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### **CURRENT ACTIVITIES**

#### Schindler Holding AG (Hergiswil, Switzerland)

- since 1990
- Group General Counsel & Member of the Board of Directors

#### ALSO Holding AG (Hergiswil, Switzerland)

- Member of the Board of Directors
- since 1996

#### Venture Incubator

- Member of the Board of Directors
- since 2002

#### Zurich University

- Professor for Business & Private Law ("Titularprofessor")

#### Other Activities

- Swiss Stock Exchange: Expert Commission on Disclosure
  - Chamber of Commerce Central Switzerland: Arbitration Oversight Board
  - Member of the Board of the University of Lucerne
  - President SwissHoldings (Federation of Industrial and Service Groups in Switzerland)
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### **FORMER ACTIVITIES**

#### Niederer, Kraft & Frey (Zurich, Switzerland)

- Law Associate 1985/87
- Zurich Bar Exam 1987

#### Chadbourne & Parke (New York, USA)

- Law Associate 1987/88
  - New York Bar Exam 1988
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## **ACADEMIC BACKGROUND**

### Harvard Law School

- Visiting Professor of Law, Spring Term 2009

### Law School Fudan University Shanghai

- Visiting Professor November 2007

### Harvard Law School

- John Harvey Gregory Lecturer on World Organization, Spring Term 2005

### Harvard Business School

- Advanced Management Program (AMP) 1998

### INSEAD (Fontainebleau, France)

- International Executive Programme 1993

### Harvard Law School

- Visiting Researcher 1988/89
- Swiss National Research Fund Scholar

### Zurich University

- Dr. iur. 1986

### UCLA School of Law

- LLM 1985
- Rotary Scholar

### Stanford Law and Business School

- JSM 1984
- Fulbright Scholar

### Zurich University

- Lic. iur. 1981

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## **EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES**

- Politics: Member of Parliament in the canton (state) of Lucerne (1993 – 1995)
- Sports: formerly ranked among top 15 tennis players in Switzerland, Swiss Seniors Champion 2008 (50+)
- Club memberships: e.g. Rotary Club Lucerne-Wasserturm, Grasshopper-Club Zurich

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## **LANGUAGES**

- German (mother tongue)
- English
- French
- Italian (basic)