



IG Metall Short Biography

Detlef Wetzel Chairman of IG Metall

Departments

Organization and Human Resources
Recruitment and Campaigns
Company and Plant Level Union Policy and Co-Determination Policy

Curriculum vitae

Date of birth 27 December 1952 in Siegen
Marital status Married
1969 – 1977 Training and work as a toolmaker at SMS Demag (plant engineering for the steel sector) in Siegen

- Youth representative and shop steward
- Intermediate school leaving certificate, evening school
- University of applied sciences entrance qualification

1977 – 1980 Degree course in social work focusing on “Youth and adult education” at Siegen Comprehensive University
1980 – 1987 Trade union secretary at IG Metall, Siegen
1987 – 1997 Second Senior Officer of IG Metall, Siegen
1997 – 2004 First Senior Officer of IG Metall, Siegen
2004 – 2007 Regional director of the IG Metall region North Rhine-Westphalia
11/2007 - present Vice Chairman of IG Metall

Supervisory Board positions

- Vice Chairman of the Supervisory Board of SMS GmbH
- Member of the Supervisory Board of SMS Siemag AG
- Vice Chairman of the Supervisory Board of ThyssenKrupp Steel AG

Political party membership

Member of SPD



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