

Declaration on the information obligation – PRIVACY STATEMENT

The protection of your personal data is important to us. We therefore exclusively process your data in accordance with the statutory provisions (GDPR, TKG 2003 [German Telecommunications Act]). This privacy statement contains information on the most important aspects of data processing within the scope of our website.

Contact with us

If you contact us using the form on the website or via email, we store the data that you provide for the purpose of responding to the enquiry and for follow-up questions. We do not pass this data on without your consent.

Cookies

Our website uses cookies. Cookies are small text files, which are stored on your terminal with the help of the browser. They do not cause any damage. We use cookies to make our offer more user-friendly. Some cookies remain stored on your terminal until you erase them. They enable us to recognise your browser during your next visit. If this is something you do not wish to occur, you can set up your browser so that it informs you of the setting of cookies and lets you grant permission in each individual case. Disabling cookies may restrict the function of our website.

Use of Google Analytics with anonymisation function

We use Google Analytics on our website. This is a web analysis service provided by Google Inc., 1600 Amphitheatre Parkway, Mountain View, CA 94043 USA ('Google'). Google Analytics uses cookies, text files that are saved on your computer, which allow your usage of the website to be analysed. The information generated by these cookies, such as the time, place and frequency of your website visit, including your IP address, is transferred to Google in the USA where it is stored. We use Google Analytics with an IP anonymisation function on our website. In this case, Google truncates and anonymises your IP address within member states of the European Union or in other contracting parties to the Agreement on the European Economic Area. Google uses this information in order to evaluate your use of our site, to compile reports about website activities for us and to provide further services related to the use of the website and internet. Google may also send this information to third parties, in so far as this is permissible by law or where third parties process the information on Google's behalf. Google has stated that, under no circumstance will it associate your IP address with any other Google data. You can prevent cookies from being installed by adjusting the appropriate settings in your browser; however, we would like to point out that you might not be able to make full use of all of our website's functions in this case. Google also offers a disable feature in most popular browsers, which lets you control which data is recorded and processed by Google. If you activate this feature, no further information on the visit to the website will be transmitted to Google Analytics. However, activation does not prevent information from being transmitted to us or to any other web analysis services that we may use. More information on the disable feature provided by Google as well as on activating this feature can be accessed on the following link: <https://tools.google.com/dlpage/gaoptout?hl=en>

Newsletter

You have the option of subscribing to one of our newsletters through our website. To do so, we need your email address and a declaration that you consent to receive the newsletter. Once you have registered for the newsletter, we will send you a confirmation email with a link to confirm the registration. You can cancel or revoke your subscription to this newsletter and the consent to store your data at any time with effect for the future. Details can be found in the confirmation email as well as every individual newsletter.

Newsletter via MailChimp

We use the MailChimp component to send our newsletter. MailChimp is a service provided by The Rocket Science Group, LLC, 512 Means Street, Suite 404, Atlanta, GA 30318, USA. Your data stored when registering for the newsletter (email address and, if necessary, your name, IP address, date and time of registration) is transferred to a The Rocket Science Group server in the USA where it is saved in accordance with the 'EU-US Privacy Shield'.

Further information on privacy at MailChimp is provided at:

<http://mailchimp.com/legal/privacy/>

More information on the 'EU-US Privacy Shield' is provided at:

Federal Commissioner for Data Protection and Freedom of Information

http://ec.europa.eu/justice/data-protection/international-transfers/eu-us-privacy-shield/index_en.htm

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Use of social media buttons with 'Shariff'

We use the 'Shariff' c't project on our website. 'Shariff' replaces the normal share buttons provided by social networks and protects surfing behaviour. 'Shariff' solely integrates the share buttons provided by social networks into our website as a graphic, which contains a link to the relevant social network. Clicking on the relevant graphic takes you to the specific network's services. The Shariff button only establishes a direct contact between the social network and our visitors if the visitor actively clicks on the Share button. Only then is your data transferred to the relevant social network. By contrast, if the Shariff button is not clicked, no exchange occurs between you and the social networks.

Further information on the 'Shariff' c't project is available at:

<http://www.heise.de/ct/artikel/Shariff-Social-Media-Buttons-mit-Datenschutz-2467514.html>

We use 'Shariff' to integrate the following social networks into our website: Facebook, Xing, LinkedIn, Youtube.

Use of Google Maps

This website uses 'Google Maps' provided by Google Inc., 1600 Amphitheatre Parkway, Mountain View, CA 94043 USA ('Google'). Whenever the 'Google Maps' component is accessed, Google sets a cookie in order to process user settings and data when displaying the website into which the 'Google Maps' component is integrated. This cookie is generally not deleted by closing the browser, rather it expires after a certain amount of time, unless you manually delete it first. If you do not agree to this processing of your data, you have the option of disabling the 'Google Maps' service, which prevents the transfer of data to Google. To do so, you need to disable the Java Script function in your browser. However, please note that, in this case, the 'Google Maps' function cannot be used, or only with restrictions. The use of 'Google Maps' and the information obtained via 'Google Maps' takes place in accordance with the Google terms and conditions of use:

<https://policies.google.com/terms?hl=en>

as well as the additional terms and conditions for 'Google Maps'

https://www.google.com/intl/en_en/help/terms_maps.html.

Use of YouTube components with enhanced privacy mode

We use components (videos) provided by YouTube, LLC 901 Cherry Ave., 94066 San Bruno, CA, USA, a Google Inc. company, Amphitheatre Parkway, Mountain View, CA 94043, USA.

In this case, we use the '- enhanced privacy mode -' option provided by YouTube. If you access a website that has an embedded video, a connection is established with the YouTube servers and the content is displayed on the website by communicating with your browser. According to the information provided by YouTube, in the '- enhanced privacy mode -', data (in particular, which of our websites you have visited) is only transferred to the YouTube server if you view the video. If you are also logged in to YouTube, this information is assigned to your YouTube member account. You can prevent this by logging out of your member account before visiting our website. Google provides more information on privacy at YouTube under the following link:

<https://policies.google.com/privacy?hl=en&gl=en>

Your rights

You essentially have the right of access, right to rectification, erasure, restriction and data portability as well as the right of revocation and objection. If you believe that the processing of your data breaches data protection law or your data protection rights have been breached, you can lodge a complaint with the supervisory authority. In Austria, this is the data protection authority.

You can reach us using the following contact details:

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*Please note: The English translation of this **Declaration on the information obligation – PRIVACY STATEMENT** shall be for information purposes. In the event of questions on the interpretation of this Contract, the German version shall prevail.*

You can contact our Data Protection Officer at:

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