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Academic education including academic degrees

1994 – 1998   B.A. (with distinction) Biological Sciences Cornell University College of Arts and Sciences Ithaca, New York, USA

Scientific graduation

2001 – 2005   Ph.D. Cell and Molecular Biology, University of Pennsylvania School of Medicine, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, USA. Supervisor: Dr. S.L. Reiner and Dr. H. Shen.

Employment

Since 2015   Director and Senior Group Leader, Department of Immunometabolism, Max Planck Institute of Immunobiology and Epigenetics Freiburg

2014 – 2015   Associate Professor (with tenure) of Pathology and Immunology, Division of Immunobiology, Department of Pathology and Immunology, Washington University School of Medicine, Saint Louis, USA.

2011 – 2014   Assistant Professor of Pathology and Immunology, Division of Immunobiology, Department of Pathology and Immunology, Washington University School of Medicine, Saint Louis, USA.

2009 – 2011   Assistant Member, Trudeau Institute, Saranac Lake, New York, USA.

Other activities, awards and honours

2018   Gottfried Wilhelm Leibniz Prize
Since 2017   Steering Committee for Immunometabolism member, Janssen Pharmaceuticals
Since 2017   Member of the Advisory Editorial Board for *Journal of Experimental Medicine*
Since 2017   Spokesperson of the International Max Planck Research School
Since 2016   Member of the Editorial Board for *Cell*
Since 2016   Member of the Editorial Board for *Cell Metabolism*
Since 2016   External Immunology Board member, Immunology Network, GlaxoSmithKline
Since 2015   Scientific Advisory Board member, ImmunoMet Therapeutics
Since 2014   Member of the Advisory Editorial Board for *Trends in Immunology*
2014   Burroughs Wellcome Investigator in the Pathogenesis of Infectious Disease Award
2010   Emerald Foundation Young Investigator Award