



## **Dr. Peter Spieler**

### **Personal data**

Born on July 26, 1957 in Graz

Married since 2005

### **Training**

1967 - 1975 3rd Federal High School, Pestalozzistrasse 5, 8020 Graz

1975 Matriculation examination

1975 Military service

1976 - 1984 Studies of Psychology, Karl-Franzens-University Graz

1984 PhD

### **Work experience**

02/1985 - 07/1985 Psychologist, Training Center Fohnsdorf

08/1985 - 08/1995 BBRZ Linz, vocational rehabilitation, rehabilitation for the blind

08/1995 - 02/2003 NEUSTART, Head of Prison Release Help Center, Linz

03/2003 - 06/2006 SOS Menschenrechte Österreich, Managing Director

09/2006 - ongoing JA Garsten, psychologist in the department for § 21 Abs 2 StGB

### **Additional qualifications**

04/1993 Registration as clinical psychologist and health psychologist

06/1997 Registration as a psychotherapist (systemic family therapy)

1984 - 1992 Volunteer probation officer Graz, Linz

### **Psychotherapeutic experience**

Since 1994 Family counseling center "Aktion Familie" in Wels

2002 Volkshilfe Österreich, "OASIS", psychotherapy with traumatized refugees

2004 - 2008 Psychotherapy in the Correctional Facility Linz and Wels, violent and sexual offenders

Since 2008 FORAM Linz, Psychotherapy with forensic clients