



Brief CV of Dr. Gabriele Goldfuß

Director of the Office for International Affairs of the City of Leipzig

1963 born in Nuremberg (December 17)

Education

1983 Baccalauréat, Willstätter-Gymnasium Nürnberg, Germany

1983 – 1991 Studies in Philosophy, Chinese studies and Protestant Theology at the Eberhard Karls University of Tübingen, the University of Beijing (Beijing daxue) and the “Institut National des Langues et Civilisations Orientales”/University of Paris

1995 PhD in Chinese studies by the University of Paris

Professional Career

1992 – 1994 Research position at the University of Paris

1994 – 2001 Assistant professor at the University of Leipzig/Department of Asian Studies

1998 short-term scholarship of the Academia Sinica, Taipei, Taiwan

since 2001 Director of the Office for International Affairs of the City of Leipzig

Dr. Goldfuß has published and edited books and articles in the field of Chinese studies, she has also published on European and International affairs, she has organized conferences and exhibitions and lectured in Germany and abroad.

Gabriele Goldfuß is responsible for the international strategy and the coordination of international affairs of the City of Leipzig. Her office is in charge of Leipzig's numerous international cooperations: it works with different services within the City such as the office for economic promotion, the departments for culture, social affairs and city planning, the Leipzig trade fair, chamber of commerce, as well as research institutions, local enterprises, cultural institutions and regional NGOs. The office is engaged in various European networks and cooperates closely with embassies, international organizations, ministeries and foundations in Germany and abroad. Dr. Goldfuß holds various positions on the boards and advisory boards of international associations such as the International Club Leipzig, the Opernball Leipzig and the Confucius Institute and magazine.

Dr. Goldfuß is married and has one daughter.

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