

# Curriculum Vitae

## Markus Potzel



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| 2017        | Special Representative of the Federal Government<br>for Afghanistan and Pakistan; Commissioner for South Asia                           |
| 2016 - 2017 | Commissioner for Crisis Management  |
| 2014 - 2016 | German Ambassador to Afghanistan  |
| 2010 - 2014 | Head of Middle East Division<br>Federal Foreign Office, Berlin  |
| 2010        | Visiting Fellow<br>German Institute for International and Security Affairs (SWP)<br>Study on the relations between Iran and Afghanistan |
| 2006 - 2009 | Personal Assistant to the Foreign Minister<br>Federal Foreign Office, Berlin  |
| 2004 - 2005 | Parliamentary & Cabinet Division<br>Federal Foreign Office, Berlin  |
| 2000 - 2004 | Head of Economic & Trade Section<br>German Embassy Tehran   |
| 1997 - 2000 | Head of Cultural Section<br>German Embassy Singapore  |
| 1995 - 1997 | Political Department<br>Federal Foreign Office, Bonn  |
| 1993 - 1995 | Diplomatic Academy<br>Federal Foreign Office, Bonn  |