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Academic education

2008	Board Approval (Bayerische Landesärztekammer), Fellow in Clinical Microbiology and Infection Epidemiology (Facharzt für Mikrobiologie und Infektionsepidemiologie)
1997	Medical Approbation
1996	Promotion (Dr. med.), Johannes Gutenberg University Mainz
1994 – 1995	Studies of Human Medicine, Ludwig-Maximilians-University Munich
1989 – 1994	Studies of Human Medicine, Johannes Gutenberg University Mainz

Professional career

since 2018	Full Professor (W3) and Chair, Institute for Medical Microbiology and Hygiene (IMMH), Johannes Gutenberg-University Mainz
2015 – 2018	Guest professor Microbiology and Infection Immunology, Facultad de Medicina, Universidad Católica de Córdoba, Argentina
2010 – 2015	Head Medical Microbiology, MVZ UroMik Salzgitter-Bad
2008 – 2018	W3-Professor of Infection Immunology, Director, Institute of Infection Immunology, TWINCORE, Centre for Experimental and Clinical Infection Research / Hannover Medical School (MHH)
2008	Medical Specialist (Medical Microbiology, Infection Epidemiology and Hygiene) & nomination as Associate Professor ("Privatdozent")
2002 – 2008	Group leader and specialization in Medical Microbiology (Residency) at the Institute for Medical Microbiology, Immunology & Hygiene, Technical University Munich
1999 – 2002	Postdoctoral Fellow, Skirball Institute of Biomolecular Medicine (Laboratory of Prof. Dr. D. Littman), NY University Medical Center, New York
1996 – 1999	Postdoctoral Fellow and Residency; Institute for Medical Microbiology, Immunology and Hygiene (Laboratory of Prof. H. Wagner), TU Munich

Honors and Awards (selection)

- 2008 TUM / KrdI Habilitation Award
- 1999 – 2002 HHMI Postdoctoral Fellowship Award for Physicians
- 1999 DGHM Young Investigator Award (German Society of Microbiology & Hygiene)
- 1989 – 1995 German National Scholarship Foundation (“Studienstiftung des deutschen Volkes”)

Publications (selection)

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