

## CURRICULUM VITAE

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### PERSONAL DETAILS:

Date & place of birth            29.04.1940, Pruszków, Poland  
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### EDUCATIONAL DETAILS:

1964                                MSc – Warsaw University  
1972                                PhD – Université de Genève  
1995                                DSc – Warsaw University  
1999                                Professor – Institute of Parasitology, Polish Academy of Science

### EMPLOYMENT DETAILS:

1964-1968:                        Institute of Parasitology, PAS, Warsaw, Poland  
*Assistant & Senior Research Assistant;*  
1968-1983  
1988-1993                        Université de Genève, Comparative Anatomy & Physiology Department, Geneva,  
Switzerland  
*Senior Research Assistant & Head of Research [= "Chef de Travaux"]*  
1984-1988:                        Medical School, University of the Witwatersrand, Johannesburg, South Africa;  
*Senior Lecturer*  
1993 – till now:                Institute of Parasitology, PAS, Warsaw, Poland  
*Assistant Professor, Associate Professor and Professor;*

### TEACHING:

1968-1983 & 1988-1993        Université de Genève  
– Comparative Anatomy & Physiology of Invertebrates, Vertebrates,  
– General Parasitology;  
1984-1988                        Medical School, University of the Witwatersrand  
– Human Histology,  
– Human Embryology  
– Medical Parasitology;  
1993 – till now                Warsaw Medical University  
– Medical Parasitology;

## RESEARCH GRANTS:

1966/67	Research Grant for Specialization in TEM, Royal Veterinary College, Stockholm, Sweden;
1972-73	Postdoctoral Research Grant Tulane University, New Orleans, LA., U.S.A. State University of New York at Albany, N.Y., U.S.A
1977-1983	„Embryogenesis in Cestodes” Swiss National Science Foundation [SNSF] , Grants no. 3.126.0.77/80
1977	Field Control of Taeniasis/Echinococcosis in Turkana Region, Kenya; Travel Grant for participation in the United Nations Environmental Programme supported by FAO/UNEP/WHO
1978	Collection of research material and studies at the Swiss Center for Scientific Research in the Ivory Coast Travel Grant from SNSF;
1979-1983	„Embryogenesis in Medically Important Schistosomes” UNDP/World Bank/WHO Special Programme for Research and Training in Tropical Diseases
1984	University of the Witwatersrand Medical Faculty Endowment Fund, Johannesburg, South Africa
1984-1987	„Embryogenesis in Medically Important Schistosomes with Emphasis on <i>Schistosoma mattheei</i> ” South African Medical Research Council
1998-2002	”Comparative ultrastructural and cytochemical studies on the invasive larval stages of selected species of trematodes and cestodes” Polish Committee for Scientific Research [KBN]
1999-2003	”Molecular systematics of trematodes with particular emphasis on the suborder Plagiorchiata” Polish Committee for Scientific Research [KBN]

## AWARDS:

Gold Cross of Merit on the occasion of 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Polish Academy of Sciences,

## MEMBERSHIP OF PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES:

- Member of European Life Sciences Organisation [ELSO]; Member of the
- International Society of Invertebrate Reproduction & Development [ISIRD];
- Member of Polish Parasitological Society
- Former Member of American Society of Parasitologists
- Former Member of British Society for Parasitology

## CURRENT POSITIONS IN SCIENTIFIC SOCIETY:

- [1] Editor-in-Chief of the International Journal „Acta Parasitologica”
- [2] Head of Dept. of Reproductive and Developmental Biology of Parasites
- [3] Member of the Scientific Research Council in the Institute of Parasitology of the Polish Academy of Sciences;
- [4] Regional Representative of the International Society of Invertebrate Reproduction & Development [ISIRD] for Central & Eastern Europe and All Russia

## PUBLICATIONS:

377 Original Referred Papers,  
17 Reviews, including 1 Invited Review Article for the International Journal for Parasitology