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## RESEARCH INTERESTS

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Development and exploration of new methods and concepts in organic synthesis and homogeneous catalysis. 200 publications in peer reviewed journals.

## EXPERIENCE

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- 2001-present **Professor of Organic Chemistry (Chair)**  
Albert-Ludwigs-Universität Freiburg
- 1999-2001 **Associate Professor of Organic Chemistry**  
Ruprecht-Karls-Universität Heidelberg
- 1994-1999 **Assistant Professor**  
(Habilitation with Professor Reinhard W. Hoffmann, Privatdozent)  
Philipps-Universität Marburg
- 1993-1994 **Postdoctoral fellow with Professor Barry M. Trost**  
Stanford University
- 1990-1993 **Graduate student with Professor Manfred Regitz**  
Universität Kaiserslautern

## EDUCATION

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- 1993 Ph.D. (summa cum laude), Organic Chemistry, Universität Kaiserslautern
- 1990 Diploma (with honors), Universität Kaiserslautern

## AWARDS

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- 2016 Khwarizmi International Award (KIA Laureate)
- 2015 Offer for a Full Professor position (Chair) at the University of Basel (declined)
- 2008 Senior Fellow of the Freiburg Institute for Advanced Studies
- 2007 **JSPS Fellowship**, JSPS Japan
- 2006 Offer for a Full Professor position (Chair) at the University of Münster (declined)
- 2003 **Novartis European Young Investigator Award**, Novartis
- 2000 **Krupp Award**, Alfried-Krupp von Bohlen und Halbach foundation
- 2000 **JSPS Fellowship**, JSPS Japan
- 1999 **Heinz Maier-Leibnitz Award**, Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft (DFG)
- 1999 **Dozenten Award**, Fonds of the Chemical Industry
- 1995 **Dr. Otto-Röhm Award**, Dr. Otto-Röhm foundation
- 1994 **Liebig fellowship**, Fonds of the Chemical Industry
- 1993 **BASF-postdoctoral fellowship**, Studienstiftung des deutschen Volkes

## VISITING PROFESSOR

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- 1998-1999 Department of Chemistry and Chemical Biology, Harvard University
- 2005 Department of Chemistry, Stanford University
- 2008 Department of Chemistry, Université Louis Pasteur Strasbourg
- 2016 Department of Chemistry, University of Texas at Austin

## OTHER ACTIVITIES

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- Since 2011      Advisory board member of the Journals "*The Chemical Record*", "*Advanced Synthesis and Catalysis*"
- Since 2013      Editorial board member of the Journal "*Chemie in unserer Zeit*"
- Since 2014      Advisory board member of the Journal "*European Journal of Organic Chemistry*"