

## Curriculum Vitae

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#### Education

1954-56 Hochschule St. Georgen, Frankfurt/Main: Philosophy (Examen Philosophicum, 1956)  
1956-60 University of Freiburg/Brs.: Philosophy, Political Science, Education  
1960-61 University of London, Institute of Commonwealth Studies and School of Oriental and African Studies: Political Science, African History  
1962-65 University of Freiburg/Brs.: Political Science, Philosophy, Education  
(Dr. phil. in Political Science, 1965)

#### Professional Employment

1962-64 Research Fellow and Chairman, Africa Division, Arnold Bergstraesser Institute, Freiburg/Brs.  
1964-65 Deputy Director, Arnold Bergstraesser Institute, Freiburg/Brs.  
1965-71 Assistant Professor of Education and Political Science, Stanford University  
1971-79 Associate Professor of Education and Political Science, Stanford University (on leave 1974-77)  
1974-77 Director (D-2), International Institute for Educational Planning (UNESCO), Paris  
1979-93 Professor of Education and Political Science, Stanford University (Emeritus as of 9/94)  
1984-86 Associate Dean for Academic Affairs, School of Education, Stanford University  
1991-93 Director, Center for European Studies, Stanford University  
1993-99 Professor of Comparative Politics, Europa-Universität Viadrina Frankfurt/Oder  
1993-99 *Rektor* (President), Europa-Universität Viadrina Frankfurt/Oder (Emeritus as of 9/99)  
2014-17 Academic Secretary to the University, Stanford University

#### Other Professional Activities

Visiting Lecturer, School of Education, Stanford University, 1963  
Chair, Stanford International Development Education Center (SIDECE), 1968-93 (intermittently)  
Director, Francophone West African Educational Research Training Program, Stanford University, 1978-86  
Chair, Steering Committee, and Coordinator, Politics of Education Program, Institute for Research on Educational Finance and Governance, Stanford University, 1979-80  
Director, Stanford Study Program, Berlin, 1981  
Member, National Advisory Board, Institute for Contemporary German Studies, Johns Hopkins University, 1984-85  
Director, Stanford Study Program, Paris 1986-87

Director, Staff Development Programs for Senior Southeast Asian Educators, Stanford University, 1987-1993  
Visiting Professor/Scholar: University of Mannheim; Indiana University; University of Frankfurt/Main; Max Planck Institute for Educational Research, Berlin; Stockholm University; German Institute for International Educational Research, Frankfurt/Main; Europa-Universität Viadrina Frankfurt/Oder  
Board Member  
Hertie School of Governance, Berlin (2003-2009)  
University of Bielefeld (Deputy Chair, 2003-2008)  
University of Erfurt (2006-2008)  
Free University of Berlin (International Council, 2006-2018)  
Wirtschaftsuniversität Wien (International Advisory Board, 2007-2017)  
UNESCO Forum on Higher Education, Research, and Knowledge (Global Scientific Committee, 2003-2009)  
Beirat. Centrum für Hochschulentwicklung (CHE) (2008-2012)

### **Awards and Honors**

British Council Postgraduate Research Fellow, University of London, 1960-61  
Scholar-in-Residence, Institute for German Studies, Indiana University, 1971  
Academy Associate (to James B. Conant), National Academy of Education, 1972  
University Fellow, Stanford University, 1979-81  
Claude Eggertsen Lecture, Comparative and International Education Society, Atlanta, 1983  
Research Fellow, Japan Society for the Promotion of Science, 1988  
Fellow, Center for Advanced Study in the Behavioral Sciences, 1988-89  
Research Fellow: Friedrich Ebert Foundation, 1990; Deutscher Akademischer Austauschdienst, 1991  
The Lauwerys Memorial Lecture, Comparative Education Society of Europe, Groningen, 1998  
Commander's Cross of the Order of Merit of the Republic of Poland, 1999  
Honorary Citizenship, City of Frankfurt (Oder), 2000  
Officer's Cross of the Order of Merit of the Federal Republic of Germany, 2001  
Honorary doctorate (Dr. phil. h.c.), Viadrina European University, 2002  
"Reformer of the Decade Award", Centrum für Hochschulentwicklung (CHE), 2004  
Order of Merit ("Order of the Red Eagle"), State of Brandenburg, 2012

### **Major Grants/Contracts**

U.S. Office of Education, Education and the Formation of Social and Civic Attitudes, 1966-71  
Ford Foundation, Francophone West African Educational Research Training Program, 1978-86  
Spencer Foundation, Comparative Study of Educational Reform Policies, 1981-84  
U.S. Information Agency, University Affiliation Program with the Institute of International Education, University of Stockholm (with Martin Carnoy), 1984-87  
Governments of Malaysia, Philippines, and Indonesia, Staff Development Program for Senior Education Officials, 1987-1993  
German Marshall Fund of the United States, "Western Europe in the Classroom" Project for the California International Studies Project, 1987-1992  
Spencer Foundation, Study of "Diversity and Change in German Education", 1991-94  
Thyssen Stiftung, Research project on education in Eastern Germany, 1991-1993  
Otto-Wolff-Stiftung, Development grant for European scholarship at Viadrina European University, 1994-99  
Foundation for German-Polish Cooperation, Grant for joint German-Polish training program, 1993-99  
Deutsche Bank Foundation, Grant for graduate program in international finance at Viadrina European University, 1997-

### **International Consulting and Advisory Responsibilities (selection)**

International Bank for Reconstruction and Development (World Bank), Washington

African Development Bank, Abidjan  
 Federal Ministry for Economic Cooperation, Bonn/Germany  
 US Agency for International Development (USAID)  
 United States Congress: Testimony on UNESCO  
 Governments of Tanzania, Egypt, Norway, Malaysia, Indonesia  
 DaimlerChrysler Services (debis) AG, Berlin  
 Technical University Darmstadt  
 German-American Fulbright Commission  
 Centrum für Hochschulentwicklung (CHE)  
 Outside Examiner: University of Malaysia, McQuarie University, University of Stockholm  
 Foundations (grants, referee, consulting): Ford Foundation, Spencer Foundation, Thyssen  
 Stiftung, Volkswagen Stiftung, German Marshall Fund, National Academy of Science, Stifterverband für  
 die Deutsche Wissenschaft, Bertelsmann-Stiftung, Stiftungsfonds Deutsche Bank, Körber-Stiftung,  
 Stiftung für Deutsch-Polnische Zusammenarbeit, Dräger-Stiftung, Gemeinnützige Hertie-Stiftung,  
 Stiftung Brandenburger Tor, Stiftung Mercator, Deutsche Telekom-Stiftung  
 Commission on Higher Education of the State of Brandenburg  
 Commission on the Development of Higher Education for the State of Saxony (chair)  
 Mediator, Government of North Rhine-Westphalia/University of Wuppertal  
 Commission on the Future of the University of Applied Science of the Saar  
 Commission on the Re-Structuring of Higher Education in Hamburg (external adviser)  
 Jury for the assessment of private institutions of higher education in Germany (chair)  
 Jury for the "Best Practice" Award to outstanding German institutions of higher education (chair)  
 Advisory Board for the assessment of innovative projects in German teacher education (chair)  
 Commission on the future of higher education and research, State of Thuringia  
 Advisor to the Deutsche Bahn AG for a project on Higher Education and Labor Markets  
 Advisory Board on the future of higher education in the state of Baden-Württemberg  
 Commission on "Demography, Labor Markets and Higher Education", Wissenschaftsrat  
 Faculty Advisor and Chair, European Roundtable, Continuing Studies Program, Stanford University  
 Evaluation Panel, Wissenschaftszentrum Berlin  
 Panel of Evaluators, Excellence Initiative for German Higher Education  
 Advisor to the President, Technical University Munich (TUM)  
 Federal Grants Commission for high-level research and innovation in Eastern Germany (chair)  
 Commission (Stifterverband, Kultusministerkonferenz) on awards for exemplary university teaching  
 programs  
 Commission on supporting teacher education in mathematics and the natural sciences (Telekom-Stiftung)  
 (chair)  
 Quality Audit, University of Freiburg (chair)  
 Co-chair (with U.S. Ambassador to Germany), U.S.-German Roundtables on Higher Education  
 Commission to evaluate the Endowed Chair in Empirical Educational Research, Technical University of  
 Munich (chair)

### **Conference Organization** (selection)

Inter-State Relations in Africa, Freiburg/Germany (1962) and Cumberland Lodge/Great Britain (1963)  
 (Co-Chair, with Kenneth Robinson and Dennis Austin)  
 International Conference on Educational Planning in Developing Countries, Berlin, 1963 (Assistant to the  
 Chairman)  
 Workshop on Education and Citizenship Education in East Africa, Stanford University, 1968  
 (Co-Chair, with Kenneth Prewitt)  
 Annual Meeting, American Educational Research Association, Program Co-Chair, Division G, 1972  
 International Symposium on the Results of the IEA Surveys, Berlin, 1975 (Co-Chair, with Torsten Husen and  
 Hellmut Becker)  
 International Seminar on "The Future of Educational Planning", Arc-et-Senans, 1977 (Organizer and  
 chair)  
 International Conference on "Representation and the State: Problems of Governability and Legitimacy in  
 Western Democracies", Stanford University, 1982 (Organizer and Chair)

Western Regional Conference, Comparative and International Education Society, Stanford University, 1982 (Co-Chair, with Carlos Torres)

National Academy of Science, Conference on Research Priorities in Education and Development, Washington, 1983 (Organizer and Chair)

International Conference on Comparative Public Policy Research, Berlin, 1983 (Co-Chair, with Meinolf Dierkes)

Fifth World Congress of Comparative Education, Paris, 1984 (Member, Program Committee)

Annual Meeting, Comparative and International Education Society, Stanford University, 1985 (Organizer, with Suzanne Grant Lewis)

Joint Stanford/UNESCO International Seminar on "Microcomputers and Education", Stanford University, 1986 (Organizer, with Martin Carnoy)

International Symposium on "Fundamental Problems of Research and University Organization", Bonn, 1989 (U.S. representative)

International Meeting on "The New Roles of Higher Education at a World Level", Caracas, 1991 (Keynote speaker)

Stanford Berlin Program, Symposium on the Transition in Europe, 1991, 1992, 1993 (co-chair)

Several European and German-Polish conferences organized under the auspices of Viadrina European University, Frankfurt/Oder, 1993-1999

Experts Meeting on the Future of German Higher Education, Berlin, 2000 (co-chair, with Norbert Bensel)

Several international meetings under the auspices of the UNESCO Forum on Higher Education, Research, and Knowledge (2003-2008)

#### **Invited Addresses** (selected, since 2000)

Institute for International Education/DAAD, New York, 2000

Dräger Foundation, Berlin, 2000

American Institute for Contemporary German Studies, Washington, 2000

German Educators' Union (GEW), Sylt, 2000

German-American Fulbright Educational Experts Seminar, Ann Arbor, 2000

Center for German and European Studies, University of California at Berkeley, 2000

Graduate College "Representation - Rhetoric - Knowledge", Berlin, 2001

Stanford Institute for Higher Education Research, 2001

Heinrich Böll Foundation, Berlin, 2001

University of Münster/Körber Foundation, 2001

Stanford-Austria Conference, Vienna, 2001

Alfred Herrhausen Society, Berlin, 2001

University of Hamburg, 2001

Conference on E-Learning in Higher Education, Berkeley, 2001

Friedrich Naumann Foundation, Berlin, 2001

Conference of the "Club of Three", London, 2001

Benjamin Franklin Lecture 2001, Free University Berlin, 2001

German Educational Research Association (DGfE), Munich, 2002

University of Applied Sciences (FHTW), Berlin, 2002

International Women's University, Berlin, 2002

Conference on Faculty Compensation (HRK/Stifterverband), Bonn, 2002

Conference "Universities of the Future" (Fulbright/DAAD/US Embassy), Bonn, 2002

European Conference on Information/Communication Technology in Higher Education, Rotterdam, 2002

Bildungskongress, McKinsey & Co., Berlin, 2002

Harvard-Berlin Seminars, Berlin (2003)

Conferences on Teacher Education: Berlin, Bonn, Saarbrücken (2003)

Symposium on Higher Education and Labor Markets, Berlin (2003)

SCANCOR Conference on Universities and the Production of Knowledge, Stanford (2003)

Annual University Convocation, University of Bielefeld (2003)

New Europe College, Bucharest (2003)

International Policy Forum on "Planning for Diversity", Paris (2003)

750th Anniversary Celebration of the city of Frankfurt/Oder (2003)

Fulbright Educational Experts Seminar, New York (2003)  
University of St. Gallen/Switzerland (2003)  
Tenth Anniversary Conference, Centrum für Hochschulentwicklung (CHE), Berlin (2004)  
Conference on new forms of doctoral training, German Rectors' Conference, Bonn (2004)  
"Erfurter Dialog", Staatskanzlei Thüringen, Erfurt (2004)  
Campus Innovation, Hamburg (2004)  
Panel Discussion on Research Policy, Friedrich Ebert Stiftung, Berlin (2004)  
Ernst Bloch Zentrum, Ludwigshafen (2004)  
Stanford Educational Leadership Institute (SELI), Stanford (2004)  
UNESCO Colloquium on Higher Education and Research, Paris (2004)  
University of Lüneburg (2004)  
Technical University Aachen (RWTH), Aachen (2005)  
Wirtschaftsuniversität Wien, Vienna (2005)  
Central European University/Open Society Institute, Budapest (2005)  
Colloquium Politicum, University of Freiburg (2005)  
German Scholars Organization (GSO), San Francisco (2006)  
500th Anniversary of the Founding of Viadrina University at Frankfurt (Oder) (2006)  
Association of Private Universities, Heidelberg (2006)  
Congress of the German Neurological Association, Baden-Baden (2006)  
University of Bochum (2006)  
OECD, Paris (2006)  
Friedrich Ebert Foundation, Berlin (2006)  
Lufthansa Personnel Division, Frankfurt/Main (2006)  
UNESCO Colloquium on Research and Higher Education Policies, Paris (2006)  
University of Technology Mara, Malaysia (2007)  
Faculty Seminar, Stanford School of Education (2007)  
Congress on Higher Education Policy, Hannover (2007)  
G8/UNESCO World Forum "Education, Research, and Innovation", Trieste/Italy (2007)  
Re-dedication of 13th century stained glass windows, St. Mary's Church, Frankfurt (Oder) (2007)  
40th Anniversary of University of Ulm (2007)  
University of Bamberg (2007)  
Club of Berlin (2007)  
Stifterverband für die Deutsche Wissenschaft, Berlin (2008)  
Hochschulrektorenkonferenz, Genshagen (2008)  
Emmy Noether Program, Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft, Potsdam (2008)  
University of Paderborn (2008)  
City of Schwäbisch Hall (2008)  
University of Trier (2008)  
Universities of the Witwatersrand and Cape Town, South Africa (2008)  
Technical University of Munich (TUM) (2009)  
Viadrina European University (2009)  
State Government of Baden-Württemberg, Stuttgart (2010)  
Hertie School of Governance, Berlin (2010)  
University of Lucerne (2010)  
Federal Ministry of Education, Berlin (2010)  
Ruhr University Bochum (2011)  
Zeppelin University, Friedrichshafen (2011)  
International Higher Education Congress in Istanbul (2011)  
University of Freiburg (2012)  
Commencement Address, Graduate School of Education, Stanford University (2013)  
International Institute for Educational Planning (UNESCO), Paris (2013)  
Keynote address, 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration, Viadrina European University Frankfurt (Oder) (2016)  
Academic Council, Stanford University (50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Faculty Senate) (2018)

### **Affiliations (past and present)**

American Political Science Association

American Educational Research Association  
Comparative and International Education Society  
Club von Berlin

### **Languages**

Fluent: German (native), English, French  
Reading: Italian, Spanish, Dutch

### **Personal Data**

Born: September 13, 1934, Krefeld/Germany  
Married: Frauke R. Hartmann, February 27, 1965  
Children: Stephan (born 1965); Oliver (born 1968)  
Citizenship: U.S. (by naturalization)

### **Publications**

See [http://www.stanford.edu/~weiler/Pubs\\_web.pdf](http://www.stanford.edu/~weiler/Pubs_web.pdf)

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