

- 1993 - German Academy of Natural Scientists Leopoldina, National Academy of Sciences
- 1995 - Berlin-Brandenburg Academy of Sciences
- 1997 Research Award of the German Society of Gerontopsychiatry and –psychotherapy (DGGPP)
- 1999 - World Psychiatric Association (WPA), Honorary member
- 2002 - German Society of Biological Psychiatry (Honorary member)
- 2007 - German Society for Psychiatry, Psychotherapy, and Neuroscience (DGPPN) (Honorary member)

- Editorial work

- 1973 - 1988 Social Psychiatry, Advisory Board
- 1974 - 2002 Nervenarzt, Coeditor
- 1975 - Comprehensive Psychiatry, International Advisory Board
- 1978 - 1989 European Journal of Clinical Pharmacology, Editorial Board
- 1989 - 2001 Ethik in der Medizin, Beirat
- 1999 - 2000 Psychiatrie der Gegenwart/Contemporary Psychiatry (4th edition), Springer, Coeditor

- Research > 450 Publications, including 30 books (in chronological order): epilepsy (as a model of cerebral determinants of mental disorders, therapy); EEG in psychiatry and psychopharmacology; Depression (diagnostics, epidemiology, algorithmic standardisation of treatment); psychiatric therapy (methodology of clinical trials, criteria of evaluation); psychiatric diagnostics and classification (methodology); mental disorders in old age (Berlin Aging Study); dementia (differentiating from cognitive aging); subthreshold psychiatric disorders (diagnostics and relevance for health policy); ethical questions in psychiatry (clinical trials, informed consent, end of life), history of psychiatry

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