

Current position

Head, Division of Neuropediatrics and Metabolic Medicine
Centre for Child and Adolescent Medicine
University Hospital Heidelberg

Qualifications / certifications

Pediatrics (2006)
Pediatric Metabolic Medicine (2008)
Neuropediatrics (2015)

Professional and scientific career

1998	MD thesis
1998-1999	Advanced training in Pediatrics, University Children's Hospital Marburg, Germany
1999-2001	Research fellow (DFG), research topic: "Pathophysiology of cerebral organic acidurias" (Marburg, Heidelberg)
2002-2005	Advanced training in Pediatrics, Centre for Child and Adolescent Medicine, University Hospital Heidelberg
2006	Board certification by the German Society of Pediatric and Adolescent Medicine (Deutsche Gesellschaft für Kinder- und Jugendmedizin)
2006	Postdoctoral lecture qualification (Habilitation)
2007	European Certificate of Pediatric Metabolic Medicine (European Academy of Pediatrics – U.E.M.S. Section of Pediatrics)
Since 2007	Consultant, Pediatric Metabolic Medicine
Since 2009	Researcher, Interdisciplinary Centre for Neurosciences, Heidelberg
Since 2010	Coordinator, "Centre for Metabolic Medicine", Centre for Rare Diseases University Medicine Heidelberg
2010-2015	Head, Division of Inherited Metabolic Diseases, Centre for Child and Adolescent Medicine, University Hospital Heidelberg
Since 2011	Coordinator and registry lead, European consortium "European registry and network for intoxication type metabolic diseases (E-IMD)"
Since 2013	Registry lead, European consortium "European network and registry of homocystinurias and methylation defects (E-HOD)"
2011	Appointment as "Außerplanmäßiger Professor" (Assistant professor)
2012	Offered appointment (not accepted) as Chair in Metabolic Genetics, University of Manchester, United Kingdom
2015	Appointment as Professor in Translational Metabolic Medicine and Child Neurology, University Hospital Heidelberg
Since 2015	Head, Division of Neuropediatrics and Metabolic Medicine, Centre for Child and Adolescent Medicine, University Hospital Heidelberg
Since 2017	Vice Coordinator, European Reference Network for Hereditary Metabolic Disorders (MetabERN)

Publications

More than 140 original scientific articles (h-index: 34), chapters in various books including Oxford Textbook of Medicine, Handbook of Clinical Neurology, Inherited Metabolic Diseases, and Inborn Metabolic Diseases.