

Opening Speaker

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The major background of Dr. Harry Stolte is Technical Vocational Education and Training. In 1981 he graduated with University Diploma in field of Didactics of Technical Vocational Education and Training and since 1984 he is holding a PhD in Technical Vocational Education and Training.

The main focus of his work – integrated in international TVET cooperation – is oriented on subjects as Standards and Curricula Development, Development of Teaching and Learning Media, as well as TVET Teacher Training and on different areas of TVET related to Sustainable Development.

Since about 30 years Dr. Stolte is acting in the area of Technical Vocational Education and Training within international cooperation with developing countries, countries in transition and industrialized countries. In before mentioned contexts he was responsible for the design, formulation, implementation and evaluation of international projects. Main experiences he has in countries in Asia, South-East Asia and Eastern Europe.

In 2009 he was honored as Principal Research Associate of UNESCO-UNEVOC International Center Bonn. Since that time he could additionally contribute successfully to the establishment of the UNEVOC Center TVET for Sustainable Development in Magdeburg, Germany.