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EDUCATION AND CAREER

2024	Partner, SONN Patentanwälte
2019	Austrian Patent Attorney
2017	European Patent Attorney
2014	Patent Attorney Trainee with SONN Patentanwälte
2014	PhD in Molecular Biology, University of Vienna
2009 – 2013	Doctoral student, IMBA/IMP, Vienna
2009	MSc-equivalent in Molecular Biology, University of Vienna
2002 – 2003	Software developer, GMG AG, Liechtenstein

PRACTICE AREA

- Prior art searches
- Freedom-to-operate (FTO) searches
- European patent law
- Drafting of patent applications, in particular in the fields of biotechnology as well as biopharmaceuticals and vaccines, bioinformatics, food technology, and medical technology
- Patent prosecution
- Opposition proceedings before the European Patent Office

MEMBERSHIPS

- Austrian Patentanwaltskammer (chamber of patent attorneys)
- epi (Institute of Professional Representatives before the European Patent Office)

LANGUAGES

German, English, French