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Nationality German

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WORK EXPERIENCE

2007 - present Professor of Neuroophthalmology and Strabismus, (W3) and Chairman, Justus Liebig University Giessen, Director Dept. of Ophthalmology, Universitaetsklinikum Giessen and Marburg GmbH, Giessen Campus
 2003 Offer for Chair in Neuroophthalmology University of Göttingen (W3), declined
 1996 - 2007 Head of the Department of Paediatric Ophthalmology, Strabismology and Ophthalmic Genetics (C2), Universitaetsklinikum, University of Regensburg
 1991 - 1996 Full Professor of Ophthalmology (C2, strabismology, neuroophthalmology, paediatric ophthalmology and ophthalmic geneticist, University of Regensburg
 1983 Clinical and research fellowship, Moorfields Eye Hospital London, Hospital for Sick Children, Great Ormond Street, London, Institute of Ophthalmology, London
 1981 - 1991 Oberarzt, Dept of Ophthalmology, Ludwig Maximilians University of Munich
 1977 - 1981 Resident in Ophthalmology, Dept of Ophthalmology, Ludwig Maximilians University of Munich

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

2011 Certificate GCP
 2010 Specialist in Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery certified by the DOG (Deutsche Ophthalmologische Gesellschaft) and the BVA (Berufsverband der Augenärzte Deutschlands e.V.)
 2007 Professor of Neuroophthalmology and Strabismus (W3), Head and Chairman, Dept. of Ophthalmology, Justus-Liebig University Giessen
 1997 Fellow of the European Board of Ophthalmologists FEBO
 1995 Specialization in "Lasersurgery and Refractive Surgery of the Cornea"
 1991 Professor of Ophthalmology (C3), University of Regensburg
 1991 Certified Medical Geneticist (Zusatzbezeichnung Medizinische Genetik), Bayerische Ärztekammer
 1989 PhD thesis (Habilitation), Ophthalmology, Ludwig Maximilians University of Munich
 1981 Certified Ophthalmologist (Facharzt), Bayerische Landesärztekammer
 1977 Approbation (MD)
 1974 MD Thesis Dr. med., Ludwig Maximilians University of Munich
 1974 Diploma in Medicine (State Examination), Ludwig Maximilians University of Munich

**PERSONAL SKILLS
AND COMPETENCIES**

2012	Election: Member of the European Academy of Ophthalmology EAO
2012	Election: Member of the Academia ophthalmologica internationalis AOI
2011 -	c of the International Society of Genetic Eye Disease and Retinoblastoma ISGEDR
2011	Writing Committee for Treatment Guidelines of acute Retinopathy of Prematurity with Anti-VEGF of the German Ophthalmological Society DOG, the German Retina Society and the German Professional Association of Ophthalmologists BVA
2009 - present	Member of the Commission Equal Opportunity of the Justus-Liebig-University Giessen
2009 - 2011	Faculty Council, Medical Faculty, Justus-Liebig-University Giessen
2008 - present	Editorial Board Member of "Der Ophthalmologe"
2007 - present	Certified Scientific Advisory Board Member of the Alliance of Chronic Rare Diseases ACHSE e. V. Germany
2006 - present	Editorial Board Member of "Ophthalmologica"
2006 - 2007	Standby Equal Opportunity Commissioner (Stellvertretende Hochschulfrauenbeauftragte), University of Regensburg
2002 - 2007	Board Member of the Institutional Ethics Committee Universitätsklinikum Regensburg
2002 - 2006	Equal Opportunity Commissioner (Hochschulfrauenbeauftragte), University of Regensburg
2003 - present	Editorial Board Member of "The European Journal of Ophthalmology"
2002 - 2006	Certified Board Member of the German Ophthalmological Society DOG
2001 - 2005	Member of the Board for Rare Eye Diseases (funded by the German Ministry of Health)
1999	Committee for Pediatric Clinical Electrophysiology of the International Society for Clinical Electrophysiology of Vision ISCEV
1998 - present	Certified Scientific Advisory Board Member of Pro Retina Deutschland e.V.
1993 - present	Editorial Board Member of the "European Journal of Ophthalmology"
1996 - 2007	Faculty Council, Medical Faculty, University of Regensburg
1996 - present	Task force for clinical questions AKF (Arbeitskreis für Klinische Fragestellungen) of Pro Retina Deutschland e.V.
1997	Committee of the Bundesärztekammer: Tumor diseases and Molecular Genetics
1996 - 1998	Committee for Screening Guidelines of Retinopathy of Prematurity of the German Retina Society
1993 - present	European Editor of "Ophthalmic Genetics"
1993 - 1997	Certified Board Member of the German Ophthalmological Society DOG
1990	Guest Lecturer (DAAD-Grant at the Kenyatta Hospital of the University of Nairobi, Kenia: I. Strabismology. Basics - simple and complicated forms of strabismus - - conservative therapy - Basic and advanced surgery

II. Pediatric Ophthalmology: Amblyopia. Aetiology, Prevention, Treatment. Retinopathy of Prematurity: Diagnosis and Treatment; Congenital and infantile Cataract: Diagnosis and Treatment; Congenital and infantile Glaucoma: Diagnosis and Treatment; Lacrimal Duct Diseases. Inflammatory Diseases. Pediatric Eye Tumors. III. Ophthalmogenetics: Basics; Clinical Examples

Reviewer of Grant Applications

- Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft (DFG)
- Initiative Usher Syndrom e. V., Forschung contra Blindheit, Deutschland
- Pro Retina Deutschland
- Wellcome Trust, England
- Scottish Hospital Endowments Research Trust (SHERT)

Reviewer and Examiner for international PhD and professorships

- Cleveland, Ohio, USA
- Essen
- Giessen
- Lille, France
- Montpellier, France
- Amsterdam, Netherlands
- Philadelphia, USA
- Nantes, France
- Philadelphia, USA

Reviewer for scientific journals

- Archives of Ophthalmology
- BioMed Central
- British Journal of Ophthalmology
- Clinical Genetics
- Der Ophthalmologe
- Documenta Ophthalmologica
- European Journal of Ophthalmology
- Expert Reviews
- Eye
- German Journal of Ophthalmology
- Graefe's Archive of Ophthalmology
- Human Mutations
- Investigative Ophthalmology and Visual Science
- Journal for Cataract and Refractive Surgery
- Klinische Monatsblätter für Augenheilkunde
- Molecular Vision
- Monatsschrift für Kinderheilkunde
- Neuropaediatrics
- Neuroophthalmology
- Ophthalmic Genetics
- Ophthalmologica
- Ophthalmology
- Pediatrics
- Retina
- Strabismus

Publications:

- Author or coauthor of more than 200 original peer-reviewed papers
- Author of many book chapters
- Editor of 3 books and several Proceedings

Awards and Honours

2012	Visiting Professor, Childrens Hospital and Harvard Medical School Boston, USA, September 2012
2012	Election as Member of the Academia ophthalmologica internationalis AOI
2011	Award lecturer of the European Strabismological Society ESA, Brughes 12-09-2011
2002 - 2010	President of the European Paediatric Ophthalmological Society EPOS
2006	Past President of the Bielschowsky-Society for Research in Strabismology and Neuroophthalmology
2001 - 2005	President of the Bielschowsky-Society for Research in Strabismology and Neuroophthalmology
2000 - present	Invited lecturer to many international congresses, in particular: World Congress of Ophthalmology 2006, 2008, 2010, 2012 Biannual meetings of the Societas Ophthalmologica Europea SOE since 2003 Annual Meetings of the Asian Pacific Academy of Ophthalmology APAO since 2008 Annual Meeting of the European Paediatric Ophthalmological Society EPOS 2011, 2012 Annual Meeting of the Deutsche Ophthalmological Society DOG 2011, 2012

MOTHER TONGUE**GERMAN****OTHER LANGUAGES****ENGLISH, FRENCH****SOCIAL SKILLS
AND COMPETENCIES****HORSE RIDING CLUB**