

Curriculum Vitae

Personal Information

Name / Surname	Walter, Jean-Philippe
Nationality	Suisse / Swiss
Date of birth	13 January 1954
Civil Status	Maried, 3 childern
Profession	Lawyer
Academic level / certificate	Doctor in law

Work experience

June 2016 – January 2019	Deputy Federal Data Protection and Information Commissioner
December 2015 – May 2016	Federal Data Protection and Information Commissioner ad interim
July 1993 – November 2015	Deputy Federal Data Protection and Information Commissioner, Head of the Permanent Secretariat
September 1990 – June 1993	Head of the Data Protection Service, Federal Office of Justice
May 1988 – August 1990	Legal Adviser, Legal Division, General Secretariat Federal Department of the Environment, Transport, Energy and Communications
March 1987 – April 1988	

	Deputy Head of the Data Protection Service, Federal Office of Justice
May 1981 – February 1987	
	Legal Adviser, Data Protection Service, Federal Office of Justice
November 1979 – May 1981	Law Assistant, University of Fribourg (Switzerland)
Other Experiences	
Since January 2018	Member of ICRC Data Protection Commission
September 2017 – September 2020	Member of ESA Data Protection Supervisory Authority
Since September 2016	Chairman of the French Speaking Association of Data Protection Authorities
Since June 2016	1st Vice-Chairman of the Consultative Committee Convention 108 for the Protection of Individuals with regard to Automatic Processing of Personal Data (T- PD)
June 2010 – June 2016	Chairman of the T-PD
September 2007 – September 2016	Vice-Chairman of the French Speaking Association of Data Protection Authorities
March 2012 – March 2013	Chairman of the Joint Supervisory Authority Schengen
May 2000 – May 2006	Vice-Chairman of the Swiss Association of Data Protection Authorities
June 2000 – June 2004	Chairman of the T-PD
1994 – 1996	Chairman of The Expert Committee of the Council of Europe for Data Protection (CJPD)
1991 – 1995	Chairman of the Working Group of the CJPD on the protection of personal data collected and processed for statistical purposes
1987 - 1989	

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Chairman of the Working Group of the CJPD on the
protection of personal data used for payment and
other operations

Education

1988	Doctorate in law, « La protection de la personnalité lors du traitement de données à des fins statistiques », University of Fribourg, CH-1700 Fribourg
1979	Master of Law, University of Fribourg, CH-1700 Fribourg

Personal skills	
Mother tongue	French
Other languages	German and English
Hobby	Music, Bike, Ski, Walking
Additional Information	Different publications concerning Data Protection (national and international) and Access to Information