

BRIEF RESUME

Born 1950 in Germany

1956 Primary School in Germany

1960 High School in Germany

1968 Graduation

1968 - 1971 education in an advertising agency Mannheim, Germany

1971 - 1975 various classes in Berlin, Germany (among others theology, journalism and English)

1972 Publishing of 3 radios plays in Süddeutscher Rundfunk and Südwestfunk, Germany

1974 – 1975 Adult education as catechist

1976 - 1980 working in Marketing in Berlin (self-employed)

1980 - 1985 Heidelberg, West-Germany (self-employed)

1985 - 1996 Import-Export business (self-employed) with frequent visits in Far East Asia (4 x per year) all negotiation in English - from 1990 onwards up to 50 employees and several million turnovers. At the same time, I had a store in The Netherlands that I managed several years.

1998 did I move to Malta (language English), got the permanent resident status and stayed until 2003

2004 (already retired) I moved to Rio de Janeiro where I learnt Portuguese and lived there until 2008

2008 I went to Colombia and learnt Spanish

2009 I became permanent resident of Colombia where I still live.

Between 2004 and 2012 I have authored 5 novels in German language.

2010 I started to translate text and books from English, Spanish and Dutch into German and offered later on my service as freelancer in the internet.

My experience as translator can be read in a different file.