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Gunther Friedl has been Dean of TUM School of Management at Technical University of Munich since 2010. He joined TUM as a full professor of management accounting in 2007. Gunther holds both a M.Sc. in Business Administration from the University of Munich and a M.Sc. in Physics from the Technical University of Munich. He received his PhD and the Habilitation in business administration from the University of Munich.

Before joining the Technical University of Munich, Gunther has been full professor at the University of Mainz. He has been visiting scholar at Stanford University and guest professor at Warsaw School of Economics.

During his Deanship, TUM School of Management received Triple Crown Accreditation from AACSB, AMBA, and EQUIS. School size tripled to more than 5.000 students.

His teaching focuses on topics such as management accounting, financial accounting, value-based management and corporate valuation at the undergraduate and graduate level as well as at executive programs. For his teaching, Gunther received several rewards, including a Best Teaching Award of the TUM Executive MBA. In 2012, he has been named as the German "Professor of the Year".

Gunther is author and co-author of several textbooks and monographs on management accounting and valuation. His current research interests lie in the area of corporate governance, performance measurement, and valuation. His work has been published in journals such as European Journal of Operational Research, OR Spectrum, Research Policy, and Schmalenbach Business Review.

His research on executive compensation is frequently portrayed in media such as Handelsblatt, Financial Times, Frankfurter Allgemeine Zeitung, The Huffington Post, ARD, and ZDF. He regularly comments on corporate governance topics in the media.