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## Curriculum Vitae

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1996 Parkview JR/SR Highschool, Orfordville, Wisconsin, USA

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2000 - 2001 Military Service

2001 MetalChem Handel GmbH, Hilden (vocational training)

2002 - 2003 TRIMET Handel AG, Düsseldorf (vocational training)

2003 - 2008 Business Administration Studies at the University of Münster

2005 San Diego State University, California, USA

2008 - 2012 Postgraduate Studies at the University of Münster

2012 - 2018 Post-Doctoral Researcher at the University of Münster

Since 2018 Lecturer & Researcher at the Chair of Technology Marketing,  
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## Research Focus

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Artificial Intelligence, Customer Relationship Management, Consumer Behavior, Retailing

## Publications

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### VHB-Ranking A+

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### VHB-Ranking B

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