

## **Curriculum Vitae**

Dr. Thomas Schielke studied architecture at the University of Technology in Darmstadt, Germany. He works in the didactic and communications division at the lighting manufacturer ERCO. He was a trainer for lighting seminars and workshops at DIAL from 2014 till 2015. Before that, he was in charge of the didactic and communications division at ERCO from 2001 till 2014 where he designed an extensive online guide for architectural lighting, led lighting workshops and published international articles. He is co-author of the books "Light Perspectives - between culture and technology" and "SuperLux. Smart Light Art, Design & Architecture for Cities". Additionally, he has taught lighting design at different universities and was invited for lectures at institutions like Harvard GSD, MIT, Columbia GSAPP, Tongji University and ETHZ. His doctoral thesis at the University of Technology in Darmstadt, Germany, has analysed architectural lighting. His column "Light Matters" on ArchDaily reveals various perspectives of architectural lighting.