



Curriculum Vitae

as of 22nd of April, 2015

Personal information

Name	Roland Krebs
Academic Titles	MSc (Vienna), MBA (Buenos Aires)
Profession	Urban Planning Specialist Member of Chamber of Architects and Consulting Engineers, Austria
Addresses	Goldeggasse 31 / 7, 1040 Vienna, Austria
Telephone	+43 664 612 81 57
E-mail	roland.krebs@gmail.com
website	www.rolandkrebs.net
Nationality	Austria
Date of birth	04.10.1976

Work experience

Since 2001

Position **Independent Consultant**

Main activities and responsibilities

The following selection of works / projects I did as Planning Consultant:

URBACT Thematic Expert: TUTUR - Temporary Use as a Tool for Urban Regeneration (2014 – 2015). TUTUR developed temporary use strategies in the urban regeneration plans of Rome, Alba Iulia and Bremen. The objective of the TUTUR project is to introduce the method of temporary use in urban regeneration to cities participating in the network.

Urban Planning Consultant (since July 2013) at the Inter-American Development Bank in Washington, DC: Project development and urban design for the integrated urban renewal projects in the course of the Emerging and Sustainable Cities Initiative (ESCI) in Panama City (Panama), Managua (Nicaragua), Montego Bay (Jamaica), Valdivia (Chile), Xalapa (Mexico), Campeche (Mexico), Quetzaltenango (Guatemala), Pasto (Colombia) and Montería (Colombia). Application of an innovative Urban Development Methodology (the "Urban Design Lab") and design of urban strategies and preparation of pre-feasibility studies, budgeting and reporting.

Other consultancies for International Development:

- Austrian Development Agency (ADA): Project Monitoring and Supervision for the ADA financed Project "Integrated Local Development Project" in Los Ángeles de Malacatoya, Nicaragua (2010). Reporting to the Country Manager of ADA. Measuring Indicators with statistical tools and interviews annually.
- Austrian Development Agency (ADA): Design and Funding of "Integrated Local Development Project" in Los Ángeles de Malacatoya, Nicaragua; financed by Austrian Development Agency and World Vision (2009). Writing a proposal (incl. Budget and Time Frame, Log Framework, etc.), submission on behalf of NGO "Pan y Arte Austria".
- Casa de los Tres Mundos (NGO): Masterplan and Land Use Plan in Los Ángeles de Malacatoya, Nicaragua (2008). Designing and writing a proposal for the development of a Nicaraguan Village suitable for 900 habitants (ie. 150 households). Proposal for funding within Catholic NGOs and World Vision.

	<p>As curator:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Fast.Forward.City Sympoisum – Learning from Latin America’s rapid urban growth: 1 day symposium and side events (April 22-24, 2015) in Vienna, Austria. The symposium was aiming to exchange knowledge from Latin-America and Europe in the topic of urban development. - BID URBAN LAB – an international urban design competition of the Curundú Area in the Panama City for interdisciplinary planning teams. 2 phase competition. - Identity City Lab: Curator for a 2 days Urban Design symposium and 3 day workshop (June 5th-8th 2013) in Linz, Austria. The workshop, lead by the Spanish architecture practice Ecosistema Urbano, was aiming to provide some fresh insights and proposals about the eastern harbour area of Linz. (Creative Region Upper-Austria) - Curator of the “wonderlab” architectural festival incl. Urban Design Workshop at the Architekturzentrum Wien (AZW) in month of August 2014 and follow ups in Berlin (DAZ) And Kiev (CANACTION). With this exhibition format, wonderland – the platform for European architecture aims to represent its network of young and/or emerging architects and urbanists.
Client	Various
Type of business	Urban and Regional Planning, Project Development and Management, Proposal Writer, Reporting and Supervision.
Position	Since February 2011 <u>University Lecturer Urban Design and Planning</u>
Main activities and responsibilities	<p>Since 2011 Roland Krebs is an academic lecturer, researcher and design critic at the Vienna University of Technology at the Interdisciplinary Centre for Urban Culture and Public Space (SKuOR) and the Institute of Urban Design and Landscape Architecture.</p> <p>Together with Prof. Andreas Hofer and William Montano (IEI, Granada/Nicaragua) Roland initiated the academic program Urban Managua (UM) - Academic Partnership in Integrated Urban Development Studies – an approach for the development of spontaneous human settlements in the central urban area of Managua, Nicaragua. This two-year project aims to introduce creative urban development tools and innovative methodologies in urban studies in the curriculum of architecture at Universidad Centroamericana (UCA).</p>
Employer	Also Urban Design studios for master students in: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Detroit, MI (2011) - Pasto, Colombia (2014-15) - Panama City, Panama (2014-15)
Type of business	Technische Universität Wien, Karlsplatz 2, 1040 Vienna, Austria University Lecturer, Research
Position	May 2010 – June 2013 <u>Project Leader Urban Design New Central Railway Station Vienna</u>
Main activities and responsibilities	Urban design project leader at the newly building Central Railway Station in Vienna with an 110 ha urban design component. Designing a strategy for Marketing and Real Estate Development, develop and prepare the land (former industrial and infrastructure area) for the selling to Investors. Obtaining the zoning and pre-building permission for mixed-use developments. Elaboration of tenders for the Bid-process. Elaboration of Business Plans and Strategies (pre feasibility studies); Organization of Architectural Competitions; Contracting (Consulting Agreements, Construction Contracts, Purchase Agreements etc.).
Employer	Österreichische Bundesbahnen, Clemens Holzmeisterstraße 6, 1100 Vienna, Austria
Type of business	Urban Planning and Development, Project Management, Monitoring and Reporting.

	August 2008 – April 2010
Position	<u>Head of Project Development</u>
Main activities and responsibilities	Development and Management of Real Estate Projects mainly in Bulgaria, Serbia, Romania, Russia and Ukraine. Urban Design, Examination of Projects, technical and financial Feasibility Studies; project acquisition; Business Plans and Strategies; Organization of Architectural Competitions; Contracting (Consulting Agreements, Construction Contracts, Purchase Agreements, etc.); Monitoring of Planning and Service.
Employer	S+B Gruppe AG, Löwengasse 47, 1030 Vienna, Austria
Type of business	Urban Planning and Development, Project Management, Monitoring and Reporting.
	February 2003 – August 2008
Position	<u>Project Development and Management</u>
Main activities and responsibilities	Development and Management of Real Estate Projects mainly in Bulgaria, Serbia, Kosovo and Bosnia. Urban Design, Examination of Projects, technical and financial Feasibility Studies; Acquisition of all kind of projects; Organization of Architectural Competitions; Contracting (Consulting Agreements, Construction Contracts, Purchase Agreements, etc.); Monitoring of Planning and Services; Construction Management, Examination for allocating of a Bank Headquarter in Sarajevo, Bosnia and Pristine, Kosovo and Bratislava, Slovak Republic. Project Manager of the following Ventures: Office Building in Bratislava, Office Building in Sofia, Office Building in Belgrade and Office Building in Pristine. Surveying for an Austrian bank Institute. Project Management, Monitoring and Reporting.
Employer	Raiffeisen Property Management, Börsegasse 8, 1010 Vienna, Austria
Type of business	Project Development and Management
	September 2001 - November 2002
Position	<u>Urban and Regional Planner (Social Service)</u>
Main activities and responsibilities	Project Management and Urban Planning activities at a Rural Housing Project with integrated Components in the region of Granada, Nicaragua. Design activities during the Construction Period. Landscape Design of the Parque Central. Design of a community Building Project (with a strong regional impact) – based on Interviews and Statistical Methods; Design of a Local Economic Development project (Beekeeping, eco-paper production and eco farming); Proposal Writing and Funding activities for the NGO and implementation of project financed by the Austrian Development Agency (ADA).
Employer	Casa de los Tres Mundos, Granada, Nicaragua
Type of business	Rural Development, Regional Planning Components
	October 1999 - July 2000
Position	<u>Urban and Regional Planner</u>
Main activities and responsibilities	Feasibility Study, Pre-Project of Integrated Regional Development Project in Moro, Chimbote, Perú. Project of Cooperación de Liechtenstein (LED); Project Team Leader at Field Mission in Perú (February till May). Information Management, Proposal Writing, Funding.
Employer	Friedrich Falch, Fischerstr. 9, A-6500 Landeck, Austria
Type of business	Urban and Regional Planning
	Education and training
	2014 – 2015
Qualification	Postgrade in Rehabilitation of Historical City Centers
Principal subjects	Urban Management and Historic City Centers
Organisation	Universitat Oberta de Catalunya (UOC), Barcelona, Spain
International academic title	Specialist

	2006 - 2007
Qualification	Master of Business Administration (MBA)
Principal subjects	General Management and Economics
Organisation	Universidad de Belgrano (UB), Buenos Aires, Argentina.
International academic title	MBA

	1995 - 2001
Qualification	Diplom-Ingenieur
Principal subjects	Urban and Regional Planning
Organisation	University of Technology (UTV), Vienna, Austria.
International academic title	Master of Science (MSc)

Languages

German	Mother tongue
English	Excellent
Spanish	Excellent

Memberships

Chamber of Architects and Consulting Engineers, Austria (2004)
 URBACT II (European Union) – Thematic Expert for Urban Planning (2009)
 Chamber of Commerce, Consulting Engineers Vienna Austria (2010)
 Board member of Wonderland - platform for European architecture
 Board member of Pan y Arte Austria

Skills and competences

Social	Intercultural and leadership competence, working in interdisciplinary project teams.
Organizational	Project Management skills; Reporting, Supervision. Vast experience with international, intercultural teams in Latin America and Central Eastern Europe.
Technical	Urban Planning, Urban Design, Urban Interventions, Urban Planning Policies, Participation Methodologies, Proposal Writing.
Lectures	Lectures and Guest Critic at: GSD Harvard (Cambridge, USA) Universidad de Buenos Aires (Argentina) Universidad de Palermo (Buenos Aires, Argentina) ETH Zürich Summer School of Architecture in Barranquilla (Colombia) University of Technology (Vienna) Society of Architects Buenos Aires, University of Applied Arts Vienna Universidad Centroamericana (Managua, Nicaragua) Universidad de Cantabria Santander (Spain) Centro Universitario Quetzaltenango (Quetzaltenango, Guatemala).
Computer	Word, Excel, Access, Project, HTML Skills, ArcVIEW, AutoCAD, Microstation, ArchiCAD, SketchUP, SPSS, Illustrator, Photoshop, InDesign, all necessary software for planning, GIS and management.
Artistic	Electric and Double Bass Player, played in bands in Buenos Aires, Managua, Granada, Washington, DC and Vienna.
Driving license	Yes

Further Information

portfolio	www.rolandkrebs.net
linkedin	www.linkedin.com/in/rolandkrebs
twitter	www.twitter.com/rolandkrebs
flickr	www.flickr.com/photos/rolandkrebs
facebook	www.facebook.com/UrbanDesignLaboratory