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Education and Training

1987 Diploma in Biology (Dipl. Biol.) University of Stuttgart, Stuttgart, Germany
1992 Ph.D. (Dr. rer. nat.) Biology, University of Stuttgart, Stuttgart, Germany; Mentor: Werner J. Schmidt
Thesis: "Verhaltenspharmakologische und neurochemische Charakterisierung der Funktion von Dopamin im medialen präfrontalen Cortex der Ratte"
1992-1994 Postdoctoral Fellow, Department of Neuropharmacology, University of Tübingen, Tübingen, Germany. Supervisor: Werner J. Schmidt
1994-1995 Postdoctoral fellow (van den Houten Foundation), Netherlands Institute for Brain Research, Amsterdam, The Netherlands. Supervisor: Matthijs G. P. Feenstra
1995 Postdoctoral Fellow, Department of Psychiatry, Yale University School of Medicine, New Haven, CT, U.S.A. Supervisor: Ariel Y. Deutch
1996 Postdoctoral Associate, Department of Psychiatry, Yale University School of Medicine, New Haven, CT, U.S.A. Supervisor: Ariel Y. Deutch
1996-2002 Research Fellow, Department of Psychiatry, Vanderbilt University School of Medicine, Nashville, TN, U.S.A. Supervisor: Ariel Y. Deutch

Academic Appointments

1985-1987 Teaching Assistant, University of Stuttgart, Biological Institute, PI Dr. Peter Kunze, Experimental course in Animal Physiology (for undergraduates)
1989-1994 Teaching Assistant, University of Tübingen, Division of Zoology, PI Dr Werner Schmidt, Experimental Course in Behavioural Pharmacology (for undergraduates)
2002-2009 Research Instructor, Department of Psychiatry, Vanderbilt University School of Medicine, Nashville, TN, U.S.A. Supervisor: Ariel Y. Deutch
2009-2011 Research Instructor, Department of Pharmacology, Vanderbilt University School of Medicine, Nashville, TN, U.S.A. Supervisors: P. Jeffrey Conn / Carrie K. Jones
2011-2018 Research Assistant Professor, Department of Pharmacology and Vanderbilt Center for Neuroscience Drug Discovery, Vanderbilt University School of Medicine, Nashville, TN, U.S.A. Supervisors: P. Jeffrey Conn / Carrie K. Jones

Professional Organizations

Deutsche Gesellschaft für Experimentelle und Klinische Pharmacologie und Toxicologie 1992-present

Reviewing Activities

Ad hoc for the following journals:

Archives Internationales de Pharmacodynamie et de Therapie, Biological Psychiatry, Brain Research, CNS Drugs, European Journal of Pharmacology, Experimental Neurology, Frontiers in Systems Neuroscience, International Journal of Neuropsychopharmacology, Journal of Neural Transmission, Journal of Neurochemistry, Neuropsychopharmacology, Neuroscience, Pharmacological Reports, Progress in Neurobiology, Schizophrenia Bulletin, Scientific Reports, Synapse

Awards or Recognitions for professional activities:

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| 1988 | Diploma thesis awarded with a prize by the "Friends and Alumni of the University of Stuttgart" |
| 1990 | Travel award by the European Science Foundation for attending the Annual Meeting of the European Neuroscience Association in Stockholm, Sweden |
| 1994 | Postdoctoral fellowship award (Van Den Houten Foundation), Amsterdam, The Netherlands |
| 1997 | Young Investigator Award, International Congress on Schizophrenia Research, Colorado Springs, CO, U.S.A. |
| 1998 | Young Investigator Award, National Alliance for Research on Schizophrenia and Depression (NARSAD) 07/1998 - 06/2000 |

Teaching Activities

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| 1992-1994 | University of Tübingen, Department of Neuropharmacology, PI Dr Werner Schmidt, Design and coordination of neurochemical research projects; advisor for neurochemical and behavioural research projects of graduate students |
| 1992-1993 | University of Tübingen, Faculty of Biology (winter semester 1992-1993) Graduate student seminar (weekly), "Intracerebral microdialysis and related techniques: theoretical aspects and application to neuroscience" |

Vanderbilt University School of Medicine Courses:

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| 1999 | Neuropharmacology section of the pharmacology course for graduate students "Animal behavioural models of neurological and neuropsychiatric disorders" |
| 2009 | Short Course: An Organ Systems Approach to Experimental Targeting of the Metabolic Syndrome |
| 2011 | Short Course: An Organ Systems Approach to Experimental Targeting of the Metabolic Syndrome |
| 2011 | PHAR 327 Modern Drug Discovery: In vivo pharmacology |
| 2012 | Short Course: An Organ Systems Approach to Experimental Targeting of the Metabolic Syndrome |

Research Supervision

Postdoctoral Fellows:

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| 2002-2009 | Hui-Dong Wang |
| 2009-2011 | Kera Lawson |

Vanderbilt Undergraduate Student Researchers:

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| 2002-2004 | Sheila Kusnoor |
| 2010-2011 | Nikhila Reddy |
| 2012-2014 | Rachael Saporito |
| 2013-2016 | Xuewen Gong |
| 2015-2016 | Caroline Bertsch |
| 2016-2018 | Lee S. Schmidt |
| 2019-present | Edith Duncan |

Graduate Students:

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| 2004-2009 | Sheila Kusnoor |
| 2005-2006 | Jennifer Madison |
| 2006-2008 | Brian Mathur |
| 2010-2016 | Michael D. Grannan |
| 2011-2014 | Michael Nedelcovych |
| 2018-present | Laura Teal |
| 2019-present | Jason Russell |

Research Staff Scientists:

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| 2003-2005 | Tamara Geraci |
| 2009-2013 | Rebekah Lambert |
| 2009-2013 | Sarah Jo Howard |
| 2010-2015 | Jermaine Wilson |
| 2011-2015 | Weimin Peng |
| 2013-2014 | Grant Muller |
| 2013-2014 | Rafael Perez |
| 2014-2016 | Josh Luffman |
| 2017-present | Rebecca Sales |
| 2018-present | Hudson Robb |
| 2019-present | Madeline Ragland |
| 2019-present | Davin Bryant |
| 2019-present | Avi Prajapati |

Summer Student Researchers:

Charee Stanley
Tabitha Jarman

Bibliography

Bibliometrics (based on Web of Knowledge Database)

- Total citations (1989-2018): 2715
- Average citations per manuscript: 30.17
- h-index: 26

Bibliometrics (based on Google Scholar)

- Total citations (1994-2018): 3702
- h-index: 31
- i10-index: 58

Primary Publications:

1. Schmidt WJ, **Bubser M**. Anticatalytic effects of the N-methyl-D-aspartate antagonist MK-801 in rats. *Pharmacol Biochem Behav.* 1989. 32:621-623.
2. **Bubser M**, Schmidt WJ. 6-hydroxydopamine lesion of the rat prefrontal cortex increases locomotor activity, impairs acquisition of delayed alternation tasks but does not affect uninterrupted maze tasks. *Behav Brain Res.* 1990. 37:157-168.
3. Schmidt WJ, **Bubser M**, Hauber W. Excitatory amino acids and Parkinson's disease. *Trends Neurosci.* 1990. 13:46-47.

4. Schmidt WJ, **Bubser M**, Hauber W. Excitatory amino acid antagonists and Parkinson's disease - Reply. *Trends Neurosci.* 1990. 13:327.
5. **Bubser M**, Keseberg U, Notz PK, Schmidt, WJ. Differential behavioural and neurochemical effects of competitive and non-competitive NMDA receptor antagonists in rats. *Eur J Pharmacol.* 1992. 229:75-82.
6. Schmidt WJ, **Bubser M**, Hauber W. Behavioural pharmacology of glutamate in the basal ganglia. *J Neural Transm [Suppl].* 1992. 38:65-89.
7. **Bubser M**, Bartmann M. Effect of carbon in-line filters on the analysis of catecholamines by high-performance liquid chromatography with coulometric electrochemical detection. *J Chromatogr.* 1993. 615:339-342.
8. **Bubser M**. 6-Hydroxydopamine lesions of the medial prefrontal cortex of rats do not affect dopamine metabolism in the basal ganglia at short and long postsurgical intervals. *Neurochem Res.* 1994. 19:421-425.
9. **Bubser M**, Koch M. Prepulse inhibition of the acoustic startle response of rats is reduced by 6-hydroxydopamine lesions of the medial prefrontal cortex. *Psychopharmacology.* 1994. 113:487-492.
10. **Bubser M**, Schmidt WJ. Injection of apomorphine into the medial prefrontal cortex of the rat increases haloperidol-induced catalepsy. *Biol Psychiatry.* 1994. 36:64-67.
11. Hauber W, **Bubser M**, Schmidt WJ. 6-hydroxydopamine lesion of the rat prefrontal cortex impairs motor initiation but not motor execution. *Exp Brain Res.* 1994. 99:524-528.
12. Koch M, **Bubser M**. Deficient sensorimotor gating after 6-hydroxydopamine lesion of the rat medial prefrontal cortex is reversed by haloperidol. *Eur J Neurosci.* 1994. 6:1837-1845.
13. **Bubser M**, Tzschentke T, Hauber W. Behavioural and neurochemical interactions of the AMPA antagonist GYKI 52466 and the non-competitive NMDA antagonist dizicilpine in rats. *J Neural Transm (Gen Sect).* 1995. 101:115-126.
14. Kretschmer BD, **Bubser M**, Schmidt WJ. Behavioral and neurochemical aspects of the strychnine-insensitive glycine receptor antagonist 7-chlorokynurenate in rats. *Eur J Pharmacol.* 1995. 280:37-45.
15. **Bubser M**, Feenstra MGP, Erdtsieck-Ernste, EBHW, Botterblom MHA, van Uum HFM, Pool, CW. Modulatory role of catecholamines in the transsynaptic expression of c-fos in the rat medial prefrontal cortex induced by disinhibition of the mediodorsal thalamus: a study employing microdialysis and immunohistochemistry. *Brain Res.* 1997. 749:214-225.
16. **Bubser M**, Zadow B, Kronthaler UO, Felsheim U, Rückert NGH Schmidt WJ. Behavioural pharmacology of the non-competitive NMDA antagonists dextrorphan and ADCI: relations between locomotor stimulation, anticataleptic potential and forebrain dopamine metabolism. *Naunyn-Schmiedeberg's Arch Pharmacol.* 1997. 355:767-773.
17. Feenstra M, **Bubser M**, Erdtsieck-Ernste E, van der Wal A, Botterblom M, van Uum H. Neuronal activation visualized by Fos expression after intracerebral microdialysis of drugs. In: Teelken and Korf (eds) *Neurochemistry: Cellular, molecular, and clinical aspects*, Plenum Press, New York, 1997. 1161-1166.
18. Rückert NGH, **Bubser M**, Schmidt WJ. 6-hydroxydopamine lesions of locus coeruleus and the antiparkinsonian potential of NMDA-receptor antagonists. *J Neural Transm.* 1997. 104: 363-377.
19. **Bubser M**, Deutch AY. Thalamic paraventricular nucleus neurons collateralize to innervate the prefrontal cortex and nucleus accumbens. *Brain Res.* 1998. 787:304-310.
20. **Bubser M**, de Brabander JM, Timmerman W, Feenstra MGP, Erdtsieck-Ernste EBHW, Rinkens A, van Uum JFM, Westerink BHC. Disinhibition of the mediodorsal thalamus induces Fos-like immunoreactivity

in both pyramidal and GABA-containing neurons in the medial prefrontal cortex of rats, but does not affect prefrontal extracellular GABA levels. *Synapse*. 1998. 30:156-165.

21. Deutch AY, **Bubser M**, Young CD. Psychostimulant-induced Fos expression in the thalamic paraventricular nucleus. *J Neurosci*. 1998. 18:10680-10687.
22. Abi-Saab WM, **Bubser M**, Roth RH, Deutch AY. 5-HT₂ receptor regulation of extracellular GABA levels in the prefrontal cortex. *Neuropsychopharmacology*. 1999. 20:92-96.
23. **Bubser M**, Deutch AY. Stress induces Fos expression in neurons of the thalamic paraventricular nucleus that innervate limbic forebrain sites. *Synapse*. 1999. 32:13-22.
24. Young CD, **Bubser M**, Meltzer HY, Deutch AY. Clozapine pretreatment modifies haloperidol-elicited Fos induction: a regionally-specific double dissociation. *Psychopharmacology*. 1999. 144:255-263.
25. **Bubser M**, Scruggs JL, Young CD, Deutch AY. The distribution and origin of the calretinin-containing innervation of the nucleus accumbens of the rat. *Eur J Neurosci*. 2000. 12:1591-1598.
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27. **Bubser M**, Backstrom JR, Sanders-Bush E, Roth BL, Deutch AY. Distribution of serotonin 5-HT_{2A} receptors in afferents of the rat striatum. *Synapse*. 2001. 39:297-304.
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Invited Presentations:

1. "Control of behaviour by dopaminergic activity of the rat prefrontal cortex", September 5th 1989, REGIO NEUREX (France, Germany, Switzerland) Meeting, Freiburg i. Br. Germany.
2. "The contribution of the cortico-striatal "cognitive" loop to the acquisition of maze performance in rats", September 1991, Annual Meeting of the European Neuroscience Association, Cambridge, U.K.
3. "Neuropharmakologische Untersuchungen zur Funktion von Dopamin im präfrontalen Cortex der Ratte", July 23rd 1992, TROPON, Cologne, Germany.
4. "Behavioural pharmacology of dopamine and glutamate in the basal ganglia", February 9th 1993, Hoffmann-La Roche, Basel, Switzerland.

5. "Behavioural functions of dopamine and glutamate in the prefrontal system", March 15th 1993, SANDOZ Research Institute, Berne, Switzerland.
6. "Untersuchungen zur Dopamin-Glutamat-Interaktion in den Basalganglien: Verhaltenspharmakologische und neurochemische Effekte von NMDA-Antagonisten", July 2nd 1993, Institute for Pharmacology, University of Mainz, Mainz, Germany.
7. "Behavioural and biochemical correlates of NMDA receptor antagonism", August 24th 1993, Third Congress on Amino Acids, Vienna, Austria.
8. "Behavioural functions of dopamine and glutamate in the basal ganglia", September 7th 1993, German-Polish Symposium on Psychopharmacology, Zakopane, Poland.
9. "Verhaltenspharmakologische und neurochemische Wirkungen von NMDA-Antagonisten", September 16th 1993, 2nd Meeting on Neuropharmacology and Toxicology, Dresden, Germany.
10. "Transsynaptic changes in the medial prefrontal cortex in response to thalamic stimulation", April 19th 1995, Department of Anatomy and Embryology, Free University, Amsterdam, The Netherlands.
11. "Zur Funktion von Dopamin im präfrontalen Cortex: Von der Verhaltenspharmakologie bis zur Genexpression", June 7th 1995, Psychiatric Hospital, University of Mainz, Mainz, Germany.
12. "The paraventricular nucleus of the thalamus: anatomical and functional relations with the limbic forebrain", April 3rd, 1998, Department of Neuroscience, University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA, U.S.A.
13. "Thalamic regulation of limbic structures", Mai 28th 1998, Department of Neuropharmacology, University of Tübingen, Tübingen, Germany.
14. "Thalamic interactions with the limbic forebrain: anatomical and functional studies", March 31st 1999, Department of Biomedical Sciences, Marquette University, Milwaukee, WI, U.S.A.
15. "Mechanisms of action of antipsychotic drugs as determined by immediate-early gene expression: focus on motor side effects and weight gain", May 17th 2002, Department of Pharmacal Sciences, Auburn University, Auburn, AL, U.S.A.
16. "Orexin-dopamine interactions", July 22nd 2005, International Symposium Orexins/Hypocretins, Düsseldorf / Cologne, Germany.
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