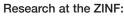
ZINF YOUNG INVESTIGATOR GROUP LEADERS ALUMNI

Since the founding of the Research Center for Infectious Diseases, many former Young Investigator group leaders have been appointed to highly competitive positions at various universities and industrial companies.



HEIDRUN MOLL Former position (retired):

C3-Professorship at the University of Würzburg, Institute of Molecular Infection Biology (IMIB)



1993 - 1998 Pathogenicity of *Leishmania*



MICHAEL LANZER

Current position:

C4-Professorship at the University of Heidelberg, University Hospital Heidelberg, Center for Infectious Diseases, Parasitology Unit Research at the ZINF:

1994 - 1999 Pathogenicity of human malaria parasites



JOACHIM REIDL

Current position:

Vice-Rector for Research, Professorship at the University of Graz, Institute of Molecular Biosciences

Research at the ZINF:

1996 - 2003

Virulence of Gram-negative bacteria



JOACHIM MORSCHHÄUSER

Current position:

C3-Professorship at the University of Würzburg, Institute of Molecular Infection Biology (IMIB)

Research at the ZINF:

1997 - 2000

Pathogenicity of Candida



KATJA BECKER

Current position:

C4-Professorship at the University of Gießen, since 2020 President of the German Research Foundation, Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft

Research at the ZINF:

1999 - 2000

Malarial parasites as targets for the development of antiparasitic drugs



KLAUS ERB

Current position:

Sen. Project Manager, Boehringer Ingelheim Pharma, Dept. of Cancer Immunology & Immunemodulation, Adj. Prof. at the University of Würzburg Research at the ZINF:

1999 - 2004

Immunology of intracellular pathogens and allergic disorders



MATTHIAS LEIPPE

Current position:

C4-Professorship at the University of Kiel, Institute of Zoology

Research at the ZINF:

2001 - 2003

Molecular parasitology



CHRISTOF HAUCK

Current position:

W3-Professorship at the University of Konstanz, Cell Biology

Research at the ZINF:

2001 - 2006

Pathogen-host communication



SVEN HAMMERSCHMIDT

Current position:

W3-Professorship at the University of Greifswald, Interfaculty Institute of Genetics and Functional Genomics



2003 - 2007

Pathogenicity of Streptococcus pneumoniae



UTE HENTSCHEL HUMEIDA

Current position:

W3-Professorship at the University of Kiel and the GEOMAR Helmholtz Centre for Ocean Research Kiel, Marine Symbioses Research Unit

Research at the ZINF:

2004 - 2008 Novel antiinfectives



GABRIELE PRADEL

Current position:

W2-Professorship at the RWTH Aachen University, Cellular and Applied Infection Biology

Research at the ZINF:

2005 - 2011

Malaria: Transmission blocking strategies



ANN-KRISTIN MÜLLER

Current position:

Lab Operations Manager at BioLabs Heidelberg

Research at the ZINF:

2007 - 2008

Biology of rodent malaria parasites



SVEN KRAPPMANN

Current position:

W2-Professorship at the University Hospital Erlangen, Institute of Microbiology,

Clinical Microbiology, Immunology and Hygiene

Research at the ZINF:

2007 - 2012

Aspects of Aspergillus fumigatus pathogenicity



DANIEL LOPEZ

Current position:

Tenured Scientist Group Leader, Spanish National Research Council (CSIC), Spanish National Centre for Biotechnology (CNB), Dept. of Microbial Biotechnology

Research at the ZINF:

2010 - 2015

Bacterial cell differentiation



CYNTHIA SHARMA

Current position:

W3-Professorship at the University of Würzburg, Institute of Molecular Infection Biology (IMIB), Chair of Molecular Infection Biology II

Research at the ZINF:

2010 - 2016

Deep sequencing approaches to pathogenesis



ANA EULALIO

Current position:

Principal Investigator at the University of Coimbra, Center for Neuroscience and Cell Biology (CNC)

Research at the ZINF:

2012 - 2017

Host RNA metabolism



NICOLAI SIEGEL

Current position:

W2-Professorship at the Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität München, Biomedical Center Munich (BMC), Experimental Parasitology

Research at the ZINF:

2012 - 2017

Trypanosoma gene regulation