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**Born / Sex** 21.07.1972 / female  
**Children** 2  
**Parental leave** 05/2010-12/2011 (2nd child)  
11/2006-07/2008 (1st child)

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**Career** 10/2014- Professor (W2) for Neuroethology of Arthropods  
University of Würzburg  
11/2009- Group leader and Heisenberg Fellow, Institute of Biochemistry  
09/2014 and Biology, University of Potsdam  
03/2003 – Assistant Professor, Department of Ecology and Biology,  
10/2009 Technical University Berlin  
10/2001 – Postdoc, Department of Ecology and Biology, Technical  
02/2003 University Berlin  
06/1998 – Doctoral studies at Department of Ecology and Biology,  
09/2001 Technical University Berlin and UC Davis, California, USA  
Dr. rer. nat. (summa cum laude)  
09/1991 – Studies in Biology and English, Technical University Berlin  
05/1998  
09/1993 – Assistant Teacher in Paisley and Greenock, UK  
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**Research Fields** Neuroethology of social behavior, honeybee behavior, learning and memory, behavioral plasticity, taste, neuromodulation, octopaminem tyramine, gene/protein expression, neurotoxicity, Varroa control

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**Professional Activities** **University:** since 10/2015 Women's Representative of the Faculty of Biology and member of Faculty Council at University of Würzburg, 2010-2014 member of several recruitment committees at Potsdam University, 2005 – 2007 member of University Council (Technical University Berlin)  
**Editorial:** since 2013 associate editor *Frontiers in Invertebrate Physiology*, since 2019 review editor for *Frontiers in Behavioral Neuroscience*; since 2020 editorial board of *Insects*  
**Reviewer for funding agencies:** German Research Foundation, Israel Science Foundation, Polish National Science Centre, Agence Nationale de la Recherche (France)  
**Reviewer for** >50 ISI ranked scientific journals

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**Awards** 2020 Momentum Research Award of VW Foundation  
2009-2014 Heisenberg Fellowship of the German Research Foundation  
2007-2009 Robert-Bosch-Fellowship, Fast Track Programme

2003 Tiburtius Award of all Berlin Universities for best PhD thesis in 2001  
1999 Katharina-Heinroth-Award of the Berlin Society of Researching  
Friends for best diploma thesis 1999