



**Co-Founder and Managing  
Partner of Headline**

## PERSONAL INFORMATION

**Year of birth:** 1977

**Place of birth:** Lindau (Bodensee),  
Germany

**Nationality:** German

**Residence:** Kreuzlingen, Switzerland

# ABOUT | CHRISTIAN<sup>©</sup>

## CHRISTIAN LEYBOLD

### ACADEMIC BACKGROUND

**1999–2000**

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, USA

Degree: Master of Science in Electrical and Computer  
Engineering

**1996–1999**

Technische Universität München

Basic Studies: Electrotechnology and IT

### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

**2008–today | Co-Founder and Managing Partner**

of Headline (formerly e.Ventures), Hamburg, Germany

**2003–2010 | Different positions**

at BV Capital Management LLC, San Francisco, USA:

- **2008–2010 | Managing Director**
- **2005–2008 | Principal**
- **2003–2005 | Associate**

**2001–2003 | Consultant**

(Management, Technology, Telecom Strategy),  
Detecon International GmbH, Cologne, Germany

**01/2001–09/2001 | Consultant**

(Technology and Telecom Strategy), Siticom S.A.  
(Paris, France)

**05/1999–08/1999 | Software Engineer**

Daimler Benz Research Center (India)

### MEMBERSHIP OF THE SUPERVISORY BOARD OF ABOUT YOU

**Since June 2021 | Member of Supervisory Board**

of ABOUT YOU Holding SE (former ABOUT YOU  
Holding AG)

- current term until the end of Annual General  
Meeting 2026

**Since June 2021 | Member**

of the Presidential and Nomination Committee

### CURRENT MEMBERSHIPS IN GERMAN STATUTORY SUPERVISORY BOARDS

**Since June 2021 | Member of Supervisory Board**

of ABOUT Verwaltungs SE, Hamburg, Germany, being  
the general partner of ABOUT YOU SE & Co. KG, not  
listed (Group company of ABOUT YOU)



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#### **CURRENT MEMBERSHIPS IN COMPARABLE GERMAN AND FOREIGN CONTROLLING BODIES**

- Member of the Board of SharpTx Limited, London, United Kingdom, not listed
- Member of Board of NaturalCycles Nordic AB, Stockholm, Sweden, not listed
- Member of the Board of Directors of Karmalicious AB, Stockholm, Sweden, not listed
- Member of the Board of JOW SAS, Paris, France, not listed

#### **INFORMATION ACCORDING TO THE RECOMMENDATION OF THE GERMAN CORPORATE GOVERNANCE CODE (GCGC)**

In the assessment of the Supervisory Board, Christian Leybold is to be considered independent. According to the Supervisory Board's assessment, Christian Leybold has no personal or business relationships with the Company, its Group companies, its governing bodies or any shareholder with significant holdings in the Company that are to be disclosed as per Recommendation C.13 GCGC.