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Academic Functions:	Full professor for private law and banking law Director of the Institute of Banking Law Co-Director of the Institute of Private Law Member of the Executive Board, World Trade Institute Adjunct Professor, Cornell Law School
Other Functions:	Member of the board of directors of the Swiss Financial Market Supervisory Authority (FINMA) Member of the academic council of the Max-Planck-Institute of foreign and international law, Hamburg, Germany Member of the academic council of the German Banking Law Conference Editor-in-Chief of the Swiss Review of Business Law (SZW) Co-Editor of the Journal of Legal Practice and Education (recht) Editor of the book series "Swiss Banking Law Conference" Editor for financial markets law of the Review Jusletter Member of the Bern research network for financial research Member of the European Company Law Experts group (ECLE)
Previous Functions	Vice-President of the Swiss Takeover Board (until 2017) Member of the Swiss Government's Advisory Board on Financial Policy and Regulation (2013 - 2019)
Teaching	Contract Law; financial regulation

## Biography

1971–1986	Schools in Fribourg (AFS exchange student, USA)
1986–1987	Volunteer with the Colombian Red Cross, Cali, Colombia
1988–1992	Law studies at the University of Fribourg and at the University of Bologna Law Schools, J.D.
1992–1993	LL.M. degree, Cornell University Law School (Rotary ambassadorial scholar; associate editor of the Cornell International Law Journal)
1993–1994	New York bar exam; associate in a New York Law firm
1995–1996	Research assistant, Max-Planck-Institut for foreign and private international law, Hamburg (advising German courts on US law and international private law)
1996–1997	Law Clerk, district court of Zurich
1999	PhD degree, University of Fribourg (Thesis: feminist critique of contract law, <i>summa cum laude</i> . Awarded with the Walther Hug award [Switzerland], the Gottlob award [Fribourg Law Faculty], and award for gender studies [University of Fribourg])
1999	Zurich bar exam
1999–2000	Swiss Banking Commission (today: Swiss Financial Markets Supervisory Authority, FINMA) (Licensing of new banks, supervising bank mergers, regulatory enforcement)
2001–2002	Scholarship, Swiss National Foundation (Habilitation): Max-Planck-Institute Hamburg, Berkeley Law School, Paris II Law School
2002–2004	Associate Professor, University of Fribourg, Chair for Private Law
2004	Habilitation at the University of Fribourg, <i>venia legendi</i> for private law, commercial law and legal theory (Thesis: The Internal Governance of Banks. Foundations for the Coordination between Corporate Law and Supervisory Law)
2004–2005	Full professor, University of Fribourg, Chair for Private Law
Since 2005	Full professor for Private Law and Banking Law, University of Bern, Director of the Institute of Banking Law, Co-Director of the Institute of Private Law
Since 2014	Adjunct Professor, Cornell Law School
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Various fellowships and appointments as visiting professor, e.g. European University Institute Florence (fall 2009); NYU Law School (fall 2015, spring 2021); WU Vienna (spring 2019)