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Education

- 18.2.1999 Dr. rer. nat. (Ph.D., *summa cum laude*), University of Bayreuth, Germany
Thesis: The partitioning of aromatic compounds between aqueous solutions and surfactant covered solid phases: Dependence of adsolubilization on the characteristics of the solid surface
- 31.10.1994 Diploma in Geoecology (MSc, passed with distinction), University of Bayreuth, Germany. Main subject: Hydrology / Meteorology
Thesis: The physicochemical behaviour of aluminium in the aquifer and in the vadose zone of the quaternary sediments in the Senne (Westfalen, Germany)

Employment

- 2012 International Visiting Research Fellow, 1 March – 1 June, Southern Cross Geoscience, Lismore, Australia
- 2008 Visiting scientist, Department of Earth and Environmental Sciences, University of Illinois in Chicago, Chicago, IL, USA; and BioSciences Division, Argonne National Laboratory, Argonne, IL, USA
- 2004-today Assistant Professor (tenured), Faculty of Geosciences, Department of Earth Sciences, Utrecht University, The Netherlands
- 2002-2004 Research Officer, Faculty of Earth Sciences, Utrecht University, The Netherlands
- 2000-2002 Postdoctoral fellow at the Geochemistry Group, Faculty of Earth Sciences, Utrecht University, The Netherlands
- 1994-2000 Scientific Assistant at the Department of Hydrology, University of Bayreuth, Germany