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Nomination

I'm writing to show the support of the German Cartographic Society (DGfK) for Dr. Anja Hopfstock in nomination as Co-Chair of the ICA commission on Integrated Geospatial Information for Cartography. Please find enclosed the indication from Dr. Anja Hopfstock that she is willing to serve as Commission Co-Chair and her CV as well the Terms of Reference for the next four years.

Dr. Anja Hopfstock
Vice President DGfK and National Delegate to ICA



Europass Curriculum Vitae

Personal information

First name(s) / Surname(s) **Anja HOPFSTOCK**
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Nationality German
Date of birth 10.04.1968
Gender Female

Work experience

Dates **06 / 2020 – to date**
Occupation or position held Head of department Geodata at BKG
Main activities and responsibilities

- Direction of the department
- Managing the production and continuous maintenance of geodata for all cartographic products, services and applications
- Facilitating applied research and development
- Establishing the virtual research center "Gauß-Zentrum"

Dates **01 / 2017 – 05/2020**
Occupation or position held Head of coordination office GDI-DE
Main activities and responsibilities

- Direction of the coordination office GDI-DE
- Supporting the chair of the steering committee GDI-DE and acting as the point of contact to the German SDI network
- Representing the coordination office in national and international SDI working groups
- Coordination of the implementation of the German Spatial Data Infrastructure and INSPIRE in Germany
- Acting as „INSPIRE Thematic Cluster Facilitator“ on behalf of the European Commission

Dates **04 / 2015 – 12 / 2016**
Occupation or position held Scientific officer at National Coordination Group of BKG
Main activities and responsibilities

- Participation in setting up an innovation strategy for BKG
- Coordination and conceptualisation of BKG contributions to the European Spatial Data Infrastructure
- Participation in international working groups and projects, especially UN-GGIM Europe Working Group A Core Data and Working Group B Data Integration as well as EuroGeographics and INSPIRE
- Acting as "INSPIRE Thematic Cluster Facilitator" on behalf of the European Commission

Dates	07 / 1996 – 03 / 2015
Occupation or position held	Executive officer in the Supranational Geoinformation Group of BKG
Main activities and responsibilities	In charge of international, esp. European projects serving the set up and maintenance of world-wide and European-wide topographic reference databases: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - E.L.F. project (workpackage leader E.L.F. specifications 2013 - 2016) - Participation in different EuroGeographics projects, e.g. EuroGlobalMap and EuroRegionalMap (Technical manager), ESDIN (workpackage leader 2008-2011), including data integration, management, quality evaluation and technical guidance. - Participation in the VMap Level1 co-production (1997- 2002) - Member of the INSPIRE TWG Hydrography - Member of ISA working group Core Location Vocabulary
Name and address of employer	Federal Agency for Cartography and Geodesy (BKG), Richard-Strauss-Allee 11, D-60598 Frankfurt am Main, Germany

Dates	12 / 1992 – 07/1996
Occupation or position held	Executive officer at the Topographic Information and Update Service
Main activities and responsibilities	Collecting and preparing change information from various source for the different map products of IfAG
Name and address of employer	Institute for Applied Geodesy (IfAG), Richard-Strauss-Allee 11, D-60598 Frankfurt am Main, Germany

Dates	10 / 1992 – 11 / 1992
Occupation or position held	Cartographer
Main activities and responsibilities	In charge of production of digital cartographic products
Name and address of employer	Verlag G. Nabert, Frankfurt am Main, Germany

Dates	09 / 1991 – 09 / 1992
Occupation or position held	Cartographer
Main activities and responsibilities	In charge of production of mapping products
Name and address of employer	Terrac Verlag GmbH, Essen, Germany

Education and training

Dates	10 / 2004 – 10 / 2010
Name and type of organisation	Technical University of Dresden, Dresden, Germany

Title of qualification awarded	Dr.-Ing.
Level in national or international classification	ISCED 6

Dates	09 / 1986 – 06 / 1991
Name and type of organisation	Novosibirsk Institute of Engineers for Geodesy, Aerial Phototopography and Cartography (today Siberian State Academy for Geodesy), Novosibirsk, Russia

Title of qualification awarded	Master of Science in Cartography
Level in national or international classification	ISCED 5A

Personal skills and competences

Mother tongue(s)

German

Other language(s)

Self-assessment

European level (*)

English

Russian

Understanding				Speaking				Writing	
Listening		Reading		Spoken interaction		Spoken production			
C1	Proficient user	C2	Proficient user	C1	Proficient user	C1	Proficient user	C1	Proficient user
C1	Proficient user	C1	Proficient user	B2	Independent User	B2	Independent User	B2	Independent User

(*) [Common European Framework of Reference for Languages](#)

Organisational skills and competences

- Management and coordination of a department with 5 working groups and about 100 staff
- Experiences in managing a project on European Spatial Data Information, in communicating and working in a European dimension.

Computer skills and competences

Extensive experience in GIS (e.g. ESRI ArcGIS), modelling topographic data (UML), programming languages (e.g. Python) and common office tools.

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DECLARATION

Hereby I agree to my nomination as co-chair of the ICA commission Integrated Geospatial Information for Cartography by Dr. Anja Hopfstock (in her capacity as vice president international, DGfK). Furthermore, if my nomination will be accepted within the General Assembly in 2023, I am willing to serve as co-chair of the ICA commission Integrated Geospatial Information for Cartography for the next period.

Best regards,

Dr. Anja Hopfstock
Vice President DGfK

ICA Commission on Integrated Geospatial Information for Cartography

Proposed Terms of References

1. Explore and research country-specific implementations of integrated geospatial information for maps and cartography in support of national strategic priorities, share national experiences on this and identify associated research and education needs.
2. In collaboration with other ICA Commissions, participate at the scientific level with other organizations and agencies active in geoinformation management, UN-GGIM IGIF and the creation of geospatial knowledge infrastructures with a special focus on cartography.
3. Develop reports, conference presentations and/or journal articles on our work and help to arrange workshops, conferences or other meetings.
4. Organize reporting sessions on the Commission's activities at the 2025 and 2027 International Cartographic Conferences.
5. Organize and hold full Commission meetings in 2024, 2025, 2026 and 2027, and other meetings with Commission members at suitable events and conferences.

