



McGill University, Faculty of Medicine

Curriculum Vitae

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A. IDENTIFICATION

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Place of Birth	Thusis, Grisons, Switzerland

B. EDUCATION: (Indicate institution, field, degree, and year under the following headings)

Undergraduate

Gymnasium in Chur, Switzerland. Baccalaureate type A. Languages (five) and Science (Mathematics including 3D Geometry). 1963-1970

Medical

Study of Medicine at the University of Zurich, Switzerland. 1970-1977.

Graduate

Swiss Federal Diploma 13th of June 1977.

Thesis Topic

"Tubular structure and germ cell distribution of cryptorchid and normal testes in early childhood" (thesis received an award of the Faculty of Medicine. 30.09.1977).

Post-graduate training

Research

Central Laboratory for Electron Microscopy, University Hospital Zürich, Switzerland. 10/1977-12/1977.

Haematopathology Fellowship with Dr. Karl Lennert, Kiel, Germany. 1978-1979.
 Research Fellowship with Dr. Christoph Hedinger, Endocrine Pathology,
 University Hospital Zürich, Switzerland. 1980
 Formation in Molecular Biology at ISREC, Épalinges, Switzerland. (Laboratory of Dr. Lukas
 Kühn). 1988-1989.

Clinical

Resident in Internal Medicine, University Hospital Bern, Switzerland. 1980-1982.
 Clinical Hematology Fellowship with Dr. Maxime Seligmann, Paris, France. 1982-1983.
 Fellow in Internal Medicine and Hematology with Dr. Rolf Streuli, University Hospital
 Zürich, Switzerland. 1984-1986.

Professional Certifications

01/10/1983 Diploma Résident Étranger des Hôpitaux de Paris
 06/06/1986 Diploma FMH Internal Medicine
 15/10/1987 Diploma FMH Internal Medicine, speciality Hematology
 19/11/1993 ECFMG in Basic and Clinical Science
 31/08/2005 ALDO Québec
 26/01/2011 Certificat de Spécialiste en Hématologie du Collège des Médecins du Québec
 01/09/2011 FRCPC (Fellow of the Royal College of Physicians of Canada)
 04/09/2011 Diploma RCPC Hematology
 16/11/2011 Diploma FAMH Laboratory Hematology

C. **APPOINTMENTS** (current and past; indicate department, rank and year)

University

04/2014-04/2024 Chief, Division of Hematology, Jewish General Hospital, Montreal,
 Director, Division of Hematology, McGill University, Full Professor.
 05/2005-04/2014 University of Sherbrooke, Department of Medicine, Full Professor.
 7/2000-2005 University of Basel, Department of Medicine, Professor, speciality Molecular
 Haematology. Founding Director of the Swiss Paraplegic Clinical Research
 Institute in Nottwil, Lucerne.
 7/1994-7/1998 UMASS, Department of Medicine, Associate Professor.
 05/1991-3/1994 University of Lausanne, Department of Medicine, Promoted to PD (50%
 research time), CHUV University Hospital, Lausanne, Switzerland
 11/1987-4/1991 University of Lausanne, Department of Medicine, Assistant Professor (50%
 research time), CHUV University Hospital, Lausanne, Switzerland.

Hospital

04/2014-04/2024 Attending Physician, Division of Hematology/Oncology, JGH/McGill.
 Director, Hematology Laboratories, JGH
 05/2005-03/2014 Attending Physician, Division of Hematology/Oncology, CHUS.
 07/2007-03/2014 Clinical Investigator, CHUS.
 07/2009-03/2014 Director, Hematology Laboratories, CHUS.
 08/2000-04/2005 Director, Institute for Clinical Research, Attending Physician,
 Head Clinical Laboratory, Swiss Paraplegic Center, Nottwil, Lucerne.

- 07/1994-07/1998 Attending Physician, Division of Hematology/ Oncology, University of Massachusetts Medical Center, Worcester, MA. Director, Cancer Molecular Genetics Laboratory, Cancer Center.
- 11/1987-06/1994 Attending Physician, Division of Hematology, CHUV University Hospital Lausanne. Director of the Lausanne Haemophilia Center.
Building up of a Research Laboratory for Molecular Hematology.

Other

- 7/1977-4/1994 Service in the Swiss Army (totally 3 years). Left as a Chief Medical Officer (Major) of the Elite Mountain Regiment 36, coaching 12 Medical Officers (Bündner Regiment).
- 8/1998-7/2000 Director, Hematology Division, Viollier Institute, Basel.
(Switzerland's leading private institute for laboratory diagnostics).
- 4/2024 onwards Director, Telo Genomics Laboratory, Toronto.

D. SPECIAL HONORS, AWARDS, RECOGNITION

- 9/1977 Faculty Award for outstanding doctoral thesis. University of Zürich
- 5/1985 Recipient of the "Karl Rohr Award" of the Swiss Society of Practising Haemato-Oncologists.
- 5/1990 Recipient of the Annual Award of the Swiss Society of Hematology.
- 29/10/1993 Laureat of the "Prix scientifique Knoll de recherche clinique expérimentale". Best professoral thesis CHUV Lausanne 1991-1993.
- 02/02/1996 Laureat of the Pfizer Award "Basic Research in Infectiology".
- 01/06/2009 Lauréat du Prix Créativité et Innovation 2009 du CHUS.
- 7/2015 Lady Davis Institute for Medical Research: Paper of the Month
- 12/2017 Lady Davis Institute for Medical Research: Paper of the Month
- 29/10/2020 Laureat of the 57th André Aisenstadt Annual Memorial Clinical Day for « His Years of Leadership and Dedication to Teaching, Research and Patient Care in the Division of Hematology of the Jewish General Hospital and of the McGill University Department of Medicine » (together with Dr. Stephen Caplan).

Davos, May 28, 2024



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