

# CURRICULUM VITAE

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## **POSITIONS HELD**

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Since 2015	<b>Deputy Rector for Research and Innovation</b> , University of Bonn, Germany
Since 2006	<b>Professor and Chair</b> , Institute of Molecular Psychiatry, University of Bonn, Germany
2005 - 2006	<b>Professor and Chair</b> , Department of Cell Biology, University of Bielefeld, Germany
1999 - 2005	<b>Professor</b> of Molecular Neurobiology, Department of Psychiatry, University of Bonn
1997 - 2000	<b>Investigator</b> , Section of Genetics, National Institute of Mental Health, Bethesda, USA
1995 - 1997	<b>Visiting Scientist</b> , Laboratory of Cell Biology, National Institute of Mental Health, Bethesda, USA
1991 - 1995	<b>Visiting Associate</b> , Laboratory of Cell Biology, National Institute of Mental Health, Bethesda, USA

## **EDUCATION**

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1989	<b>Ph.D. graduation</b> at the University of Gießen, Germany ( <i>summa cum laude</i> )
1989 - 1991	<b>Postdoctoral (DFG) Fellowship</b> , National Institute of Mental Health, Bethesda, USA
1986 - 1989	<b>Doctoral thesis</b> at the Max-Planck-Institute for Biophysical Chemistry, Göttingen, Germany
1986	<b>Diploma</b> in Biology, University of Gießen, Germany ( <i>magna cum laude</i> )

## **RESEARCH INTERESTS**

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Molecular mechanisms of neuropsychiatric disorders with a focus on addiction, pain and affective disorders; molecular biology of modulatory neurotransmitters; molecular biology of aging

## **MEMBERSHIP IN SCIENTIFIC ORGANIZATIONS**

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President of the European Opioid Conference, German Society of Neuroscience, International Society for Neurochemistry, International Cannabinoid Research Society, Advisory Board, Taiwan Mouse Clinic.