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Univ-Prof. Dr. Wilfried Lipp was born in 1945. Grew up in Linz. Studied Architecture, Philosophy, Ethnology and Art History in Graz and Salzburg. PhD in Art History, supervised by Prof. Hans Sedlmayr renowned for his widely cited contribution „Art in Crisis: The Lost Center.“.

In charge of monitoring, listing and supervision of the restoration of monuments and sites for the *Bundesdenkmalamt* (Austrian Federal Monuments Office in Vienna) from 1970. *Landeskonservator* (Head of the Upper Austrian Office) from 1992 to 2010.

Habilitation (postdoctoral qualifications) in 1985 with work on the genesis of conservation philosophy from the 18th century to the present. Honorary Professor and Professor at various Austrian universities since 1980. Several articles in relevant books, as well as his own publications. Publisher of a new series on reconstruction and architectural authenticity. Awarded the Austrian Cross of Honour for Science and Art, First Class.

Vice President of ICOMOS International since 2008, President of ICOMOS Austria since 2002, Vice President of the ISC on Theory and Philosophy of Conservation and Restoration since 2005 and currently President ad interim of this committee. Active participation in various working groups and committees. Delegate in evaluation missions and joint UNESCO and ICOMOS missions. Numerous contributions at ICOMOS meetings and conferences.