

## Stephan Somberg

Employee representative

First appointed: 2022, current term of office: June 2022 - 2027

Nationality: German

Stephan Somberg was born in Köln/Cologne on 27 May 1980. After finishing school, he trained as a train driver with Deutsche Bahn AG. He has engaged in trade union work since the start of his training, having attended courses in codetermination. In 2007, he graduated from Akademie der Arbeit (House of Labour) in Frankfurt/Main. On 1 May 2008, he was appointed as a full-time trade union secretary for the German Trade Union Federation (DGB) Cologne-Bonn, where he was responsible for the trade union youth organisation. In 2012 he started working for the United Services Trade Union (ver.di). There he is responsible for the divisions printing industry, journalism, media, publishing, as well as art and culture.

In addition to representing the interests of employees, Mr. Somberg has undergone extensive training in labour and social law as well as specialised fields of law (copyright, self-employed rights). After more than 10 years with ver.di, he has gained rich experience in negotiating and enforcing collective bargaining agreements. On a personal level, he is part of the "Kein Veedel für Rassismus" (No Neighborhood for Racism) network.

Other significant activities:

Stephan Somberg belongs to the following other:

- a) Supervisory Boards to be formed under the law; and/or
  - b) comparable national and international controlling bodies of other businesses:
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