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Nomination for FiG Commission chairs

Dear Markku,

DVW presents the nomination of Prof. Dr. Rudolf Staiger as Vice-chair elect in Commission 5 of FiG.

We are sure, that our experienced german delegate will make a good job for FiG.

DVW will support these nomination and – if elected by the GA – the activities and work as chair in all ways necessary.

In the attachment you will find his curriculum vitae.

Kind regards

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EDUCATION

- 1990-1992: Bachelor of Business Administration (BBA), Graduate School of Business Administration (Zuerich, Switzerland)
- 1988: PhD on the theory of “On-line-Triangulation” for Theodolite Measuring systems
- 1983- 1987: Scientific Assistant at the Geodetic Institute (University of Karlsruhe)
- 1976 –1982 : Studies of geodesy at the University of Karlsruhe (Germany) and Ecole Nationale des Sciences Géographiques (ENSG, Paris-St.-Mandé, France)

WORK EXPERIENCE

- Since 1994: Professor at the University of Duisburg-Essen (former Universität Gesamthochschule Essen) in the Dept. of Surveying Engineering. The areas of special interest are instruments, sensors, measuring systems, the standardization, check and the calibration of such systems.
- 1992-1994: Software Development Engineer, R & D-Dept. for Industrial Measurement Systems, (Leica-Geosystems, Unterentfelden, Switzerland).
- 1988-1991: Kern & Co AG, Aarau (later Leica-Geosystems, Unterentfelden, Switzerland), System Specialist, Product Manager and Head of the Dept. for Industrial Measurement Systems

PROFESIONAL ACTIVITIES

- Since 2003 Chairman of the AK5 (DVW) (Period 2003 - 2006)
 Chairman of WG. 5.1 of Comm. 5 (FIG) (Period 2003 - 2006)
- Since 2003 Member of the DIN-Commission – Geodätische Instrumente und Geräte
(Geodetic Instruments and Devices).
- Since 1997 Member of Arbeitskreis 5 (AK5) – Instrumente und Methoden (*Instruments and Methods*) from DVW. This is the National German Commission of DVW corresponding to Comm. 5 of FIG.

PUBLICATIONS

More than 30 Publications in English, French and German. Most of them are monographs.

In 2001 - together with Prof. Fritz Deumlich from Dresden - the 9th edition of the “Instrumentenkunde der Vermessungstechnik”.

LANGUAGES

German (mother tongue), English (fluent) and French (fluent)