

Short CV

FH-Prof. DSA Mag. (FH) Dr. PhDr. Christoph Redelsteiner, MSc



Education

2010 – 2016 Doctor in Public Health - University Bielefeld, Germany, School of Public Health
2009 - PhDr. (Health Administration) St. Elisabeth University, Bratislava, Slovakia
2006 – Master degree (Social Work and Sciences) University of Applied Sciences St. Pölten, Austria
2001 - M.S. (Emergency Health Services) University of Maryland, Baltimore, USA
1994 - Emergency Medical Services Instructor, Dept. Health & Human Resources, GA, USA
1992 - Paramedic, State of Baden-Württemberg, Germany
1991 - Paramedic, Gwinnett Technical Institute, Georgia USA
1990 - Bachelor Social Work, Federal Academy for Social Work, Austria
1990 - Emergency Medical Technician - Ambulance, Dept. Health & Human Resources, Georgia, USA
1984 - Emergency Medical Technician - Basic, Ambulance Dispatcher, Austria
1984 - ... Courses: Prehospital Trauma Life Support Instructor, Crisis and Safety Management, Advanced Cardiac / Medical Life Support, Pediatric Life Support Instructor, Paramedic Instructor etc.

Professional Experience

- [2010 - current] Docent, -2013 Professor University of Applied Sciences, Dept. of Social Work St. Pölten, A
- [2008 - 2012] Lecturer, Medical University Olomouc, (Patient Assessment, Biomechanics), CZ
- [2003 - current] Scientific Director of Emergency Health Services Program, Danube University, A
- [2003 - 2010] Lecturer, University of Applied Sciences, School of Social Work, St. Pölten, A
- [1995 - 2010] Quality Manager, Chief of Ambulance Service, Vienna Red Cross, Austria
- [1992 - 1995] Paramedic, Ambulance Instructor, Rottweil County, German Red Cross
- [1990 - 1991] Emergency Medical Technician-A, Paramedic, DeKalb County EMS, Atlanta, USA
- [1985 - 1987] Youth Welfare Worker, St. Pölten, Austria
- [1984 - present] Dispatcher, Paramedic, Instructor in various roles (civil servant, volunteer, paid) and functions at Samaritan EMS and Red Cross, Austria; AMLS, PHTLS, EPC Instructor

Research Interests: Quality Management in Health and Social Care, Distribution and Allocation Issues of Emergency and Primary Health and Social Care, Psychosocial Crisis Intervention, Ambulance Service Training

Assessments: ≈ 35 Audits/Assessments of Ambulance and Social Services e.g. in Austria, Germany, Kosovo United Kingdom, Italy, Serbia, Czech

Publications:

- Emergency Medical Service Books as Chief Editor: 3, e.g.:
Redelsteiner, Christoph et. al (2011): Das Handbuch für Notfall- und Rettungssanitäter. Braumüller Universitätsverlag Vienna. 796 Pages („Symptom based Paramedic-Manual“)
- Chapters contributed to Books: 24, Articles in Journals: 85
- Peer Reviewer: Journal „Rettungsdienst“ (German Ambulance, CEU); Urgentni Medicina Prague
- Member Editorial Board: Journal of Emergency Medical Services (USA), RettungsMagazin (D)

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Exams and Thesis Advisement/Grading as University Educator:

Doctoral Level, 2nd Examiner:

Newton, Andy (2013): Ambulance Service 2030: The Future of Paramedics. University of Hertfordshire, PhD Thesis

Master Level:

1st Examiner: ~ 50 Master Thesis' with various Health, Digital Healthcare, Emergency Medical, Social Work and Midwifery Topics at University of Applied Sciences, St. Pölten and at Danube University, Krems Austria

2nd Examiner: ~ 40 Master Thesis' with various Health and Social Work Topics at University of Applied Sciences, St. Pölten, A

Bachelor Level:

~ 40 Bachelor Thesis' at University of Applied Sciences, St. Pölten, A

Projects: approx. 25 national and international Projects in various functions, e.g.:

- Integrated nurse and paramedic curriculum, Austria
- Law for Emergency Medical Technicians, Austria
- Public Access Defibrillation, Austria
- Crisis Intervention and Critical Incident Stress Management, Austria, Germany
- International Ambulance Provider Competition and Evaluation (Teams from 20 nations), Czech
- Emergency Services Curriculum Building and Training, various nations
- Implementation of standardized Ambulance Provider Courses in Germany, Austria, Serbia, Czech

Awards:

- Recipient of the First James O. Page JEMS Award, Baltimore 2003
- Recipient of the First Gold Honor Medal of the Vienna Municipal Ambulance Service, 2006
- Recipient of the Emergency Medical Service Innovator Award, Baltimore 2016

Memberships:

Austrian Society for Social Work (OGSA)

Austrian Paramedic Association (BVRD)

Austrian Society for Emergency and Disaster Medicine (ÖNK)

Austrian Society for Primary Care (OEFOP)

Counseling Member Austrian Society for Ethics and Law in Emergency and Disaster Medicine (ÖGERN)