

## CURRICULUM VITAE

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- Qualifications:** B.Sc. (1970) National University of Ireland – Galway  
Ph.D (1973) University of Leicester – England
- Career:** Postdoctoral Fellow: 1973 – 1975 University of Wisconsin, Madison, USA
- Research Fellow: 1975 – 1981 INSERM, Strasbourg, France
- Lecturer: 1981 – 1987 National University of Ireland, Galway
- Associate Professor: 1987 – 1994 National University of Ireland, Galway
- Director of Diagnostics Centre: 1987 – 1994 National University of Ireland, Galway
- Executive Director: 1994 - 2007 European Molecular Biology Organisation (EMBO) Heidelberg, Germany
- Senior Scientist: 1994 - 2007 European Molecular Biology Laboratory (EMBL) Heidelberg, Germany
- Associate Editor: 1994 - 2007 The EMBO Journal

**2001 – 2006** Secretary General: European Molecular Biology Conference (EMBC)

**2000 – Present:** Senior Editor EMBO reports

**2005 – 2007** Associate Editor: Molecular Systems Biology

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1987 Elected member of EMBO

**Awards**

1993 Society of Industrial Microbiology Pan-Labs Career Award

1999 Doctor (*honoris causa*) Josef Attila University, Szeged, Hungary

2008 Doctor (*honoris causa*) Queen's University, Belfast, Northern Ireland

2008 Member of Royal Irish Academy

**Research:** Published over 200 papers  
Applied for 10 patents (4 active)

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