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Personal Data

Nationality Czech

Academic Education

1995 - 1998 **B.Sc.** Biological Sciences, Faculty of Science, Charles University, Prague, Czech Republic

Scientific Degrees

2000 - 2004 **Ph.D.** Cell and Molecular Biology, Faculty of Biological Sciences, University of South Bohemia, Ceske Budejovice, Czech Republic

1998 - 2000 **M.Sc.** Genetics and Molecular biology, Department of Genetics and Microbiology, Charles University, Prague, Czech Republic

Scientific Career

2013 - present **Professor (W3)**, Institute for Genetics, CECAD, University of Cologne, Cologne, Germany

2008 - 2013 **Independent Junior Research Group Leader**, Institute for Genetics, CECAD, University of Cologne, Cologne, Germany

2007 - 2008 **Research Assistant Professor**, Department of Biomedical Genetics, University of Rochester Medical Center, Rochester, NY, USA

2004 - 2007 **Postdoctoral Fellow**, Department of Biomedical Genetics, University of Rochester Medical Center, Rochester, NY, USA (with Dr. Dirk Bohmann)

2004 **Postdoctoral research associate**, Department of Genetics, Institute of Entomology ASCR, Ceske Budejovice, Czech Republic (with Dr. Marek Jindra)

2003 **NATO Fellow**, Arthropod-Borne and Infectious Diseases Laboratory (AIDL), Department of Microbiology, Immunology and Pathology, Colorado State University, Fort Collins, CO, USA (with Dr. Barry J. Beaty and Dr. Ken E. Olson)

2000 - 2004 **Graduate student**, Department of Molecular Biology, University of South Bohemia, Czech Republic (with Dr. Marek Jindra)

Honors/Awards/Memberships

- 2018 - **Acting Director of the Department of Biology**, University of Cologne, Cologne, Germany
- 2018 **Acting Director of the Institute for Genetics**, University of Cologne, Cologne, Germany
- 2016 - 2017 **Managing Director of the CECAD Research Center**, CECAD, University of Cologne, Cologne, Germany
- 2015 **IPMM/GSfBS – Committee member**, University of Cologne, Cologne, Germany
- 2008 - 2015 **Sofja Kovalevskaja Award** from Alexander von Humboldt Foundation, University of Cologne, Institute for Genetics, Germany
- 2005 **Fulbright-Masaryk Fellowship**, Department of Biomedical Genetics, University of Rochester Medical Center, Rochester, NY, USA (declined by awardee)
- 2003 **NATO Short-term Science Fellowship**, Arthropod-Borne and Infectious Diseases Laboratory, Department of Microbiology, Immunology and Pathology, Colorado State University, Fort Collins, CO, USA
- 2002 **Czech Literature Foundation (CLF) Travel Award**, Czech Republic
- 2002 **SGA Award**, Student Grant Agency, University of South Bohemia, Ceske Budejovice, Czech Republic
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