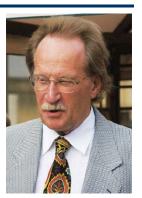
Curriculum Vitae

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Education

| 1959 | General qualification for university entrance, Humanistic secondary school, Paderborn/Germany |
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| 1959-1965 | Academic studies in medicine, philosophy, psychology, Munich University (LMU), University of Montpellier (France), University Hamburg Eppendorf |
| 1964-1967 | Assistant at the Department of Neurochemistry, Max-Planck-Institute for Psychiatry, Munich, (Prof. Dr. N. Matussek) |
| 1965 | Medical state examination, LMU München |
| 1966 | Medical Dissertation "Antriebssteigerung und Hemmung durch Antidepressiva" (LMU) |
| 1967 | Approbation |
| 1967-1969 | Medical practitioner, general practitioner's office, Borgholz, Westfalen |
| 1969-1970 | Military service, medical officer, Erding |
| 1971 | Assistant at the Department of Neurology, Technical University Munich (Prof. Dr. A. Struppler) |
| 1972-1977 | Scientific Assistant, Department of Pschiatry, Munich University (LMU) (Head: Prof. Dr. H. Hippius) |

Academic career

| 1977 - 1982 | Assistant medical director, Dept. of Psychiatry, Munich University (LMU) |
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| 1982 - 1987 | Managing assistant medical director, Dept. of Psychiatry, Munich University (LMU) |
| 1985 | Habilitation treatise "Wirkungsverlauf der neuroleptischen Therapie", Munich (LMU) |
| 1986 | Professorship (C3) for Psychiatry, Munich(LMU) |
| 1986 | Appointment C4 professorship for Psychiatry, Lausanne University (France) |
| 1986 | Appointment C4 professorship for Psychiatry, Göttingen University |

| 1987-2006 | Chairman and head of Dept. of Psychiatry, Göttingen University |
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| 1988-2006 | Chairman of the Center for psychological Medicine, Göttingen University |
| 1993-1995 | Dean of the Medical Faculty, Göttingen University |
| 2002-2010 | Management of the Institute for Pharmaceutical Drug Safety in Psychiatry, Munich (LMU) Since 2010: 2. Chairman of the institute |
| 2008 | Professorship Bremen University (NESSY project) |
| 2010-2013 | Drug safety head officer, Merz, Frankfurt |
| since 2006 | Medical practice for psychiatry and neurology (incl. couples therapy and sleep medicine), Munich |

Publications

More than 700 manuscripts in peer-reviewed scientific journals (incl. Nature Genetics, PLoS, Journal Clinical Psychiatrie, Stroke, Schizophrenia Research, Molecular Psychiatrie, Sleep)

Several book chapters; Author/Editor of 15 books, including edition of "The substantiality of dreams" in several volumes (commented anthology)

>700 scientific lectures; >600 lectures at other events

Co-production with channel 3-Sat of the 6 piece series "Expedition into Psychiatry"

Focal points

| 1976 | Foundation of the first clinical sleep laboratory in Germany (Munich) |
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| 1977 | Foundation of the initiative "Drug monitoring in Psychiatry (AMÜP)" (funded by BGA) |
| 1984-1986 | 2. Chairman European Sleep Research Society (ESRS) |
| 1985 | Foundation research group "Clinical sleep centers " |
| since 1987 | Constitution of Dept. for Psychobiology of psychiatric diseases with multimodal research approaches |
| | Management and accomplishment of more than 50 pharmacotherapeutic studies with and without involvement of the pharmaceutical industry |
| since 1989 | Constitution of a scientific and clinical cooperation of Asian and German gerontopsychiatric institutions, foundation of memory clinics in China and Vietnam |
| 1992 | Foundation of the German Society for Sleep Research and Sleep Medicine (DGSM) |
| 1992 | Foundation of the institute for Pharmaceutical Drug Safety in Psychiatry (AMSP), with Swiss and Austrian participation |

| 1998-2006 | Chairman Ethics Commission and ombudsman, Göttingen University |
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| since 2000 | Foundation and management board member of the research association "Competence Network Dementias" (BMWF) |
| since 2005 | Membership ENCePP (EMA, London) |
| since 2007 | Constitution of the international research association "healing architecture" (together with Prof. Nickl-Weller, Berlin University) |
| 2008 | Formulation of the affect hypothesis of dream functions |
| since 2008 | Realization of a comparitive study of antipsychotics in the treatment of patients with schizophrenia, funded by the BMWF (NESSY project) |
| since 2012 | Membership HTA Task Force (EMA, London) |

Memberships in Editorial Boards/Edition of scientific journals (presently or earlier)

Publisher and Editorial Board Member of at least 6 scientific journals (e.g. Pharmacopsychiatry, Psychopharmakotherapie)

Founder and Co-Editor of the scientific journal "Somnology"

Memberships/Presidencies of medical scientific associations (selection)

Chairman of the following associations: AGNP, AKS, DGSM, ESRS

Member in more than 10 psychiatric associations