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Academic Education

1992-1995 M.S. in Biochemistry, University Witten/Herdecke, Germany
1990-1992 B.S. in Chemistry, University of Karlsruhe, Germany

Academic Degrees

Since 2013 Full Professor, Ulm University
1999-2002 Research Fellow, University of Kentucky, Lexington, KY, Mentor: Dr. Gary Van Zant; expertise: aging, genetics and stem cell biology.
1996-1999 Ph.D. in Biology, University of Freiburg, Germany, Max-Planck-Institute for Immunobiology, Mentors: Dr. Albrecht Müller, Dr. Michael Reth; expertise: stem cell biology.

Professional Experience

Since 2013 Professor and Director, Institute of Molecular Medicine, Ulm University, Ulm, Germany
Since 2013 Professor (adjunct), Division of Experimental Hematology and Cancer Biology, Department of Pediatrics, Cincinnati Children's Hospital Medical Center, University of Cincinnati, USA
2008-2013 Professor W3, Molecular Biology of Aging, "Forschungsprofessur" KFO142 (Molecular and Cellular Mechanisms of Aging), Division of Dermatology and Allergic Diseases, Ulm University, Ulm, Germany
2008-2013 Associate Professor (Adjunct), Division of Experimental Hematology, Department of Pediatrics, Cincinnati Children's Hospital Medical Center, University of Cincinnati, USA
2002-2008 Assistant Professor, Division of Experimental Hematology, Department of Pediatrics, Cincinnati Children's Hospital Medical Center, University of Cincinnati

Miscellaneous

Awards / Honors:

2005-2009 New Scholar in Aging, The Ellison Medical Foundation
1999-2002 Research Fellow of the Deutsche Akademie der Naturforscher Leopoldina
1992-1994 Elected Member of the Senate of the University Witten/Herdecke

Positions:

Since 2018 President, German Stem Network (GSCN)

Publications

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