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- 1984-1990 Pharmacy studies (University of Düsseldorf, Germany).
- 1990-1994 Promotion (Dr. rer. nat.) in Pharmaceutical Biology, University of Düsseldorf (supervisor: Prof. Dr. G. Willuhn); Thesis: "Sesquiterpene Lactones, Diterpenes, Flavonoid Aglycones and further Constituents in flowerheads of *Arnica angustifolia* Vahl and its subspecies".
- 1995 DFG research fellow, Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge, USA, Dept. of Chemistry (Prof. Dr. N. H. Fischer); Topic: "Molecular conformation and dynamics of sesquiterpene lactones".
- 1996-1999 Habilitation in Pharmaceutical Biology, University of Düsseldorf; Thesis: "Investigations on the structure and activity of sesquiterpene lactones of the helenanolide and seco-preizaane type".
- 1998: Phoenix Pharmacy-Science award (with Prof. Dr. I. Merfort et al., Freiburg).
- 2000: Egon Stahl Award for Analytical Phytochemistry of the Society for Medicinal Plant and Natural Products Research (GA).
- 2001-2005 Assistant Professor, Institute of Pharmaceutical Biology & Biotechnology, University of Düsseldorf.
- Dec. 2004: Extraordinary Professor, Institute of Pharmaceutical Biology & Biotechnology, University of Düsseldorf.
- Since April 2005 University Professor (W2), Institute of Pharmaceutical Biology & Phytochemistry, University of Münster.
- Since April 2006: Appointed member of expert commission "Pharmaceutical Biology and Human Biology" at the Institute for Medicinal and Pharmaceutical Examinations (IMPP), Mainz.
- April 2009-April 2013 Director of the Institute of Pharmaceutical Biology & Phytochemistry, University of Münster.
- August/Sept. 2009: Visiting Professor at the University of São Paulo, Brazil.
- 2011: Founded the ReseachNetwork Natural Products against Neglected Diseases (ResNet NPND: See <http://ResNetNPND.org>)
- 2014-2016: Associate Editor of the open access journal *Molecules* (MDPI).
- Since May 2016: Editor-in-Chief, section Natural Products, of "Molecules" (MDPI).
- July 2018 – June 2020: Vice dean for academic and students' affairs, Faculty of Chemistry and Pharmacy, University of Münster.