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Edmund Wyss

(21.12.1916–17.8.2002)

8.11.1978–25.4.1986	President of the Bank Council
1952–1986	Member of the Bank Council; 1975–1978, Vice-President
1971–1986	Member of the Bank Committee

Education and academic qualifications

1936–1939	Commercial internship in France
1940–1945	Studied economics at the University of Basel
1945	Doctorate in political sciences at the University of Basel

Professional career

1946–1960	Secretary and research assistant at the Swiss Federation of Trade Unions
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Offices held in associations, commissions, etc.

1949–1959	Member of the social statistics commission
1950–1959	Member of the price control commission
1950–1971	Member of the consultative commission for trade policy
1950–1972	Member of the commission for economic monitoring/economic issues
1956–1959	Member of the commission of experts on customs tariffs and import restrictions
1958–1959	Member of the federal commission for crisis resolution and job creation
1958–1984	Member of the consultative/federal home construction commission
1959	Member of the consultative commission for implementation of the agricultural act
1961–1979	Member of the federal commission for old age and survivors' insurance
1961–1979	Member of the federal aviation commission
1965–1972	Vice-Chairman, recourse commission on job creation reserves
1966–1984	Chairman of the Swiss maritime navigation commission
1969–1984	Chairman of the (federal) commission for consumer affairs
1973–1977	Member of the federal commission for a comprehensive Swiss transport policy
1977–1984	Member of the German-Franco-Swiss Government commission for regional issues in the Upper Rhine border regions

Political posts

1947–1960	Member of the legislative council of the canton of Basel-Stadt, Social Democratic Party
1959–1971	Member of the Swiss National Council
1959–1965	Member of the customs duty commission / foreign trade commission; 1961–1963, Chairman

As at 29 April 2011

1960–1984	Member of the cantonal government, Canton of Basel-Stadt
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1967–1971	Member of the financial commission
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Board positions

1960–1986	Member of the Board, Schweizer Mustermesse trade fair cooperative; as of 1967, Vice-Chairman; as of 1970, Chairman
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1962–1984	Vice-Chairman of the Board, Basel-Mulhouse Airport
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1966–1984	Member of the Board, Swissair
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1966–1991	Member of the Board, Swiss navigation association; as of 1969, Chairman
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