

Curriculum vitae

Eberhard Desch, born 1949

1967-1972 Law studies

1972 – 1974 post-graduate training (*Rechtsreferendar*)

1974 Judge, civil matters, first instance chamber (*Landgericht* Regensburg)

1978 – 1980 Prosecutor

1980 – 1983 Judge in criminal matters

1983 – 1988 Judge in civil and criminal matters, first instance chamber (*Landgericht* Regensburg)

1988 – 1997 Federal Ministry of Justice (Bonn), working in different divisions: International Civil Procedure; Private International Law, German Civil Procedure; Human Rights in the Council of Europe and the United Nations, Deputy Agent to the European Court of Human Rights in Strasbourg; Legislation on Court fees,

Since 1997 Federal Ministry of Justice (Berlin), Head of Division of Public International Law, International Organisations, International Judiciary

Member of the European Committee on Legal Co-operation (Civil and Administrative Law) of the Council of Europe, (its President in 2012)

2003 – 2006 (first) President of European Commission for the Efficiency of Justice of the Council of Europe

Member of the German Delegation to the Assembly of States Parties to the Rome Statute of the International Criminal Court in The Hague