

Curriculum Vitae

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University Education:

2000 Habilitation and venia legendi in internal medicine
1994 MD
2002 Specialist qualification infectiology
1995 specialist qualification internal intensive care treatment
1994 Specialist for Respiratory Medicine
1992 Specialist for Internal Medicine
1978-1985 Study of medicine at Hannover Medical School

Positions:

Since 2021 Chairman of the Board of Trustees of the German Lung Foundation
Since 2021 Chairman of the Board of Trustees of the German Sepsis Foundation
Since 2020 guest professorship at Siegmund Freud University Vienna
Since 2020 directory board member of the Biomed Alliance
2019-2020 President of the Forum of International Respiratory Societies (FIRS)
Since 2016 Scientific advisory board for clinical studies of the DFG
2015 Appointment Professorship for Pneumology, Medical University of Vienna, not accepted
Since 2011 directory board member of the German Center for Lung Research (DZL) and director at the research site Hannover (BREATH)
Since 2004 W3-Professorship, Head of the Department of Respiratory Medicine and Infectious Diseases, MHH
2003 Appointment C3 Professorship for Respiratory Medicine; Uni. of Magdeburg, not accepted
Since 2001 Chairman of the Board of Trustees of CAPNETZ Foundation

Scientific Career:

2020-2021 Acting Head of Medicine of Hannover Medical School
2018-2019 President of the European Respiratory Society (ERS)
2012-2014 President of the German Society for Pneumology
2011-2019 Member of the internal advisory Board of the German Center for Infection Research (DZIF)
2009-2013 President of the German Society for Sepsis
2008-2016 Member and Speaker of the reviewboard "Inflammation" of the DFG
2009-2015 Chief Editor of the European Respiratory Monograph
2008-2010 President of the German Society for internal intensive care and emergency medicine
2007-2011 Speaker of the clinical study trial centre Hannover (funded by BMBF)
1990-1994 Fellow, Department of Respiratory Medicine, Hannover Medical School
1988/89 Research Fellow Brigham and Women's Hospital, and Harvard Medical School, Boston, MA, USA
1985 -88/90 Department of Internal Medicine, County Hospital Lehrte

Honors & Awards: 2023 Sadoul Award of the European Respiratory Society, 2020: consolation prize of the German Society for pediatric intensive care medicine; 2019 Balzan price for Medicine; 2018: honorable Member of the Austrian Society for Pneumology; 2014: Fellow of the European Respiratory Society (FERS); 2010: Springer CME Award "Der Internist" 2010

Membership in scientific societies: National Academia of Science, Leopoldina, American Thoracic Society, European Respiratory Society, European Society of Clinical Microbiology and Infectious Diseases, Biomed Alliance, Deutsche Gesellschaft für Pneumologie und Beatmungsmedizin

Funding: DFG, BMBF, BMG, EU, WHO and industrial partners, together >100 million € since 1994

Scientometry: Publications: publications listed in Medline: 1110; citations: 50.400 (Web of Science); h-factor: 102 (Web of Science) / 122 (Google Citations)