

## Europass Curriculum Vitae



#### Personal information

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**Qualification** | Senior Coaching Expert

Expert for Project Cycle Management, Workshops & Moderation Regional Development, Community Development, Gender Issues

Work experience

Dates 2004 to date

Occupation or position held | CEO and owner of Crystal Consult Coaching

www.crystalconsult.at

Main activities and responsibilities | Coaching for senior managers, teams and organisations

Planning, follow-up and evaluation of projects

Organisational assistance and conducting workshops on local, regional and national level

Nominated member of a LEADER Steering Committee in Austria responsible for implementing

projects financed through EU-Structural Funds and Cohesion Funds

Name and address of employer | Crystal Consult, Möderndorf 73, A-9620 Hermagor, Austria

Type of business or sector | Coaching, project management, workshops and moderations

Dates 2002 - 2003

Occupation or position held | Coach, Counsellor

Main activities and responsibilities | Technical assistance to the network "frauen.unternehmen.was"

(women in economy with social responsibility)

Name and address of employer | Familienforum Mölltal, A-9821 Obervellach 32

Type of business or sector | Project management, team development

Dates 1990 to date

Occupation or position held

International Consultant

Main activities and responsibilities

International consultancy in Europe, Africa and the Caribbean

Planning, technical assistance and evaluation of bilateral and trilateral projects in the frame of

international co-operations (see References)

Name and address of employer

International and national organisations, e.g. ERDB, GTZ, Ministry for Foreign Affairs Austria,

Austrian Development Agency (ADA), Caritas Switzerland etc.

Type of business or sector

International project management, technical assistance, evaluations

Dates 19

1999 - 2002

Occupation or position held

Project Coordinator, Regional Communication Center

Main activities and responsibilities

Set up and management of the regional communication centre "NOREIA" in Hermagor, Austria

- Planning of projects, fund raising, implementation of projects especially in the fields of conscientisation, gender mainstreaming and economic development of women
- Elaboration and implementation of training- and conscientisation programmes
- General PR and public project presentations

Name and address of employer

Nova Carnica, Hafnergasse 3, A- 9620 Hermagor, Austria

Type of business or sector | Project management, training, conscientisation, EU – gender projects, PR

Dates

1984 - 1989

Occupation or position held

**Executive Project Director of Diocesan Development Office, Tanzania** 

Main activities and responsibilities | Set up and management of the Diocesan Development Office

of the Archdiocese of Mwanza, Tanzania.

Co-ordination of all project activities including financial responsibility and reporting

Planning and implementation of workshops in Mwanza Region Member of the "Administration Board of the Archdiocese of Mwanza" Co-ordination and networking with other development initiatives in the region

Name and address of employer

Archdiocese of Mwanza, P.O. Box 398 Mwanza, Tanzania

Type of business or sector

Project management, adult education, public relations, networking, human resources development

**Dates** 

1980 - 1984

Occupation or position held

**Desk Officer West and Northern Africa** 

Main activities and responsibilities

Elaboration of project concepts originating from the regions West Africa, North Africa and Europe

Responsible for project monitoring and implementation according to contracts.

Communication with project partners

Field visits, reporting to agencies and donors

Participation at donor meetings and conferences on international level

Name and address of employer

Swiss Catholic Lenten Funds, CH-6002 Lucerne, Switzerland

Type of business or sector

International project monitoring, public relations

**Dates** 

1972 - 1980

Occupation or position held

Teacher

Main activities and responsibilities

Teacher at primary school

Name and address of employer

Department for Education of Kanton Zürich, Switzerland

Type of business or sector

Teaching

### **Education and training**

(relevant extract)

| 2011        | Organizational Development, Trigon Munich, Germany                |
|-------------|---|
| 2010        | Capacity Works, Project Management Design (GTZ), Austria          |
| 2009        | Evaluation Schemes, bfi&FGÖ, Austria                              |
| 2006        | Team Development, FGÖ, Austria                                    |
| 2006        | Monitoring Regional Development Projects, KWF, Austria            |
| 2005        | Approval as certified and registered coach in Austria             |
| 2004        | Certificate as coach for economic and social affairs              |
| 2002 – 2003 | Coaching- training at WIFI Klagenfurt, Austria                    |
| 1994        | Process Oriented Monitoring of Projects and Resources, GTZ - Bonn |

1985 - 1986

Certificate course: "DELTA-Training" (Adult Education and Training for Transformation), Catholic Bishop-Conference, Kenya

1972 - 1980Licentiate Degree at Philosophic Faculty I of University in Zürich: Subjects: Pedagogic, Ethnology, Pedagogic for Integration

> University of Zürich, Switzerland University of Tübingen, Germany

1970 – 1972 Teacher College Zürich, Switzerland Certificate as primary school teacher

ISCED 7

1970 Matura

Level in national or international classification

# Personal skills and competences

Mother tongue(s)

German French

Other language(s) Self-assessment European level (\*)

> **English** Italian Kiswahili

| Understanding |             |             | Speaking           |             |                   |             | Writing     |
|---------------|-------------|-------------|--------------------|-------------|-------------------|-------------|-------------|
| Listening     |             | Reading     | Spoken interaction |             | Spoken production |             |             |
|               | proficient  | proficient  |                    | proficient  |                   | proficient  | proficient  |
|               | independent | independent |                    | independent |                   | independent | independent |
|               | proficient  | proficient  |                    | proficient  |                   | proficient  | independent |

(\*) Common European Framework of Reference for Languages

Social skills and competences

- Team spirit
- Good ability to adapt to multicultural environments gained through family origin and international work experience
- Good communication and networking skills gained through work experience and specific post graduate trainings

Organisational skills and competences

- long term experience in personal management and leadership
- in depth experience in team management
- workshop management
- time management

Technical skills and competences

- theoretical and practical knowledge of development strategy planning and implementation
- extensive experience in project cycle management of EU-Projects (Interreg, Leader, Equal, CBC-Projects in the frame of SF and CF)
- conducting trainings and workshops, moderations

### Computer skills and competences

Relevant MS products in daily use

#### **Additional Informations**

- Active member of the working group "Systemic Approaches in Evaluation" of the German Society for Evaluations
- Active member of the association "Coaching engagiert", Austria
- Member of the Chamber of Commerce, Austria
- Nominated member of the Administration Board of the Association for Regional Development in the carinthian triangle of Austria – Slovenia - Italy (1/2000 – 6/2010)
- Founder and coordinator of the women's network "frauen.unternehmen.was", Austria (6/2000 -12/2009)

Driving licence

Car, motocycle