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Position: Full Professor (C4, Ordinarius) in Plant Biotechnology

Academic education including academic degrees

1984 1. Staatsexamen Biology, Chemistry, Pedagogics, Univ. of Hamburg (with distinction)

Scientific graduation

1994 Habilitation, General Botany, University of Hamburg

1990 Dr. rer. nat. Genetics, University of Hamburg

Employment

2014 – 2018 Elected Senator (most votes), Speaker of Professors in the Academic Senate

2010 – 2014 Elected Senator (most votes), Speaker of Professors in the Academic Senate

2006 – 2008 Dean of the Faculty of Biology, University of Freiburg

Since 2004 Professor at the Ecole Supérieure de Biotechnologie Strasbourg ESBS

Since 1999 Full Professor (C4, Ordinarius), University of Freiburg

1996 – 1998 Heisenberg-Fellow of the DFG

1990 – 1996 Assistant Professor (C1), University of Hamburg

Other activities, awards and honors

2018 Haberlandt-Lecture, FU Berlin

2016 – 2020 Advisor, CeBiTec - Center for Biotechnology, University of Bielefeld

2015 – 2018 Co-ordinator, EU ERASMUS PLUS TREASURE-WATER

2013 Appointment as Senior Fellow, University of Strasbourg Institute for Advanced Study (USIAS)

2012 President of the FESPB/EPSO Plant Biology Congress

Since 2011 Advisor, Greenovation Biotech GmbH

2011 Heidelberg Academy of Sciences and Humanities, Lifetime Member

2011 Appointment as Senior Fellow, Freiburg Institute for Advanced Studies FRIAS

2010 – 2013 Co-coordinator, EU TEMPUS QualFEEM

2010 – 2011 DFG, Member of the Expert Commission SSG-Evaluation "Scientific Library and Information Systems (LIS)"

2009 – 2012 Editor-in-Chief Plant Cell Reports

2009 – 2012 Executive Board of the International Union of Biological Sciences

2008 – 2012 President of the German National Committee of the IUBS and IUMS

2007 – 2010 Innovation Think-Tank of the then Prime Minister of Baden-Württemberg, Günther Oettinger, now EU Commissioner

2007 Founding PI "Centre for Biological Signalling Studies" BIOS

2004 – 2010 Advisor, BMBF program "Risk assessment in Plant Biotechnology"

1999 – 2005 Speaker, DFG SPP 1067 "Molecular Analysis of Phytohormone Action"

1999 Co-founder of Greenovation Biotech GmbH

1997 – 1999 Ranked 1st for Professorships in Oslo, Rostock, Dresden, Freiburg

1996 Heisenberg-Fellowship of the DFG

Co-inventor of following patents: U.S. Patents 7781197 and 8835715