

## **Curriculum Vitae – Hans Jürgen Kerkhoff**

7th Nov 1956	Born in Süchteln/Niederrhein, Germany
1976 - 1981	Studies of Art/Humanities and Economy at the universities of Düsseldorf and Cambridge
1982 – 1985	Assistant to the German Bundestag
1986 – 1987	Political researcher at the CDU North Rhine Westfalia
1987 – 1991	Permanent representative of the German Steel Federation in Bonn
1991 – 1999	Permanent representative of the German Steel Federation in Brussels
1999 - 2008	Head of the business area Politics at the German Steel Federation
2003 - 2004	Managing Director of the German Steel Federation
2004	Chief executive officer of the German Steel Federation Managing Director of the German Rolled Steel Association (Walzstahl-Vereinigung)
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