

## Curriculum Vitae

### Personal data

Name: Gordon Rapp

Date of birth: 17 June 1957

Place of birth: Bad Wimpfen

Marital status: since 1982 married to Sabine Rapp, née Henkel; 2 children

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### Professional career

1977 *Abitur* [academic standard required for university entrance] at the *Albert-Schweitzer-Gymnasium* [Academic Secondary School], Neckarsulm

10/1977 - 1982 Legal studies at the *Ruprecht-Karls-Universität Heidelberg* (Heidelberg University)

1982 First State Examination in the Subject of Law

1985 Second State Examination in the Subject of Law

1985 - 1991 Personal assistant of Lawyer Dr. Jobst Wellensiek

since 1991 Self-employment - senior partner of the law firm *Rapp, Wolff & Kollegen* with offices in, *inter alia*, Heidelberg, Frankfurt, Dresden, Leipzig, Berlin and Cologne

- 17 lawyers, 35 commercial, technical and legal employees
- Activity predominantly in the field of company reorganisation and insolvency law, especially as an expert, administrator and liquidator since 1985 in more than 400 cases
- Practice in sports law
- Lecturing and speaker's activity in the field of insolvency law
- Visiting lecturer at the University Mannheim for insolvency law

20 July 2001 Being awarded the Service medal of the Federal Republic of Germany, the “Distinguished Service Cross with ribbon“ for the successful reorganisation of the company *Pneumant Reifenwerke AG*

### Sports activities

since the age of 16 training leader / section manager,  
board member of *TG Offenau*

until the age of 20 Active in competitive sports – track-and-field sports

since 1989 Active member in fencing  
Assistance in establishing a fencing club  
Initiator of a fencing partnership with the ZSK Moskow,  
Involved in several pupil exchange programs

1995 to 2001 Chairman of the *Schieds- und Ehrengericht im Nordbadischen Fechter-Bund* [arbitration and disciplinary court of the Fencing Association Nordbaden]

1997 to 2001 Vice president of the *Nordbadischer Fechter-Bund*

1996 to 1998 Member of the *Satzungskommission des Deutschen Fechterbundes* [Statutes Commission of the German Fencing Association]  
  
Assistance in drafting the arbitration and disciplinary court ordinance of the German Fencing Association

1998 to 2000 Vice president Finances of the German Fencing Association

since 1999 Member of the Working Group for sports law of the German Bar Association

2002 - 2006 Member of the Marketing Commission of the European Fencing Association (CEE)

2002 - 2006 Board member of *NOK, National Olympic Committee*,  
Representative of *NOK* in the Federal Committee For Competitive Sports of the *Deutscher Sportbund* [German Sports Association]

2005 - 2006 Member of the Committee for Structuring and Statutes concerning the association of the *NOK* and the *DSB*

since 2003 Member of the Court of Arbitration for Sport (CAS)

since 2008 Member of the Legal Commission of the FIE  
since 2013 Chairman of the Working Commission on Good Governance

2012	Member of the CAS „Ad hoc Division" for the UEFA EURO 2012
2013	Delegate for the FIE and IOC in Mauritius concerning affiliation of the Mauritian Fencing Federation
since 2013	Legal Advisor of the European Fencing Federation (EFC)
2000 - 2014	President of the German Fencing Federation
since 2014	Honorary President of the German Fencing Federation
since 2015	Member of the ASOIF Legal Consultative Group
2016	Recipient of the badge of honour of the German Olympic Sports Confederation
since 2016	Member of the Executive Committee of the Olympic Training Center Rhein-Neckar

**Other activities**

since 1970	Member of the German Alpine Club
1991	Initiator and founding member of the <i>Sozialverein Striesen e. V.</i> [Social Association] Dresden
1992	Initiator and founding member of the association <i>Positiv e. V., Fürstenwalde</i>