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**Personal Information**

Born: November 3, 1941  
Schöningen, Germany  
Citizenship: German  
Marital Status: Married (Ingrid Baumert), three children (1975, 1978, 1982)

**Education**

1961	Abitur	Neusprachliches Gymnasium, Schöningen
1961-1967	Classics, Physical Education	University of Göttingen, Freiburg, Hamburg
1968	Staatsexamen (M.A.) (Greek, Latin and Physical Education)	University of Hamburg
1968	Ph.D. in Classics and Philosophy	University of Tübingen
1970-1972	Psychology and Education	University of Würzburg
1972-1973	Psychology and Education	Free University of Berlin
1982	Habilitation in Educational Sciences	Free University of Berlin

**Scholarships, Honors and Awards**

1962-1968 Scholarship, Studienstiftung des Deutschen Volkes  
1972-1973 Scholarship, Volkswagen Foundation  
1989 Visiting Professor at the University of Salzburg, Austria  
1995 Visiting Professor at the University of Winston Salem, North Carolina  
1997 Visiting Professor at the University of Fribourg, Switzerland  
1999 First European Latsis Award of the European Science Foundation (ESF)  
2000 Visiting Professor at the University of Fribourg, Switzerland  
2002 Franz-Emanuel-Weinert Prize  
2002 Honorary Doctor, University of Fribourg, Switzerland  
2002 Visiting Professor at the University of Zurich, Switzerland  
2003 Honorary Doctor, Martin-Luther-Universität, Halle-Wittenberg  
2004 Arthur-Burkhardt-Preis

**Academic Positions**

1967-68	Research Assistant in Classics	Technical University of Berlin
1968-69	Research Scientist in Classics	Technical University of Berlin
1969-72	Assistant Professor	University of Würzburg
1975-82	Research Scientist	Max Planck Institute for Human Development, Berlin
1982-91	Senior Research Scientist	Max Planck Institute for Human Development, Berlin
1983-89	Privat-Dozent in Education	Free University of Berlin
1989-now	Associate Professor of Education	Free University of Berlin
1991-96	Full Professor of Education	University of Kiel
1991-92	Director, Department of Education	University of Kiel

	at the Institute for Science Education (Institute of the Leibniz Society)	
1992-1996	Managing Director of the Institute for Science Education	University of Kiel
1996-now	Senior Fellow (Wissenschaftliches Mitglied) Max Planck Society and Institute Co-Director	Max Planck Institute for Human Development, Berlin
2000-2001	Managing Director	Max Planck Institute for Human Development, Berlin
2003-2004	Managing Director	Max Planck Institute for Human Development, Berlin
1996-now	Professor of Education (Honorary Professor)	Humboldt University of Berlin

### **Professional Services**

- » German Research Foundation (Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft, DFG)  
Elected Reviewer and Chair of the Subdivision of Research on Teaching and Learning (1991-1998)  
Member of the Senate (1998-2003)  
Member of the Joint Committee (Hauptausschuss) (1998-2003)  
Chair of the Beirat der Förderinitiative "Forschergruppen in der Empirischen Bildungsforschung" (2002-now)  
Member of Nominations Committee for the Gottfried Wilhelm Leibniz-Programme (2004-2006)
- » Wissenschaftsgemeinschaft Gottfried Wilhelm Leibniz  
Member of the Senate (2002-now)  
Member of the Senatsausschuss Evaluierung
- » Deutsche Gesellschaft für Erziehungswissenschaft  
Chairman and Vice Chairman, Division for Empirical Research (1990-1994)
- » Member of the "Review Committee Pedagogics and Education" (RCPE), Utrecht, Niederlande (VSNU) (1999-2000)
- » Member of Board of Scientific Advisors: Zentrum für Schulforschung und Fragen der Lehrerbildung der Martin-Luther-Universität Halle-Wittenberg
- » Member of Board of Scientific Advisors: Lehr-/Lern- und Bildungsforschungszentrum der Universität Erfurt
- » Coeditor: Zeitschrift für Erziehungswissenschaft
- » Coeditor: Zeitschrift für Unterrichtswissenschaft
- » Member of Editorial Board: International Journal of Educational Research
- » Member of Board of Scientific Advisors: Zeitschrift für Pädagogische Psychologie
- » Member of Board of Scientific Advisors: Psychologie in Erziehung und Unterricht
- » Member of Board of Scientific Advisors: Schweizerische Zeitschrift für Bildungswissenschaften
- » Member of Board of Scientific Advisors: Journal für Mathematik-Didaktik (JDM) (1999-2002)
- » Member of Board of Scientific Advisors: Waxmann Verlag, Reihe Pädagogische Psychologie und Entwicklungspsychologie
- » Member of Review Committee: Educational Science in Bayern (2003)
- » Vice-Chair of Review Committee: Educational Science in Baden-Württemberg (since 2003)
- » Chair of Review Committee "Elite Netzwerk Bayern"
- » Chair of Scientific Advisors: BLK-Modellversuchsprogramms "Steigerung der Effizienz des mathematisch-naturwissenschaftlichen Unterrichts" (SINUS) (1999-2003)
- » Member of Board of Scientific Advisors: Internationale Grundschul-Lese-Untersuchung (IGLU)/Progress in International Reading Literacy Study (PIRLS)
- » Member of Review Committee: Interuniversity Center for Educational Research (ICO), Netherlands
- » Member of Board of Trustees: University Twente, Institute for Behavioral Research (IBR)

- » Member of Scientific Advisors: Aktionsprogramm des Stifterverbandes für die Deutsche Wissenschaft "Neue Wege in der Lehrerausbildung"
- » Member of Board of Scientific Advisors: Qualitätsagentur am Staatsinstitut für Schulpädagogik und Bildungsforschung
- » Member of Leopoldina (German Academy of Natural Scientists), Section "Culture and Society Studies" (2004)