

Information about the speakers

Speaker Prof. Dr. Manfred Köhler

Vita Education: Technical University of Berlin, Germany. Diploma Degree 1981, PhD: 1987: about “Eco effects of living wall systems”.
Professional activities:

- 1981 – 1990: Scientist; Institute of Ecology, Berlin. (Main fields of work: Urban ecology; Ecological function of Green facades and Green roof systems. Teaching in the academic program of Landscape planning of the Technical University of Berlin.
- 1990 - 1994: Executive Director of the Research Centre of Landscape Ecology, Bremen. Working themes: Environmental impact assessment studies and restoration projects related to harbour development environmental protection planning, restoration planning of wetland in the State of Bremen.
- Since 1994 Professor of Landscape ecology at the University of Applied Sciences, Neubrandenburg. Main research interests:
 - Urban ecology; Green roof and living wall technology.
 - Historic parks and Gardens in North eastern Germany
 - Ecological planning of Golf courses.
- Since 2008: Vice dean of the Department Landscape science and Geomatic at the University of Applied Sciences.

Founder of the Green roof Research Center at the Univ. of Applied Sciences in Neubrandenburg;

Member of: Federal Landscape architecture organization (BDLA), Member of several FLL- guideline working groups (www.FLL.de); Speaker of the German FBB for international relation (www.fbb.de), (National Green building association), European Green Roof Association EFB, board member.

Co-founder of World Green Infrastructure Network (WGIN) in 2008; since 2008 President of this organization (www.worldgreenroof.org). Since 2014: Detao Master of Sustainable Architecture, (Shanghai, China).

About 160 scientific publications, mainly with a focus on Green roofs, living walls and indoor greening.

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