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- since 2012* *University of Bayreuth* *Bayreuth, Germany*
W1 Juniorprofessur for Polymer Systems
Physical Chemistry Department
- 2009 - 2011* *Massachusetts Institute of Technology* *Cambridge (MA), USA*
Postdoctoral Associate, DMSE
Supervisor: Prof. Edwin L. Thomas
- 2006 - 2009* *Max Planck Institute for Polymer Research* *Mainz, Germany*
PhD studies
Supervisor: Prof. Wolfgang Knoll, Prof. Ulrich Jonas
Thesis: Complex Materials via Colloidal Crystallization
- 2005 – 2008* *University of Bayreuth* *Bayreuth, Germany*
Member of the elite study program Macromolecular Science within the Elite Network Bavaria (ENB)
- 2004 – 2005* *The University of Sydney* *Sydney, Australia*
Study abroad semester at the Key Centre for Polymer Colloids (KCPC)
Supervisor: Prof. Robert G. Gilbert
Research topic: Synthesis of Novel Sterically Stabilized Latexes
- 2001 – 2006* *University of Bayreuth* *Bayreuth, Germany*
Diploma studies of Polymer and Colloid Chemistry
Supervisor: Prof. Axel H.E. Müller
Thesis: Interaction of Nanoparticles with Controlled Layers of Poly(acrylic acid) on Gold Surfaces
- Honors and Awards***
- 2012* *Feodor Lynen return scholarship from the Alexander von Humboldt foundation*
- 2009 - 2011* *Feodor Lynen scholarship from the Alexander von Humboldt foundation*
- 2007 – 2009* *Kekulé mobility scholarship of the Fonds der Chemischen Industrie*
- 2007* *Otto Warburg-Chemie-Stiftung award for the best Chemistry diploma student at the University of Bayreuth*
- 2005* *Participant of the 55th Nobel laureate meeting in Lindau, Germany*
- 2001 – 2009* *Scholar of e-fellows.net*
- 2001 – 2006* *Scholar of the Bayrischen Begabtenförderung*
- 2000* *Participant of the Marquartstein seminar, Marquartstein, Germany*