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## Education

2008	International Banking Summer School, Hong Kong
1992–1998	PhD, University of Lausanne PhD thesis: "Financial markets as a complex system."
1986–1992	M.A. in Economics and Information Management, University of St.Gallen Master thesis: "Information Retrieval mit neuronalen Netzen bei externer Speicherung der Daten in einer Netzwerkdatenbank. Erläuterung eines mit C++ und db-VISTA entwickelten Prototyps."

## Professional Experience

2015–present	Board member and Co-Founder, TMO Administration AG
2015–present	Lecturer, Institute for Financial Services, Zug
2013–present	Founder and CEO, AVACO AG
2009–2013	CEO, Hypotheken Servicing Schweiz AG
2001–2009	Member of Executive Committe, RBA-Holding
1999–2001	Head of Treasury, Raiffeisen Switzerland
1998–1999	Research Director, Institute for Financial Services, Zug
1994–1999	Founder and CEO, Ankenbrand Finanz GmbH
1992–1994	Area Director, Kyberna Informatik AG
2016–present	Chairman, Soranus AG

## Languages

German	Mother tongue
English	Fluent
French	Fair
Italien	Fair

## Working Papers

- 2013 Thomas Ankenbrand and Fabian Kostadinov. Swiss Real Estate Market - Is Soft Landing an Option. Available at [www.avaco.ch](http://www.avaco.ch)
- 2013 Thomas Ankenbrand and Fabian Kostadinov. Agent-based modelling and the Swiss real estat market. Available at [www.avaco.ch](http://www.avaco.ch)

## Publications

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- 1996 Thomas Ankenbrand and Marco Tomassini. Neural Networks Prediction of Multivariate Financial Time Series: The Swiss Bond Case. *IEEE/IAFE 1996 Conference on Computational Intelligence for Financial Engineering (CIFEr)*.
- 1996 Thomas Ankenbrand and Marco Tomassini. Forecasting Financial Multivariate Time Series with Neural Networks. *AT'96 International Symposium on Neuro-Fuzzy Systems*
- 1995 Thomas Ankenbrand and Marco Tomassini. Multivariate time series modeling of financial markets with artificial neural networks. In *Artificial Neural Nets and Genetic Algorithms*. Springer, 1995.
- 1995 Thomas Ankenbrand and Marco Tomassini. Neural Networks and Statistical Forecasting of Multivariate Economical and Financial Time Series. In *Neural Network World. International Journal on Neural and Mass-Parallel Computing and Information System*.
- 2016 Thomas Ankenbrand, Andreas Dietrich, Christoph Duss and Reto Wernli, (Hrsg.). (2016). IFZ FinTech Study 2016. Luzern: Verlag IFZ - Hochschule Luzern