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| 04/2014 - 04/2022 | <b>Lecturer and Postdoctoral Researcher</b> , <i>Faculty of Economics and Management, Otto-von-Guericke University Magdeburg, Germany.</i>   |
| 04/2013 - 03/2014 | <b>Interim Professorship</b> for Production and Logistics, <i>University of Wuppertal, Germany.</i>  |
| 02/2007 - 03/2007 | <b>Visiting Research Fellowship</b> at the Mechanical Engineering Department, <i>University of Brescia Italy.</i>  |
| 12/2005 - 12/2018 | <b>Lecturer Executive BBA/MBA</b> , Business School Magdeburg, Germany.  |
| 08/2005 - 03/2013 | <b>Postdoctorate Associate</b> , <i>Chair of Production and Logistics, Otto-von-Guericke University Magdeburg, Germany.</i>  |
| 06/1998 - 07/2005 | <b>Postgraduate Associate</b> , <i>Chair of Production and Logistics, Otto-von-Guericke University Magdeburg, Germany.</i>   |
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| 12/2012           | <b>Postdoctoral Lecture Qualification</b> , cumulative Habilitation dissertation entitled " <i>Decision Support for Spare Parts Inventory Management in Closed-Loop Supply Chains</i> ", <i>venia legendi</i> for management awarded on December 12, 2012, Faculty of Economics and Management, <i>Otto-von-Guericke University Magdeburg, Germany.</i>  |
| 06/2005           | <b>Doctor of Philosophy in Management</b> , Dissertation entitled " <i>Dynamic Inventory Management in Reverse Logistics</i> " (Dr. rer. pol., summa cum laude), Faculty of Economics and Management, <i>Otto-von-Guericke University Magdeburg, Germany.</i><br>Reviewers : <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▶ Prof. Dr. Karl Inderfurth (OvG University Magdeburg)</li><li>▶ Prof. Dr. Alfred Luhmer (OvG University Magdeburg)</li><li>▶ Prof. Dr. Franz Wirl (University of Vienna)</li></ul> |
| 05/1998           | <b>Diploma in Management</b> (Diplom-Kaufmann), Specializations in Production & Logistics and Operations Research, <i>Otto-von-Guericke University of Magdeburg.</i>   |

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Operations Management, Supply Chain Management, Sustainable Supply Chains, Circular Economy, Remanufacturing, Reverse Logistics, Behavioral Operations Management, Inventory Management

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- ▶ Best Ph.D. thesis of 2005 of the Faculty of Economics and Management, *University of Magdeburg*
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| since 1998 | Gesellschaft für Operations Research (German Operations Research Society, GOR)                              |
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