CV & Research interests Kaspar Burger

I studied biology at the Ludwig Maximilian University of Munich, Germany (2003-2009). In 2013, I completed my PhD thesis working on Cdk9 and human ribosome biogenesis in Dirk Eick's lab and held a fellowship from the German José Carreras Leukaemia Foundation from 2009 to 2011. For my Postdoc, I joined Monika Gullerova's lab at the William Dunn School of Pathology, University of Oxford, UK to study nuclear Dicer functions in mammals (2013-2019).

In 2019, I accepted a position as junior group leader at the MSNZ in Würzburg, where we are interested in the regulatory principles that link the RNA metabolism with genome stability and tumour immunology. I investigate the production and processing of RNA in response to DNA damage, with focus on transcription, nuclear bodies, and RNA-binding proteins.

I was born in Bad Tölz, Bavaria in 1983 and enjoy travelling, cycling, hiking, live music, and art.