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## Formazione

- 2010 Fellowship in strabismus surgery, Rotterdam Eye Hospital, Holland
- 2004–2007 Resident at the University Eye Clinics in Zurich and Bern
- 2000–2004 International PhD programme in Neuroscience, Centre for Neuroscience Zurich
- 1999–2004 MD/PhD programme at the Institute for Brain Research Zurich
- 1993–1999 Medical studies in Zurich and Lausanne

## Esperienze professionali

- dal 2022 Co-owner and ophthalmologist, ONOVIS eye practice, Berne
- 2014–2022 Head of Orthoptics, University Clinic for Ophthalmology, Inselspital, Bern
- 2010–2014 Senior Physician, Department of Ophthalmology, Inselspital, Bern
- 2008–2009 Fellow in Neuroophthalmology, University of British Columbia, Canada
- 2006–2007 Resident, Department of Ophthalmology, Inselspital, Bern
- 2004–2006 Resident, University Hospital Zurich
- 1999–2004 PhD student, Institute for Brain Research, Zurich

## Competenze

### Qualifications professionnelles / diplômes

- 2017 - Professeur associé, Université de Berne
- 2017 - Titre de formation approfondie "Ophtalmochirurgie".
- 2014 - Habilitation, Université de Berne
- 2008 - Spécialiste FMH & F.E.B.O. en ophtalmologie,
- 2005 - Doctorat en sciences, Université de Zurich  
Titre de la thèse : "Neurotransmission in the Injured Brain".
- 2003 - Diplôme de neurobiologie, physiologie et biologie moléculaire, Université de Zurich

2001 - Doctorat en médecine, Université de Zurich

Titre de la thèse : "Therapeutic Strategies in Retinitis Pigmentosa : light at te End of the Tunnel" (stratégies thérapeutiques dans la rétinite pigmentaire : lumière au bout du tunnel)

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