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Title/Position	Professor of Physiology and Dean, Charité

## Education, professional career

1979	Medical examination, University of Cologne
2/1980	Doctoral degree (Dr. med., summa cum laude)
1980	Postdoctoral Fellow, University of Cologne
1985	Research Assistant (C1), Dept. of Physiology, FU
7/1990	Habilitation, Medical Faculty, Freie Universität Berlin (FU)
1991	Lecturer of Physiology (C2), Dept. of Physiology, FU
1995	Associate Professor, Dept. of Physiology, FU
1997-1998	Senior Physician, Anaesthesiology, German Heart Centre Berlin (DHZB)
12/1998	Full Professor, Dept. of Physiology, FU
1984-2014	University of Arizona, Tucson, Consultant for NIH grants with Tim Secomb, (yearly stays of one month at UofA).

## Leading functions

2001-2015	Head, Institute of Physiology, Charité-Berlin
2003-2015	Board Member, Faculty of Medicine, Charité-Berlin
2008-2015	Vice Director, Centre for Preclinical Medicine, Charité-Berlin
2009-2013	Vice Director, Centre for Cardiovascular Research, CCR, Charité-Berlin
2014	Chair, 'Studienausschuss Modellstudiengang Medizin'
2015-present	Dean, Charité-Berlin

## Honours, Awards, Fellowships

1980	Thesis Award "Hochhausstiftung", University of Cologne
1986	Abbott Microcirculation Award, European Society for Microcirculation
1995	Lafon Hemorheology-Microcirculation Award, International Society for Clinical Haemorheology
2000	Fellow, European Society of Cardiology
2008	Visiting Fellowship, Isaac Newton Institute for Mathematical Sciences, Cambridge/UK
2008	Award of the Asian Union for Microcirculation
2011	Malpighi Award, European Society for Microcirculation
2015	William Harvey Basic Science Lecture and Silver Medal, European Society of Cardiology (ESC)
2015	Kitanomaru Award, 10 <sup>th</sup> World Conf. for Microcirculation, Kyoto, Japan

## Editorial boards

### Cardiovascular Research (*associate editor*)

Journal of Vascular Research; Microcirculation; Pflügers Archive European Journal of Physiology; Biorheology; PLoS Computational Biology; The Keio Journal of Medicine, Journal of Cardiovascular Medicine; Frontiers in Vascular Physiology, Frontiers in Computational Physiology and Medicine; Bulletin of the Portuguese Society of Hemorheology and Microcirculation

## Leading Functions in Scientific Societies

### ***European Society of Cardiology (ESC)***

Congress Programme Committee

Basic Science Coordinator

2005-2010; 2012-2014

Council on Basic Cardiovascular Science (CBCS)

Nucleus

2004-present

Chair

2010-2012

Frontiers of Cardiovascular Biology (FCVB), Chairperson

2010

Working Group on Coronary Pathophysiology and Microcirculation

Nucleus

1994-2002; 2007-2012; 2014-2018

Chair

1998-2000

CardioScape

Scientific Committee

2012-2014

Chair

2015-present

European affairs committee

2014-2016

Advocacy committee

2016-present

### ***Alliance for Biomedical Research in Europe, Board***

Member of the Board of Directors

2016-present

President

2017-present

2018-2019

### ***International Union of Physiological Societies (IUPS)***

Commission on Microcirculation and Capillary Transport

Physiome and Bioengineering Committee

2004-2010

### ***European Society for Microcirculation (ESM)***

Strategy committee

1995-1998; 2011-2015

General Secretary

1998-2011

### ***International Liaison Committee for Microcirculation (ILCM)***

Member

200-2006; 2015-present

Chair

2006-2015

### ***German Society for Microcirculation and vascular biology***

Board

1990-1994; 2011-2015

General Secretary

1996-2011

## Organization

Conferences (president, co-president and organization)

6

Symposia (organizer)

45

Member of international scientific program committees

38

## Major Research fields

Microcirculation, Organ perfusion, Endothelial function, Endothelial surface, Vascular adaptation, Angiogenesis, Tumour microcirculation, Blood rheology

## Cooperations (selected)

Mark Dewhirst, Duke University, Durham, USA; David Boas, Harvard University, Cambridge, USA; Klaus Ley, LIAI, San Diego, USA; Tim Secomb, University of Arizona, Tucson, USA; Saul Yedgar, Hebrew University, Jerusalem, Israel; Valentin Djonov, University of Bern, Switzerland; Ferdi Le Noble: KIT Karlsruhe, Germany.

## Selected Major Publications (H-Index: 50, Citations > 8400)

*Coronary microcirculatory pathophysiology: can we afford it to remain a black box?* Pries AR and Reglin B. **European Heart Journal** 2017 Feb 14; 38(7): 478-488.

*Coronary vascular regulation, remodelling, and collateralization: mechanisms and clinical implications on behalf of the working group on coronary pathophysiology and microcirculation.* Pries AR, et al. **European Heart Journal** 2015; 36(45): 3134-3146.

*Making microvascular networks work: angiogenesis, remodeling, and pruning.* Pries AR and Secomb TW. **Physiology (Bethesda)** 2014; 29(6): 446-455.

*Metabolic control of microvascular networks: oxygen sensing and beyond.* Reglin B and Pries AR. **J Vasc Res** 2014; 51(5): 376-392.

*Presentation, management, and outcomes of ischaemic heart disease in women.* Vaccarino V, Badimon L, Corti R, de Wit C, Dorobantu M, Manfrini O, Koller A, Pries A, Cenko E, Bugiardini R. **Nature Rev Cardiol** 2013; 10(9): 508-518.

*Angiogenesis: an adaptive dynamic biological patterning problem.* Secomb TW, Alberding JP, Hsu R, Dewhirst MW, Pries AR. **PLoS Comput Biol** 2013; 9(3): e1002983.

*Precapillary oxygenation contributes relevantly to gas exchange in the intact lung.* Tabuchi A, Styp-Rekowska B, Slutsky AS, Wagner PD, Pries AR\*, Kuebler WM\* (\*these authors share senior authorship). **Am J Respir Crit Care Med** 2013; 188(4): 474-481.

*Excessive erythrocytosis compromises the blood-endothelium interface in erythropoietin-overexpressing mice.* Richter V, Savery MD, Gassmann M, Baum O, Damiano ER, Pries AR. **J Physiol** 2011; 589(21): 5181-5192.

*Pulsatile shear and Gja5 modulate arterial identity and remodeling events during flow-driven arteriogenesis.* Buschmann I\*, Pries A\*, Styp-Rekowska B et al (\*these authors contributed equally). **Development** 2010; 137(13): 2187-2196.

*The shunt problem: control of functional shunting in normal and tumour vasculature.* Pries AR, Hopfner M, Le Noble F, Dewhirst MW, Secomb TW. **Nature Rev Cancer** 2010; 10(8): 587-593.

*Origins of heterogeneity in tissue perfusion and metabolism.* Pries AR and Secomb TW. **Cardiovasc Res** 2009; 81(2): 328-335.

*Blood flow in microvascular networks.* Pries AR and Secomb TW. In: **Handbook of Physiology: Microcirculation**, edited by Tuma RF, Durán WN and Ley K., Elsevier, 2008, Chap 1, 3-36.

*Remodeling of blood vessels: responses of diameter and wall thickness to hemodynamic and metabolic stimuli.* Pries AR, Reglin B, Secomb TW. **Hypertension** 2005; 46(4): 726-731.

*The endothelial surface layer.* Pries AR, Secomb TW, Gaehtgens P. **Pflugers Arch** 2000; 440(5): 653-666.

*Design principles of vascular beds.* Pries AR, Secomb TW, Gaehtgens P. **Circ Res** 1995; 77(5): 1017-1023.

*Resistance to blood flow in microvessels in vivo.* Pries AR, Secomb TW, Gessner T, Sperandio MB, Gross JF, Gaehtgens P. **Circ Res** 1994; 75(5): 904-915.