

## **CURRICULUM VITAE**

### **REINHARD PRIEBE**

25 April 1949	Born in Lübeck, Germany
1967-1972	Studies of Law in Hamburg and Freiburg
1972-1976	First and Second State Legal Examination
1978	Dr. iur. Thesis on a European Law subject
1977-1984	Judge at the Verwaltungsgericht (Administrative Court) in Stuttgart
1979-1983	Assistant at the Bundesverfassungsgericht (Federal Constitutional Court)
1984-2001	European Commission, DG Agriculture
1984-1991	Unit Agricultural Law
1991-1993	Assistant to the Deputy Director General competent for the agricultural market organisations; mainly dealing with preparations for the monthly meetings of the Agricultural Council
1994-1997	Head of Unit, measures of objective 5a of Structural funds, agri-environmental and early retirement schemes; approving and supervising national and regional programmes related to restructuring of the farming industry; implementing the at the time new EU scheme for environmental farming practices; overall budget of 2,5 bln EUR
1997-2001	Head of Unit Agricultural Law; preparing and advising on new legislation (including two major policy reforms); giving legal advice to other departments
2001-2004	Director Western Balkans in DG External Relations
2005-2006	Director Western Balkans in DG Enlargement
2006-2008	Director Conservation Policy in DG Maritime Affairs and Fisheries
2008-2009	Director Atlantic, Outermost regions and Arctic in DG Maritime Affairs and Fisheries; in charge of the annual fishery quota negotiations; relations with Norway; shaping an EU Arctic Policy
2010-2014	Director Internal Security in DG Home Affairs; implementing the EU internal security strategy; harmonisation of criminal law and police

cooperation within the EU; enhancing law enforcement cooperation; representing the Commission at the EUROPOL Management Board; EU action in fighting terrorism; preparation of the first Commission report on fighting corruption; EU negotiator for the "SWIFT agreement" with the US and several agreements on the transfer of flight passenger data (with the US, Australia, Canada)

Since 2014

Chair of the Administrative Board of EFCA (European Fisheries Control Agency)  
Lecturing at the European Center for Policy Development, Belgrade  
Member of the Advisory Board of Europrise, Bonn  
Member of the Advisory Board of "Europäische Zeitschrift für Wirtschaftsrecht"  
Several publications on legal issues

Since 2015

Member of the Advisory Board of Transparency International EU, Brussels  
Chair of the Senior Experts' Group on systemic Rule of Law issues in the Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia