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Bio



Studied pharmacy from 1995 to 2000 at the Rheinische-Friedrich-Wilhelms-Universität in Bonn.

Completed the Working Professional Doctor of Pharmacy program (WPPD) at the University of Florida, Gainesville, USA, from 2007 to 2010.

Currently working at the St. Johannes Hospital in Dortmund, specialized in infectious diseases and medication management in hospitals; as well as a renal pharmacist (NHS, University of Manchester).

- Pharmacist at the “Lübkes Apotheken” in Iserlohn and Arnsberg, establishing medication analyses for outpatients as well as nursing home patients
- Member of the ABDA (Federal Union of German Associations of Pharmacists) working group on medication management in elderly and nursing homes

- Speaker for various pharmacy chambers in the field of continuing education
- Assistant Professor in the Master’s program in Drug Therapy Management and Medication Safety at the universities of Tübingen, Bonn, and Heidelberg Delegate to the Chamber Assembly of the Westphalia-Lippe Chamber of Pharmacists.
- Member of the Continuing Education Committee of the Westphalia-Lippe Chamber of Pharmacists.
- Co-initiator of the “ATHINA-Medication Safety in Pharmacies” project.
- Member of the Drug Therapy Management and Medication Safety Commission of the German Society of Internal Medicine (DGIM).
- Mandate holder for creating the S3 guideline on polypharmacy for the Association of the Scientific Medical Societies in Germany/ German Society of General Medicine and Family Medicine AWMF/DEGAM.
- Representative for revising the National Care Guideline “Chronic Coronary Heart Disease” in the “Medication Therapy” working group.
- Board member of the Pharmaceutical Care Initiative (Förderinitiative Pharmazeutische Betreuung).
- Member of the scientific advisory board of the German Society of Clinical Pharmacy.
- Member of the Federal Association of German Hospital Pharmacist committee on pharmaceutical interventions.
- Head of the working group on standardizing drug-related discharge management of the Federal Association of German Hospital Pharmacist.
- Editor of the book “Medikationsanalyse Grundlagen und Fallbeispiele” (Medication Analysis: Fundamentals and Case Studies).

Several peer-reviewed and non peer-reviewed publications and posters in my areas of expertise: drug therapy management and medication safety, medication reviews, clinical pharmacy, dose adjustment of drugs based on renal function.



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Abstract



For pharmaceutical medication management in hospitals in Germany, there is a lack of nationally agreed-upon standards. The Association of German Hospital Pharmacists (ADKA) has set the goal of creating clear and scientifically grounded standards for pharmaceutical activities in the areas of

admission, discharge, and inpatient care. The widespread adoption and implementation of these standards support measures for patient and medication safety, enabling high-quality clinical-pharmaceutical services by on-site hospital pharmacists. This talk will be a brief summary about the methodological approach and report on initial results from the working groups especially on discharge level.