Trade Union Council

Member of the Parliamentary Associations automobile cultural asset, inland water transport and rail traffic

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE AND EDUCATION

1983 - 2005	Assembly line worker, product auditor, works council at Audi AG Neckarsulm
1981 - 1983	Working as a car mechanic, Mannheim and Bad Friedrichshall
1976 - 1979	Vocational training as a car mechanic, Bad Rappenau
1976	Certificate of Secondary Education in Gundelsheim/Württemberg
1966 - 1976	School education in Koprivnica/Croatia and Gundelsheim

TRADE UNION COMMITMENT

2008	Integration award of the European Society Diaphania for the IG Metall peace initiative „Novi Most – Neue Brücke“
2000 - 2005	Liaison officer of the international department of the IG Metall federal board; coordinator of the cooperation with South Eastern European trade unions
1992	Foundation and coordination of the IG Metall peace initiative „Novi Most – Neue Brücke“ for former Yugoslavians in Germany
1984 - 2005	Shop steward of the IG Metall at Audi AG Neckarsulm
since 1983	Member of the IG Metall

FURTHER MEMBERSHIPS

Founder member of the initiative „Supporting lower secondary students“.

Arbeiterwohlfahrt (Workers Welfare Organisation), Sozialverband VdK (interest group for social matters), BUND, NABU.

Supporting membership in various regional associations.