2021 Call for OpenPeppol Elections

Application for: Peppol Authority Representative on the Election Committee

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Curriculum Vitae:

Qualification Summary:

- Studies of Computer Science at the University of Bremen, Diplom-Informatikerin (corresponds to Master in Computer Science)
- Post-doc Scholarship in Australia, Brisbane

Experience Highlights:

Working for the Coordination Office for IT Standardisation since 2011 as

- Project leader for the two IT-standards OSCI and XTA (development and maintenance). They ensure secure data exchange in-between several thousand public authorities in Germany (G2G).
- Head of Peppol Authority in Germany

Employment History:

- Consultant at the department for IT Management and eGovernment of the Free Hanseatic City of Bremen for 10 years (Project leader: Exchange of examination data between several universities; Cooperation in the board of the DIN (German Institute for Standardisation); Implementation of the EU Service Directive; Accessibility)
- Consultant in a software company developing software for the touristic branch (8 years)

The Coordination Office for IT Standards (KoSIT)

In Germany, the State Treaty on IT establishing the IT Planning Council lays the groundwork for cooperation on the use of information technology in federal and state public administration and implements Article 91c of the Basic Law (State Treaty on IT). The IT Planning Council is the central body responsible for National IT cooperation.

Based on Article 91c of the Basic Law, existing IT bodies and decision-making structures can be streamlined to operate more effectively and thus adapt to technological progress. Article 91c of the Basic Law also creates the legal prerequisites for seamless electronic communication among federal, state and local government agencies. The amendment also gave the Federal Government exclusive authority to pass legislation concerning a core network for federal and state public administration. The IT Planning Council comprises permanent structures such as the Coordination Office for IT Standards (KoSIT). The main tasks of KoSIT are to assist the IT Planning Council in adopting IT interoperability and IT security standards and to manage joint federal and state-level e-government projects.

KoSIT is located within the e-government division of the core administration of the Free Hanseatic City of Bremen, but is a permanent organisation of the National IT Planning Council.

Letter of Motivation

In short: The work has to be done.

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