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Dr. Miriam Meßling, born in Wuppertal in 1973, is a Justice of the First Senate of the Federal Constitutional Court of Germany since April 2023. She studied law at the universities of Trier and Münster, completing her First State Examination in 1997. Following her legal traineeship in Baden-Württemberg, she earned her doctorate in 2001 from the University of Münster with a thesis on the dissolution of contractual obligations in German and Italian private law. Dr. Meßling's judicial career includes positions at the Karlsruhe and Freiburg Social Courts, a secondment to the Federal Social Court, and roles at the Baden-Württemberg Ministry of Justice. She served as a judge and later vice-president at the Federal Social Court before her current appointment. Additionally, she is a member of the Global Rule of Law Commission of the European Public Law Organization.