

## Curriculum Vitae

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### Personal data

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### Education

1959 - 1963 Study of geology at Kiel University and ETH Zürich, diploma in geology  
Kiel University 1963  
1963-1966 Ph.D. student in mineralogy at Kiel University, Ph.D. awarded 1966  
1970 “Habilitation” in mineralogy, Ruhr-University Bochum

### Professional carrier

1966-1970 Assistant Professor, Ruhr-University Bochum  
1970-1973 Associate Professor, Ruhr-University Bochum  
1973-1974 Research Associate, Geophysical Laboratory, Carnegie Institution of  
Washington, USA  
1974-1986 Professor of Mineralogy, Kiel University  
1979-1980, 1981, 1982 Distinguished research fellow, Geophysical Laboratory,  
Washington, D.C., USA  
1986-2006 Professor of Experimental Geosciences and Founding Director of Bayerisches  
Geoinstitut, Bayreuth  
1991 Guest professor, Università degli Studi di Roma La Sapienza, Italy  
1996 Guest professor, Uppsala University, Sweden  
2006 – Professor Emeritus, University Bayreuth

### Awards and Honours

1972 Max-Berek Award, German Mineralogical Society  
1976 Mineralogical Society of America Award, Life fellow  
1986 Leibniz-Award, German Science Foundation  
1994 Dr. phil. h.c., University of Uppsala, Sweden  
1994 Prix Leon Lutaud, Academie des Sciences, Paris, France  
1999 Max-Becke-Medal, Österreichische Mineralogische Gesellschaft  
2002 Werner-Heisenberg-Medal, Alexander-von-Humboldt Foundation  
2004 Abraham-Gottlob-Werner Medal, German Mineralogical Society  
2004 high-pressure form of SiO<sub>2</sub> ( $\alpha$ -PbO<sub>2</sub> structure) named “seifertite”  
2012 Walter Kertz Medal, German Geophysical Society  
2015 Honorary Member, German Mineralogical Society

Member of Academia Europea, Deutsche Akademie der Naturforscher Leopoldina (Senate 2003 – 2007), Bayerische Akademie der Wissenschaften, Göttinger Akademie der Wissenschaften, Accademia dei Lincei Rome

**Editorships**

Neues Jahrbuch für Mineralogie (1980 - 1987),  
Physics and Chemistry of Minerals (1984-1990)

Editorial Board:

Lithos (1983 - 1997),

Physics and Chemistry of Minerals (1990 - 2005)