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After additional studies at the University of Augsburg and Berlin, in 1992 he began his professional career in Germany and worked there for 13 years, last as Technical Director.

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