

Curriculum Vitae and Overview of Activities

Julia Merkel

Graduate in Business Administration (BA)
Member of the Board of Management of R+V Versicherung AG



Personal information

Year of birth 1965
Place of birth Göttingen
Residence Wiesbaden

Education

1984 – 1987 Studied Business Administration at the Vocational Academy of Heidenheim,
Graduate in Business Administration (BA)
1986 Apprenticeship in commercial training at the Chamber of Industry and Commerce Ost-
Württemberg and trainee, Obi

Professional career

10/1987 – 08/1988 Castorama S.A., Construction Market, Direction Regionale Rhone-Alpes, Lyon, France
Junior Product Manager of tiles & floor coverings
08/1988 – 01/1992 OBI Bau- und Heimwerkermärkte GmbH & Co.KG, System Headquarters, Wermelskirchen
Personnel Officer in HR Management and Controlling
02/1992 – 01/1993 Mitsukoshi Ltd., department store, Tokyo
Scholarship holder of the Carl-Duisberg-Gesellschaft
02/1993 – 04/2000 OBI Bau- und Heimwerkermärkte GmbH & Co.KG, System Headquarters, Wermelskirchen
Human Resources Manager, authorised signatory
05/2000 – 07/2003 OBI Bau- und Heimwerkermärkte GmbH & Co. Franchise Center KG, Wermelskirchen
Managing Director of Human Resources & Administration
08/2003 – 11/2010 METRO AG, Düsseldorf
Division Manager for Corporate Executive Development
12/2010 – 12/2014 ESPRIT, Ratingen
Senior Vice President – Head of Global Human Resources
Managing Director of Human Resources Esprit Europe GmbH
02/2015 – 12/2015 R+V Versicherung AG, Wiesbaden
General Manager
since 01/2016 R+V Versicherung AG, Wiesbaden
Member of the Board of Management of R+V Versicherung AG
Member of the Board of Management of R+V Allgemeine Versicherung AG
Member of the Board of Management of R+V Lebensversicherung AG
– responsible for Human Resources and Group Services –

Further activities

Chairwoman of the Executive Board of Wuppertaler Kreis e.V. – German Association for the Promotion of Management Training

Alternate Chairwoman of the Administrative Board of R+V Betriebskrankenkasse, Wiesbaden

Member of the Executive Board of the Arbeitgeberverband der Versicherungsunternehmen in Deutschland e. V. (German Insurance Employers' Association)

Member of the Bargaining Commission for Internal Services of the Arbeitgeberverband der Versicherungsunternehmen in Deutschland e. V.

Membership in other statutory German supervisory boards

KRAVAG–SACH Versicherung des Deutschen Kraftverkehrs VaG, Hamburg *

KRAVAG–ALLGEMEINE Versicherungs–AG, Hamburg *

R+V Pensionskasse AG, Wiesbaden *

* Membership which the candidate holds as the legal representative of a controlling company of a group in companies belonging to the group (membership in group bodies)

Membership in comparable German or foreign supervisory bodies

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