## CV Karen Sokoll, LLM

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since 2020	lawyer with own law firm specialising in data protection law
since July 2019	Judge at the Brandenburg State Constitutional Court, Potsdam (honorary office)
previously	
2011 - 2019	Senior Legal Advisor Customer and Employee Data Protection Law for the Global Privacy Officer of Deutsche Bahn Group. Since 2017 chairing the internal project group assisting in GDPR implementation
2013 - 2019	member of the supervisory board of Stadtwerke Potsdam GmbH (municipal utilities)
2011 - 2019	sideline lawyer focusing on data protection law (until 12/2017 in cooperation with HEUSSEN Rechtsanwälte)
2007 - 2010	lawyer at Linklaters LLP (later: Olswang LLP). Focusing on media law, competition law, telecommunications law, data protection law and libel law
1999 – 2006	Legal Advisor and (since 2001) Vice Managing Director of the Commission on Concentration in the Media (KEK)
1998 - 1999	lawyer at D+B Rechtsanwälte (focussing on labour law)
1996 - 1997	postgraduate studies: Master of Laws in Intellectual Property (LL.M.), University of London (Queen Mary & Westfield College and King's College)
1993 - 1996	legal clerkship, including stages at DeutschlandRadio and at the Representation of Northrhine-Westfalia to the European Union.  2nd State Examination in Law
1987-1993	studies of law, history and philosophy at Freie Universität Berlin and Albert-Ludwigs- Universität Freiburg i. Brsg. 1st State Examination in Law

- certified Data Protection Officer
- experienced lecturer for data protection trainings; teaching experience (MHMK Berlin: music law);
   specialist lectures e.g. at the invitation of the Broadcasting Councils of ARD, the Friedrich-Ebert-Stiftung,
   EUROFORUM, the Bundesverband der Unternehmensjuristen (BUJ) and the Flick Foundation