

Curriculum vitae

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Education	1960-68	Primary and Secondary School, Winterthur
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	1984	Laboratory of Herpetology Academy of Natural Sciences, Philadelphia
	1988	Ph.D. ('Systematics and evolution of the racer genus <i>Hierophis</i> '), University of Zürich (Prof. V. Ziswiler)
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