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In 2012, we finished Habilitation in Epidemiology and Public Health and in 2015 he was appointed Associate Professor at UMIT. Since 2015, he has a contract at UMIT.

After finishing his studies in Mathematics and Informatics in 1975, he worked for one year in the industry. From 1976 till 1986, he was research assistant at the department of computer science at Innsbruck University. In 1986, he began to work at TILAK/tirol kliniken where he build up the Cancer Registry of Tyrol, the Perinatal Register Austria, the Knee and Hip Implant Register Tyrol and the Diabetes Register Tyrol. In addition, he is responsible for the evaluation of the mammography screening program in Tyrol.

His research interests include cancer epidemiology, early detection of cancer, evaluation of spontaneous and organised screening programmes mainly in oncology, survival studies and diabetes epidemiology.