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Education and training

Nov. 1993 - June 1996	Undergraduate training in Biology at the University Bayreuth, Germany
Nov. 1996 - June 1999	Graduate training in Biology at the University Bayreuth (Germany) and at the University of Delaware (USA) Supervisors: Prof. D. van Holst, Prof. S. Levine
26 th June 1999	Masters Degree in biology (<i>magna cum laude</i>)
Jan. 2000 - Sept. 2003	Ph.D. training in the Division of Medical Pharmacology LACDR, Leiden University (The Netherlands) Supervisor: Prof. E.R. de Kloet
14 th January 2004	Ph.D. degree in biology (not graded in the Netherlands)
Jan. 2005 – 2010	Habilitation at the Ludwig Maximilian University in Munich, Germany; Title: "Consequences of chronic social stress"

International training

Aug. 1997 - April 1999	Graduate training and masters thesis at the Department of Psychology, University of Delaware, Newark, USA
Jan. 2000 - Sept. 2003	Ph.D. training at the Division of Medical Pharmacology LACDR, Leiden University, The Netherlands

Qualifications and professional experience

Sept. 2003 - Dec. 2004	Postdoctoral fellowship at the Max Planck Institute of Psychiatry, Munich, Germany
Jan. 2005 - Feb. 2010	Principle investigator at the research group " <i>Molecular Stress Physiology</i> " at the Max Planck Institute of Psychiatry, Munich, Germany
March 2010 - present	Research group leader at the Max Planck Institute of Psychiatry, " <i>Neurobiology of Stress Resilience</i> ", Munich, Germany

Honours and Awards

2003	Winner of the Ph.D. contest of the Leiden/Amsterdam Center for Drug Research (LACDR)
2004	Travel stipend of the GlaxoSmithKline foundation
2006	Winner of the Elsevier poster prize at the ISPNE meeting in Leiden, NL
2006	Travel stipend of the GlaxoSmithKline foundation
2007	Travel stipend of the German Research Foundation (DFG)

2007	Poster prize at the institute seminar of the MPI of Psychiatry
2008	EBBS Early-Career 40 th Anniversary Award
2011	Ernst und Berta Scharrer Award of the Deutsche Gesellschaft für Endokrinologie
2014	<i>secundo loco</i> for the W2 professorship “Molecular Neurobiology and animal models of psychiatric disorders” at the LMU, Munich

Grants and external funding

2003	Postdoctoral stipend of the Max Planck Society (€22.000,-)
2008-2011	FP7 EU-funded grant to investigate the role of novel synaptic cell adhesion molecules in memory loss in animal models of psychiatric diseases. Part of the "Memstick" consortium; PI-specific funding €430.000,-
2010	GSN teaching grant; €10.000,-
2011-2013	NARSAD Young Investigator Award, \$60.000,-
2011-2014	FP7 EU-funded grant to investigate the role maternal obesity on stress-induced diseases. Part of the "DORIAN" consortium; PI-specific funding €200.000,-
2012	GSN teaching grant; €7.500,-
2013-2014	Max Planck Innovations research grant; €10.000,-
2014-2017	BMBF grant to study the role of candidate genes in animal models of depression. Part of the “OptiMD” consortium; PI-specific funding €200.000,-
2016-2018	BioM M4 award of the Bavarian State Ministry (together with F.Hausch) for the development of FKBP51 antagonists to treat metabolic disorders. PI-specific grant volume: €110.000,-
2017-2020	BMBF grant to study the impact of early life stress on disease risk. Part of the “Kids2Health” consortium. PI-specific grant volume: €298.760,-
2018-2021	BMBF grant to study the impact the interplay of the intestinal microbiome and early life stress. Part of the “GutMOM” consortium. PI-specific grant volume: €285.666,-
2018-2021	DFG grant to study the function of hippocampal calbindin neurons in mediating early life stress effects. PI-specific grant volume: €270.100,-
2018	Max Planck Innovations research grant; €18.000,-
2021-2024	BMBF VIP+ grant to develop FKBP51 inhibitors for the treatment of obesity-induced diabetes. PI-specific grant volume: €700.000,-
2021-2024	DFG grant to study the stress-responsive psychiatric risk factor FKBP51 as a novel central regulator of metabolic (dys)function. PI-specific grant volume: €197.000,-

Scientific memberships

Since 2002	Active member of the European Brain and Behaviour Society (EBBS) under the umbrella organization Federation of European Neuroscience Societies (FENS)
2008-2013	Member of the International Society of Psychoneuroendocrinology (ISPNE)
2008 - 2011	Invited member of the European College of Neuropsychopharmacology (ECNP)
Since 2008	Faculty member of the Munich Center for Neurosciences - Brain & Mind
2009-2014	Board member of the European Brain and Behaviour Society
2010-2013	Member of the Society for Neuroscience
Since 2010	Faculty member of the International Max Planck Research School for Molecular and Cellular Life Sciences (IMPRS-LS)
Since 2014	Faculty Member, International Max Planck Research School for Translational Psychiatry (IMPRS-TP), Germany

Scientific activities

Since 1998	Tutor of 17 Bachelor theses, 22 Master theses and 25 PhD theses
Since 2004	Regular reviewer for high-ranking journals, including PNAS, Molecular Psychiatry, Biological Psychiatry, Endocrinology, Psychoneuroendocrinology, Journal of Neuroscience, etc.
Oct. 2007	Organization of a symposium at the 6 th world congress on stress, Vienna, Austria
Since 2007	Review Editor of Frontiers in Behavioural Neurosciences
2008-2011	Work package leader and member of the scientific board at the EU-funded "MemStick" project
Since 2008	Radiation officer at the Max Planck Institute of Psychiatry
2009	Organization of a symposium at the 8 th meeting of the German Neuroscience Society, Göttingen, Germany
2009	Organization of a satellite symposium at the 41 st annual meeting of the European Brain and Behaviour Society, Rhodes, Greece
2009	Organization of a symposium at the 9th World Congress of Biological Psychiatry, Paris, France
2009	Scientific writer for "Gehirn und Geist", Spektrum der Wissenschaft Verlagsgesellschaft
2009 - 2010	Guest editor of Psychoneuroendocrinology
2010-2011	Guest editor of Progress in Neuro-Psychopharmacology & Biological Psychiatry
2010	Organization of a symposium at the 7 th world congress on stress, Leiden, The Netherlands
2010	Scientific advisor of VSI Synchron
Since 2011	Member of the Editorial Board of Stress
Since 2012	Member of the Editorial Board of PLoS One
2013	Chair of the 45 th EBBS Meeting in Munich, Germany
Since 2013	Associate Editor of Frontiers in Behavioural Neurosciences
2014-2015	Co-Organizer of the joint EBBS/EWCBR winter conference
Since 2017	Chair and organizer of the Munich Winter Conference on Stress series

2019-2021 President of the European Brain and Behaviour Society
Since 2019 Section editor of European Journal of Neuroscience

Teaching experiences

1998 – 2000 (Univ. Of Delaware, USA)	Basic lecture in animal physiology for 1 st year Bachelor students Tutor of 1 Bachelor thesis
2000-2004 (Univ. of Leiden, NL)	Lecture 'Hormones and the Pathophysiology of the Central Nervous System', 2 nd year Master students Course 'Stress and Depression', 4 th year Master students Tutor of 3 Master theses
2004-2010 (LMU, Munich, Germany)	Practical course and Lecture 'Basics in Zoology', 1 st year Master students Practical course 'Animal Physiology', 2 nd year Master students Lecture 'The biological basis of psychiatric and neurological diseases', 4 th year Master students Advanced literature seminar 'Biological basis of psychiatric disorders', 4 th year Master students Laboratory internships for numerous Master students Three 'Research Internships in Science and Engineering' (RISE-program) for American exchange students Member of numerous Thesis Advisory Committees Lecturer of LMU, GSN and IMPRS seminars and practical courses
2010-present (LMU, GSN, IMPRS)	

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Publications

Research articles

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