

## **GERT WÜRTENBERGER**

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## **Professional Career**

Legal Studies at the University of Munich and the London School of Economics (1975 - 1980)

Internships, inter alia, at the Indo-German Chamber of Commerce, Mumbai and at the Law firm Matsuo + Kossugi, Tokyo (1980 – 1983)

Lawyer at the law firm Wuesthoff & Wuesthoff; Partner at Wuesthoff & Wuesthoff as of 1989 (1984 – 2012)

Scholarship for Legal Studies Kings College, London (1985)

Doctorate at the University of Marburg, Dissertation on the Subject "Die Priorität im Sortenschutzrecht" [Priority Rights in Plant Variety Law] (1993)

Managing Partner at Wuesthoff & Wuesthoff (2007 – 2011)

Member of the Editorial Board of the British Journal Intellectual Property Law & Practice, Oxford University Press (since 2005)

Chairman of the GRUR Expert Committee for the Protection of Plant Varieties (since 2007)

Chairman of the Southern German Arbitration Tribunal for Seed and Plant Variety Rights Disputes (since 2010)

International Co-ordinator of the Revista Electrônica do IBPI – Instituto Brasileiro de Propriedade Intelectual (since 2010)

Co-founder and partner of the law firmWürtenbergerKunze (since November 2012)