

## **CURRICULUM VITAE**

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### **Current Position**

Professor for Hygiene and Clinical Microbiology

Head of the Department of Infection Control and Hospital Epidemiology at the Medical University of Vienna

Head of the Infection Control Team of University Hospital „Allgemeines Krankenhaus der Stadt Wien“

Head of the National Reference Center of Nosocomial Infections of the Austrian Federal Ministry of Health

### **Specialization**

Board certification in Internal Medicine 1996

Board certification in Hygiene and Clinical Microbiology 2006

Board certification in Infectious Diseases and Tropical Medicine 2007

### **Training and international experience**

1981 – 1987 Medical education at the School of Medicine of the University Vienna

1987 – 1995 Research fellow and medical internship at the Vienna University Hospital (Internal Medicine)

1994 Diploma for Tropical Medicine and Hygiene (London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine)

1997 – 2006 Specialization for Hygiene and Clinical Microbiology (Institute of Hygiene of the Medical University of Vienna) (part-time)

2000 Lecturer and habilitation „Cytokines and severity-scores in sepsis“ at the Medical University of Vienna

2001 CBS postgraduate course „Medical mycology“ (Wuerzburg, Germany)

1995 – 2010 Consultant at the Department of Medicine I and Consultant for Infectious Diseases at the University Hospital Vienna

2004 – 2005 Fellowship at the Department of Infectious Diseases and Infection Control at the University Hospital Zuerich, Switzerland

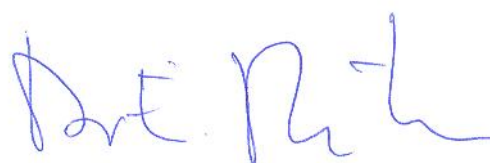
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- 2006 Consultant for Hygiene and Clinical Microbiology
- 2010 Full professor for Hygiene and Clinical Microbiology and head of the Department of Infection Control and Hospital Epidemiology at the Medical University of Vienna
- 2010 Appointed Head of the National Reference Center of Nosocomial Infections of the Austrian Federal Ministry of Health
- 2011 MBA Health Services Management (Danube-University Krems)
- 2012 Appointed Austrian delegate to the European Centers of Disease Control (ECDC) for the program to fight antimicrobial resistance and healthcare associated infection (ARHAI)
- 2016 Chairperson elect of the European Society of Clinical Microbiology and Infection Control (ESCMID) Study Group on Nosocomial Infections (ESGNI)
- 2017 Member of the Advisory Board of European Committee of Infection Control (EUCIC) of ESCMID

### **Clinical responsibilities**

- 1995 – 2010 Director of the clinical ward and the outpatients' clinic of the Department of Infectious Diseases on rotation
- 1995 – Consultant for Infectious Diseases
- 2010 – Head of the Department of Infection Control and Hospital Epidemiology and the Infection Control Team of the 2000-bed University Hospital of Vienna, establishment of an outpatients' clinic to counsel patients with nosocomial infections and multi-resistant organisms and surveillance network of healthcare-associated infections in Austria

### **Functions at the Medical University of Vienna**

- 2010 Member of the Ethical Committee of the Medical University Vienna
- 2011 Head of the Committee of Habilitation of the Surgical Disciplines
- 2013 Member of the Senate of the Medical University of Vienna
- 2017 Member of the Steering Committee "Patient Safety" of the Allgemeinen Krankenhaus



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