

Personal Information

Witt Karsten

Director and founder, Karsten Witt Musik Management

Actual role

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2004-now

Founder

Karsten Witt Musik Management, Berlin (Germania)

Karsten Witt Musik Management (artists management, projects, consulting) in Berlin.

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## Curriculum vitae

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2008-2010

## Project manager

Beethoven Festspielhaus, Bonn (Germany)

Project manager for the planned Beethoven Festspielhaus in Bonn.

# 2008 Visiting professor

Tokyo University, Tokyo (Japan)

Visiting professor in Cultural Management at Tokyo University

## 2007 Member

International advisory committee of the Ministry of Culture of Latvia, Riga (Latvia)

Member of the International Advisory Committee of the Ministry of Culture of Latvia for the planning of a new National Concert and Conference Centre in Riga.

#### 2006-2009 Governor

International Artist Managers' Association

Governor of the International Artist Managers' Association (IAMA)

#### 2005-2008 Artistic Advisor

Athens Concert Hall, Athens (Greece)

Artistic Advisor of the Athens Concert Hall, Megaron

#### 2004-2005 Lecturer

University of Zurich, Zurich (Switzerland)

Lecturer at the University of Zurich for the Executive Master in Arts Administration program.

## 2003 Advisor

Hungarian Culture Minister, Budapest (Hungary)

Advisor to the Hungarian Culture Minister for the planning of the Palace of Arts in Budapest.

## 2002-2013 Governor

Vienna Konzerthaus, Wien (Austria)

Governor of the Wien Konzerthaus.

## 2002 Artistic Advisor

Chamber Orchestra of Europe

#### 2001-2008 Curator

Allianz Kulturstiftung

#### 2000-2002 Governor

Guildhall School of Music and Drama, London (United Kingdom)

# 1999–2002 Chief Executive

Southbank Centre, London (United Kingdom)

- Royal Festival Hall



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- Queen Elisabeth Hall
- Purcell Room
- Hayward Gallery

Master plan for the Southbank Centre, renovation plan for the Royal Festival Hall, celebration of the 50th birthday of the Royal Festival Hall in 2001.

#### 1999-2000 Member

Culture Commission NRW in Europe

Member of the *Culture Commission NRW in Europe*, appointed by the Minister-President of North Rhine-Westphalia

#### 1999 Governor

Deutsche Ensemble Akademie

## 1996-1999 President

Deutsche Grammophon Gesellschaft, Hamburg (Germany)

Restructuring of the company, launch of the 20/21 series, release of the complete Beethoven edition, celebration of DG's 100th anniversary in 1998.

## 1995-1996 Lecturer

Cultural Management at the University of Music and Performing Arts, Vienna (Austria)

## 1995 Speaker

Schleswig-Holstein Musik Festival

Speaker of the Advisory Committee for the restructuring of the Schleswig-Holstein Musik Festival

#### 1995 Founder

Film&Musik Festival, Wien (Austria)

## 1994 Founder

Resonanzen

Early Music Festival

# 1992 Founder

Vienna Spring Festival

# 1992 Hörgänge

Founder

Austrian contemporary music festival

# 1991-1996 General Secretary

Vienna Konzerthaus

# 1991-1996 President

Wien Modern festival

# 1991-1996 Member



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European Concert Halls Organisation ECHO

1991–1996 Governor

Gustav Mahler Youth Orchestra

1991-1996 Governor

Vienna Symphony Orchestra

1991–1996 Governor

Vienna Festival

1987-1991 Managing Director

Deutsche Ensemble Akademie and Ensemble Modern

1987-1989 Managing Director

Deutsche Kammerphilharmonie

1987 Founder

Deutsche Ensemble Akademie

A common funding association for the Junge Deutsche Philharmonie and the now independent Ensemble Modern and Deutsche Kammerphilharmonie in Frankfurt

1986–1990 Managing Director

German section of the International Society of Contemporary Music (ISCM)

1980 Founder

Ensemble Modern and the Chamber Orchestra of the Junge Deutsche Philharmonie

1974–1987 Founder, violinisti and manager

Bundesstudentenorchester - Junge Deutsche Philharmonie (National Student Orchestra)

ISTRUZIONE E FORMAZIONE

MA in philosophy

Dissertation in philosophy of science (Theory of Action and Developmental Logic).

BA in philosophy

PROFESSIONAL SKILLS

Mother tongue german

Foreign language

COMPREHENSION WRITING **SPEAKING** Interaction Listening Reading Speaking C1 C1 C1 C1

english

Livelli: A1 e A2: Utente base - B1 e B2: Utente autonomo - C1 e C2: Utente avanzato Quadro Comune Europeo di Riferimento delle Lingue

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