

Curriculum Vitae

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Work experience

Universitaetsklinikum Duesseldorf Institut für Transplantationsdiagnostik und Zelltherapeutika (ITZ) Germany		
Since	09/2016	Director of the Institute for Transplantation Diagnostics and Cell Therapeutics (ITZ), University Hospital Duesseldorf (www.uniklinik-duesseldorf.de/itz) Including Transfusion Medicine & Coagulation Counseling, Bone Marrow Donor Registry, Unrelated Public Cord Blood Bank, Blood Donation Service
Since	03/2017	President of the 21th IGLD (www.igld.de) and German laboratory consensus (INSTAND) Meeting
2003	2014	NETCORD-FACT Cord Blood Bank Inspector
Since	2013	European Reference Center for Spectra Optia Apheresis System (MNC/ cMNC, Terumo BCT)
Since	2010	2nd Chairman of the Board: „Stiftung Knochenmark- und Stammzellspende Deutschland“
Since	2009	Head of the Core Facility Flow cytometry of the bio medical research center of the Heinrich Heine University Duesseldorf (www.cellsort.de, European Reference Center Mo Flow XDP, Beckman Coulter)
Since	2007	Interim Director of the ITZ, Medical Director of the NMDP Donor Center 114, Apheresis Center 9925, Collection Center 2331 (www.kmsz.de) Medical Director José Carreras Cord Blood Bank, Duesseldorf (www.stammzellbank.de)
2006	2007	Senior House Officer/ Specialist Registrar (Rotation) Institute for Transfusion Medicine, Univ. Hospital Essen
Since	2006	Qualified Person and Head of Manufacturing (according to AMG, „Sachkundige Person“ & „Leiter der Herstellung“) at the Institute for Transplantation Diagnostics and Cell

		Therapeutics, University Clinic Dusseldorf)
Since	2002	Head of Manufacturing (AMG) for Cell Therapeutics, ITZ
1995 -	2002	Head of Quality Control (AMG "Leiter der Qualitätskontrolle") for Cell Therapeutics, ITZ
2001		Doctorate about „Cellular Characterization of Cord Blood Transplants“
Since	1999	Associate Director of the ITZ
Since	1999	Clinical head/ responsible person for bone marrow collections in allogeneic stem cell donors (in conjunction with the Orthopedic department, Univ. Hospital Duesseldorf)
Since	1995	Head of the Department for Apheresis, ITZ
1994		Co-Founder of the Working Group „Standards for Stem Cell (CD34)-Characterization“
1993		Establishment of the Stem Cell Apheresis and Processing Unit at the Institute for Experimental Hematology and Transfusion Medicine, University Clinic Bonn (IHT)
1993 -	1995	Medical Assistant, IHT
1991 -	1993	„Arzt im Praktikum“ (Resident), Hematology/Oncology and Intensive Care, University Clinic Bonn

Education and training

1984 -	1991	Student of Medicine at the Universities of Freiburg, Tübingen and Bonn
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Projects

Immunogenetics

Cellular therapeutics

Flow Cytometry

Apheresis devices

Memberships

Guidelines/Working Groups		
Since	2017	Member of Instand e.
Since	2015	Member of the central health insurances "protransplantation (Spitzen-Krankenkassen, "Stärke-Knochenmarktranspla
2012	German Consensus on immunogenic donor sele	
Since	2010	Elected Vice Chairman Knochenmarkspende
Since	2006	Member of the special "Zelltherapeutika" of
Since	2001	FACT-NetCord Cord Bank
Since	1997	Member of the DAKB Bone Marrow and Stem
1996 -	2013	FACT-NetCord Accred
1996	BEST Working Party: Working Group „International Measurement/Characterization“	
Since	1995	Founding Member IG
Since	1995	Member of DGTI

Since 1995 -	Acting member of the Working Group BÄK (German Society of Hematology and Oncology) „Guidelines for Stem Cell Transplantation and Cell Therapy“ Directive on the manufacture and quality control of hematopoietic stem cell preparations (BÄK)
1994	IGLD (DGHO/DGTI) Working Group „Establishment of a CD34 Cell Count Definition“

Other Relevant Information

Scientific Focus

Apheresis, Circulating Tumor Cells; Diagnostic Leukapheresis; Cell Therapeutics; Immunogenic/ Immunology; Stem Cell mobilization; Flow Cytometry

Teaching

Stem cell biology and regenerative medicine: lecture and practical course; Actual cellular and immunotherapy: lecture and practical course; Prehepatic jaundice; Transfusion Medicine; Flow cytometric workshops

Clinical Studies

Date	Type/ Phase	Indication / Study Name
2013 - 2015	III	LKP MPG/ AMG Two different Collection Sets for Peripheral Blood Progenitor Cell Apheresis With Spectra Optia® (optiMal) (randomized, multicenter ISRCTN: NCT 01901458)
2010 - 2011	IV	P. MPG Routine-use study" for OptiaMNC2, Cardian BCT (BCT09-24. observational study with no direct comparison to standard device)
1999 - 2004	III	LKP, AMG Comparison of Lenograstim with Filgrastim: for mobilization of Progenitor Blood Cells (PBPC) in unrelated bone marrow donors. (randomized)
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