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## **Education:**

05/1997 Diploma in Geography at the University of Frankfurt. Examination in the field of Transport, Sustainable Development and International Politics. Masters Thesis: “Application of Sustainable Development as shown in Frankfurt a.M.” Grade: with distinction  
  
Further Studies University of Groningen, Netherlands and Texas A&M University, College Station, USA.

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## **Professional Background:**

05/2001 - present Head – Sustainable Development; Develop, present and defend IRU positions at international organizations, commercial partners, NGO and scientific community. Project Management in the field of Economic and Environmental Affairs; Secretariat for the Commission on Economic Affairs and Road Safety.  
  
07/2000 - 09/2000 Assistant of Minister Schling. Minister of Transport, Regional Policy and Communication of the Czech Republic, Prague.  
  
07/1998 – 04/2001 Assistant of Member of the European Parliament. Work for the Committee on Transport and Regional Policy and Committee on Foreign Affairs, Brussels.  
  
01/1998 – 06/1998 Freelance work for the GTZ (Deutsche Gesellschaft für Technische Zusammenarbeit), Taskforce: Sustainable Mobility, Brussels and Eschborn.  
  
04/1995 - 01/1997 Research Assistant at the Institute of social-ecological Research Frankfurt a.M. (ISOE); Examination of conceptual approaches to road transport as part of sustainable mobility, Frankfurt.

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**Selected Publications:**

Hügel, J. (2006): Class of 2006: Industry Report Cards on Environment and Social Responsibility, UNEP, Paris, New York.

Hügel, J. (2004): 2<sup>nd</sup> Best Industry Practices Report IRU, in Road Transport – IRU, Geneva.

Hügel, J. (2003): Promoting Best Industry Practices in Road Transport - The IRU Agenda for Sustainable Development. - Urbanicity – March City Matters E-bulletin; Urbanicity.org.

Hügel, J. (2003): Das Rote Tuch. Nachhaltigkeit im Strassengüterverkehr – Verkehrsrundschau 8, 2003, München.

Hügel, J. (2002): The IRU Agenda for Sustainable Development – Industry sector report to the World Summit on Sustainable Development upon invitation by UNEP, Paris.

Hügel, J. (2002): Moving People, Driving the Economy / The Role of the Coach in the Economy – IRU-I0012-1(e), Geneva.

Hügel, J., Lüttge, G. (1999): Perspektiven und Prioritäten in der Ost-West-Zusammenarbeit im Verkehrsbereich / TEN-MOEL. – In: Unser Weg Nr. 2, S. 9, Hanover.

Hügel, J., Lüttge, G. (1998): Report on the follow-up to the Helsinki Conference on a Pan –European transport policy. – PE 229.101/end, Brussels.

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**Further Positions:**

- Board Member of the Global Road Safety Partnership (GRSP)

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**Further Qualifications:**

- German, English, Dutch (NLT-2 Examination), French (basic)
- PC: Word, Excel, GIS-basic, Internet.

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**Further Interests:**

- Member of the German Club, Geneva
- Surfing, free-climbing, golf
- Jazz

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