

Biographical sketch

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Current titles

Managing Director, De Meyts R&D Consulting SPRLU, Kraainem, Belgium.

External consultant, Department of Insulin and Incretin Biology, Hagedorn Research Institute, Novo Nordisk A/S, Gentofte, Denmark.

Education/Degrees

M.D. University of Liege Medical School, Belgium, 1962-1969.

Internal Medicine, University of Liege Medical School, 1969-1972.

Ph.D. (D.MSc) ("Agregation"). Catholic University of Louvain, Belgium, 1995.

Previous Employments

1973-1976: Postdoctoral Fellowships at the Clinical Endocrinology Branch, National Institutes of Health, Bethesda, MD, USA (laboratory of Dr Jesse Roth).

1976-1985: Research associate at the International Institute of Cellular and Molecular Pathology, Hormone and Metabolic Research Unit, Catholic University of Louvain, Belgium. Senior Research Associate of the Belgian National Fund for Scientific Research.

1986-1990: Director, Department of Diabetes, Endocrinology and Metabolism, City of Hope National Medical Center, Duarte, CA, USA; Associate Director, Department of Molecular Genetics, Beckman Research Institute, Duarte, CA, USA; Clinical Professor of Medicine, University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA, USA.

1990-2000. Scientific Director, Hagedorn Research Institute, Novo Nordisk A/S, Gentofte, Denmark.

2000-2005. Adjunct Professor of Experimental Endocrinology, Health Sciences Faculty, Copenhagen University, Denmark.

2000-2010 Corporate Vice-President, Scientific Director, Receptor Systems Biology Laboratory, Hagedorn Research Institute, Novo Nordisk A/S, Gentofte, Denmark.

2000-2010 Professor (lecturer since 1984), now emeritus.

Biochemistry Unit, Department of Chemistry, Catholic University of Louvain, Belgium.

Awards

1978 Alumni Prize of the "Fondation Universitaire" (Belgium).

1979 Diaz Cristobal Prize of the Spanish Diabetes Association (shared with Jesse Roth).

1981 Oskar Minkowski Prize of the European Association for the Study of Diabetes.

1983 Assubel Prize (Belgium).

1995 Quinquennial Joseph Maisin Scientific Prize for the Biomedical Sciences of the Belgian National Fund for Scientific Research.

2002 Prize Christoffel Plantin, Belgium.

2005 American Association of Clinical Endocrinologists 2005 Frontiers in Science Award.

2006 Elected to Scanbalt Academy.

191 publications.

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