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and Challenges for Europe“**

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Curriculum vitae

Born 18th July 1941 in Freiburg (Germany)

- Studies in Law and Economics in Freiburg, Munich and Bonn. Doctorate on the constitutional history of Vorderösterreich. Diploma Insead.
- 1971 - 1984 Manager at Sandoz Ltd. in Basel. Since 1984 partner in the law firm of Graf von Westphalen in Freiburg.
- Member of the European Parliament since 1979. In 1984 author in the European Parliament's Economic Affairs Committee of the report launching the Internal Market Programme.
- From 1994-1999 Chairman of the European Parliament's Committee on Economic and Monetary Affairs and Industrial Policy. Spokesman for the European Parliament at the Extraordinary Plenary Meeting of the European Parliament on 2 May 1998 to decide on the introduction of the Euro.
- Since 2004 chairman of the newly set up Subcommittee in the European Parliament on Security and Defence. Substitute Member in the Committee on Foreign Affairs; Substitute Member in the Committee on Economic and Monetary Affairs; Member in the Delegation for relations with NATO.
- Cofounder and Chairman of the Kangaroo Group, The Movement for free Movement, an association with the aim to integrate Europe around common projects (internal market, common currency, armed forces of the EU).
- Member of the regional committee Südbaden of the CDU.