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Academic History:	
11/2015	Associate Professor, University of Bern, Switzerland
04/2015-	Head of department (Chefarzt) and managing Co-director, Radiology, Division City and County Hospitals, INSEL GROUP, Bern, Switzerland
12/2014 - 03/2015	Head of department a.i. (Chefarzt a.i.), Radiology <i>Spital Netz Bern – Inselspital – Fusion</i> (SMSB), Bern, Switzerland
04/2014 - 03/2015	Senior consultant (Leitender Arzt), Department of Diagnostic, Interventional and Pediatric Radiology, Hospital and University of Bern, Inselspital, Switzerland
01/2014-	Board member Lung Cancer Center, Inselspital, University of Bern, Switzerland
01/2013 - 12/2014 06/2012 - 06/2013	Member of the extended chair, Institute of Diagnostic Radiology, University of Bern Postgraduate course in hospital management, University of Bern, Switzerland
01/2012	Habilitation, University of Bern (Venia docendi in Radiology)
04/2010 - 12/2014	Chief of Body-CT, Department of Diagnostic, Interventional and Pediatric Radiology, Inselspital, University of Bern, Switzerland
12/2009	Huggenberger-Bischoff prize 2009 (Swiss Cancer Research Foundation)
10/2009 - 03/2010	Post-Doc Fellowship, Department of Radiology, Stanford University, Stanford, California, USA. "Gottfried und Julia Bangerter-Rhyner" Grant
04/2008 - 03/2009	Post-Doc Fellowship, Department of Radiology, Stanford University, Stanford, California, USA. Senior Investigator Grant SSMBS (Swiss National Science Foundation)
01/2006 -	Staff Member, Institute of Diagnostic Radiology, Inselspital, University of Bern, Switzerland
12/2005	Doctoral thesis presentation and awarding of doctorate medical degree, University of Bern
03/2005 - 03/2008 02/2004	Radiology Staff Member, Institute of Forensic Medicine, University of Bern, Switzerland Board certification (FMH) in Radiology, Switzerland

08/2003	Board certification examination (FMH) in Radiology, Geneva Switzerland
04/2002 - 05/2002	Armed Forces Institute of Pathology (AFIP), Radiology Course participation (6 weeks), Walter
	Reed Army Medical Center, Washington DC, USA
11/1999 - 12/2003	Residency in Radiology, Inselspital, University of Bern, Switzerland
01/1999 - 10/1999	Resident in Pathology, Institute of Pathology, University of Bern (Head of students training)
01/1998 - 05/1998	Military Officer of Swiss Army Medical Corps, Moudon, Switzerland
12/1997	Federal medical examination, University Hospital Bern, Switzerland
11/1991 - 12/1997	Medical studies, University of Bern, Switzerland
1987 - 1990	College (Matura C), Interlaken, Switzerland
1978 - 1986	Primary, secondary school education Unterseen, Switzerland

Junior Staff Member, Institute of Diagnostic Radiology, Inselspital, University of Bern

Public and Professional Service:

01/2004 - 12/2005

2022	Faculty member of IDKD Diagnostic Imaging Course, Davos, Switzerland
2021-23	Executive Committee Member of ESTI (European Society of Thoracic Imaging)
2021-22	Abstract Reviewer Committee of ECR (European Congress of Radiology)
2019-	Co-Chair Swiss expert commission of clinical audits in radiology

Standing Abstract Reviewer Committee of the Swiss Congress of Radiology
 Section chief Swiss board certification examination in Radiology (first part, FMH)
 Member of Chest-Subcommittee, European Congress of Radiology, Vienne, Austria

2015 Chairman of High-Resolution-CT Masterclass, Bern

2015- Expert of SAKK Working Group Imaging (Swiss Group for Clinical Cancer Research)

2015- SGUM-Tutor (Swiss Society of Ultrasonography in Medicine)

2014 - 2015 Representative of non-professorial faculty, Chair of Department of Radiology, Neuroradiology

and Nuclear medicine, Inselspital, Hospital and University of Bern, Switzerland

2014- Expert at Swiss board certification examination (FMH) in Radiology

05/2013 Member of the Scientific Committee, Annual Congress ISFRI (International Society of Forensic

Radiological Imaging), Zürich, Switzerland

2013- Consultant of dissertation commission of Medical Faculty, University of Bern

2013- Consultant of 3R Research Foundation Switzerland 2013- Posterjury Swiss Congress of Radiology SGR

2012- Editorial board member, Journal of Forensic Radiology and Imaging

2012- Scientific board member of *Funginos* Switzerland

Founding member of *ISFRI (International Society of Forensic Radiological Imaging)* Academic coordinator of University lectures in Radiology, University of Bern

2011- Vice representative of non-professorial faculty

2007- Member of examination board of Swiss board certification examination (FMH) in Radiology
 2005 - 2010 Professional expert for degree dissertation at Medical Technician School, University of Bern

2002 - 2004 Teacher of Anatomy at Medical Technician School, Inselspital, University of Bern

2000- Promotion to First Lieutenant of Swiss Army Medical Corps

Awards/Prizes:

2022	JVIR journal award: second most read article in Journal of vascular and interventional
	radiology (2022): Misura, Tihana; Drakopoulos, Dionysios; Mitrakovic, Milena; Lönnfors, Tarja;
	Primetis, Elias; Hoppe, Hanno; Obmann, Verena C; Huber, Adrian T; Ebner, Lukas; Christe,
	Andreas (2022). Avoiding the Intercostal Arteries in Percutaneous Thoracic Interventions.
	Journal of vascular and interventional radiology, 33(4), 416-419.e2
2022	IR Journal award: top 10 cited papers for <i>Investigative Radiology</i> 2019-2022: Christe A, Peters
	AA, Drakopoulos D, Heverhagen JT, Geiser T, Stathopoulou T, Christodoulidis S, Anthimopoulos
	M, Mougiakakou SG, Ebner L. Computer-Aided Diagnosis of Pulmonary Fibrosis Using Deep
	Learning and CT Images. Invest Radiol. 2019 Oct;54(10):627-632.
2021	Swiss Congress of Radiology, Best Scientific Poster - summa cum laude- Nyilas S, Bauman G,
	Korten I, Pusterla O, Singer F, Ith M, Groen C, Schöni A, Heverhagen J, Christe A , Rodondi N,
	Bieri O, Geiser T, Auer R, Funke-Chambour M, Ebner L. Short-Term Effect of E-Cigarette and
	Tobacco Smoke on Ventilation and Perfusion in the Lung: Assessment With Functional MRI and
	Lung Function Measurements
2021	Trainee Research Prize Radiological Society of North America (RSNA): Nyilas S, Bauman G,
	Korten I, Pusterla O, Singer F, Ith M, Groen C, Schöni A, Heverhagen J, Christe A , Rodondi N,
	Bieri O, Geiser T, Auer R, Funke-Chambour M, Ebner L. Short-Term Effect of E-Cigarette and
	Tobacco Smoke on Ventilation and Perfusion in the Lung: Assessment With Functional MRI and
	Lung Function Measurements
2017	Innovation prize, scientific symposium DIPR, University of Bern, Switzerland
2017	Best free communication award. Christodoulidis S, Anthimopoulos M, Ebner L, Christe A
	Mougiakakou S. Lung Pattern Classification for Interstitial Lung Diseases (Deep Convolutional
	Neural Network). The 3rd annual meeting for SMARTCATs COST Action CM1404 Prague 2017.
2016	Best Poster Awardee, 3th World Congress on Hepatitis, Dubai, UAE
2014	Science award of the Department of Radiology DIPR, Bern, Switzerland
2009	Huggenberger-Bischoff prize (Swiss Cancer Research Foundation)

Supervision of Dissertation at University of Bern:

Jaled Charimo Torrente CT screening and follow up of lung nodules: impact of CT-tube current and nodule

characteristics on sensitivity and volume measurement of lung nodules, 2010

Lars Leidolt Lung cancer screening with CT: evaluation of radiologists and different computer assisted

detection software (CAD) as first and second readers for lung nodule detection at different

dose levels, 2013

Sara Pistorius Analysis of pneumatization and neurovascular structures of the sphenoid sinus using cone-

beam tomography (CBT), 2013

Felix Knoblauch Feasible dose reduction in routine chest computed tomography maintaining constant image

quality using the last three scanner generations: from filtered back projection to sinogramaffirmed iterative reconstruction and impact of the novel fully integrated detector design

minimizing electronic noise, 2014

Yanik Bütikofer Lung Nodule detection by Micro-dose -CT vs (standard and dual-energy subtracted) Chest

Radiograph, 2014

Frederick Schuster CT arterial enhancement fraction (AEF) for hepatocellular carcinomascreening in patients with

end-stage liver cirrhosis, 2015

Moritz Steib Computed tomography imaging for the characterisation of drugs with radiation density

measurements and HU spectroscopy, 2017

Laura Loebelenz Kerley B lines in the lung apex - a distinct CT sign for pulmonary congestion, 2019

Alexandrine Bähler Identification of ureteral stones at reduced radiation exposure: a pilot study comp.

Identification of ureteral stones at reduced radiation exposure: a pilot study comparing conventional versus digital low-dosage linears lot scanning (Lodox®) radiography, 2020

Ahmed Maher Detection of Pulmonary Embolism on CT-Angiography Using Contrast Attenuation of

Pulmonary Veins, 2020/2021

Dorothee Hausmann Detection of Pulmonary Embolism on CT-Angiography Using Contrast Attenuation of

Pulmonary Veins, 2020/2021

Jacqueline Arcon Correlation of gastrointestinal perforation location and amount of free air and ascites on CT

imaging, 2021

Tihana Misura Avoiding the intercostal arteries in percutaneous thoracic interventions 2021

Mostafa El-Ashmawy Comparison of the quality of two different CT scanners for neck imaging, 2022, ongoing

Manuscript reviewer:

2012-

2019-2017-

2021- - Journal of Nephrology
 2019- - Investigative Radiology
 2017- - Frontiers of Medicine

2016- - PLOS ONE

- Digestive Surgery

2014/2015- - Scientific Reports published by Nature

- IEEE Journal of Translational Engineering in Health and Medicine

- The Journal of Rheumatology - British Journal of Radiology - Academic Radiology

- Forensic Science, Medicine and Pathology - JMRI Journal of Magnetic Resonance Imaging

-Clinical Neuroradiology -Forensic Science International

-Clinical imaging

-European Journal of Radiology

2010- -European Radiology

-American Journal of Neuroradiology (AJNR)

-Acta Radiologica -Investigative Radiology -Frontiers of Medicine

2016- - PLOS ONE

- Digestive Surgery

2014/2015- - Scientific Reports published by Nature

- IEEE Journal of Translational Engineering in Health and Medicine

- The Journal of Rheumatology - British Journal of Radiology

- Academic Radiology

- Forensic Science, Medicine and Pathology - JMRI Journal of Magnetic Resonance Imaging

-Clinical Neuroradiology

2012- -Forensic Science International

-Clinical imaging

-European Journal of Radiology

2010- -European Radiology

-American Journal of Neuroradiology (AJNR)

-Acta Radiologica

Societies, Memberships

Swiss Society of Radiology (SGR-SSR) European Society of Radiology (ESR) European Society of Thoracic Imaging (ESTI)

Swiss Medical Association (FMH)

Swiss Society of Ultrasonography in Medicine (SGUM)
International Society of Forensic Radiological Imaging (ISFRI)

Grants (total: 2'036 K CHF)

*main applicant, ** co-applicant, $^\Delta\!$ project partner

Project funding (total: 1'461 K CHF):

2021-2023	**Campus Lindenhof (21-02_IIT) Al-based Automated Diagnosis, Assessment and Prognosis of COVID-19 Infections
2019-2023	[△] Swiss National Science Foundation (SNSF, No. 188591): MAPIT – MAgnetic resonance (MR) relaxometry for extracellular volume (ECV) mapPIng combined with elastography for noninvasive characterization of diffuse liver disease
2017-2018	**Foundation Lindenhof: Translation of a computer-aided diagnosis system for ILDs to clinical practice by Project INTACT – INTerstitial pneumonia pattern Analysis for CompuTer-aided diagnosis
2014	*Swiss National Science Foundation (SNSF, No. 157744): R'Equip - Magnetic Resonance (MR)
	- Elastography for Characterization of Liver Disease
2014 -2018	*Swiss National Science Foundation (SNSF, No. 15611): Project INTACT – INTerstitial
	pneumonia pattern Analysis for CompuTer-aided diagnosis
2014	*Swiss HIV Cohort Study (SHCS) sponsored by the Swiss National Science Foundation:
	Variation of CT-patterns of Pneumocystis jirovecii pneumonia (PCP) in HIV-infected individuals
	and kidney transplant recipients I.
2014	*Swiss Transplant Cohort Study (STCS) sponsored by the Swiss National Science Foundation: Variation of CT-patterns of Pneumocystis jirovecii pneumonia (PCP) in HIV-infected individuals and kidney transplant recipients II.
2011	*Bernese Cancer League, Swisslife, Swiss Foundation "Fight Against Cancer": Optimal low-dose levels in Chest-Computed-Tomography (CT) for minimal patient radiation and unimpaired detection of lung nodules and nodule volume measurement
2010	*Jubilee Foundation Swisslife, Jubilee Foundation Mobiliar. Accurate low dose levels in
2010	Chest-Computed-Tomography (CT) for patients with recurrent lung pathologies
	chest-computed-romography (cr) for patients with reculrent fung pathologies

Industry funding (total: 462.5 K CHF):

2022-2023	*Bracco Suisse S.A., Fumedica AG, Boehringer Ingelheim GmbH – Development Grant II: interventional radiology application
2021	*Bayer HealthCare – Development Grant I: interventional radiology application
2018	*Roche Pharma (Schweiz) AG – Research Grant: A.I. classification of pulmonary fibrosis
2017	*Roche Pharma (Schweiz) AG – Research Grant: Patterns of pulmonary fibrosis II (transfer learning)
2015	*Roche Pharma (Schweiz) AG – Research Grant: Patterns of pulmonary fibrosis (automatic detection)
2014	*Philips AG Healthcare, IntelliSpace Portal DX (loan): Lung nodule detection in lung cancer screening
2013	*Siemens Healthcare, CT Arterial Enhancement Fraction, AEF Syngo.via (loan): HCC detection in liver cirrhosis
2013	*Siemens AG, Philips, Bracco AG, Guerbet AG, Bayer HealthCare, SMD MedicalTrade Gmbh. Lung Cancer Screening project
2009	*Guerbet AG, Bayer Schering: CT patterns: Comparison of Standard-Dose (150 mAs) and Low Dose CT (40 mAs)
2008	*GE Healthcare, Guerbet AG: CT patterns of fungal pulmonary infections of the lung: comparison of standard-dose and simulated low-dose CT

Personal funding (total: 113.4 K CHF):

2010	*Huggenberger-Bischoff prize (Swiss Cancer Research Foundation): CT patterns: Comparison
	of Standard-Dose (150 mAs) and Low Dose CT (40 mAs)
2009	*"Gottfried und Julia Bangerter-Rhyner" Grant: Chest CT patterns at low dose level.
2008	*SSMBS, Senior Investigator Grant (Swiss National Science Foundation): CT patterns of the
	lung: low-dose CT.

Publications

List of publications (142)

Original Research 106
Review Articles 12
Letters to the Editor 1
Book Chapters 7
Case Reports 16
Congress abstracts 111

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Publications impact:

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Research Interest Score (ResearchGate): 2280