

Curriculum vitae of apl. Professor Dr. Dr. Peter Höppe

Born: 3 October 1954 in Hassfurt, Germany

Nationality: German

Marital status: Married

Education and training

Primary school in Munich

Mathematical-scientific gymnasium in Munich; school-leaving examination in 1974

Studied meteorology at the Ludwig Maximilian University in Munich (LMU), gaining his diploma in 1979

1984: Doctorate in physics

1996: Qualified as a university professor

1996: Private lecturer in environmental medicine, particularly biometeorology

2003: Appointed apl. Professor

Professional career

1979-1984: Research assistant at the Institute of Bioclimatology and Applied Meteorology, LMU

1984–1990: Tenured lecturer at the Institute of Bioclimatology and Applied Meteorology, LMU

1989–2003: Tenured lecturer and senior lecturer at the Institute for Occupational and Environmental Medicine, LMU

Since 1 January 2004: Designated Head (as of 1 January 2005: Head) of the Geo Risks Research/Environmental Management Department of Munich Reinsurance Company

Main areas of research

Effects of atmospheric processes (heat/cold, UV radiation, air pressure fluctuations) and air pollutants (ozone, particles) on humans; assessment of environmental risks

Scientific memberships

International Society of Biometeorology (1999–2002: President)

German Meteorological Society (a number of years on the Board)

Various activities for WHO and WMO