

Curriculum Vitae Professor Dr. Dr. Heinz Schott

Name: Heinz Schott

Born: 8. August 1946 in Bergzabern (Pfalz)



Scientific focus: History of psychiatry, psychotherapy, and psychoanalysis; medicine in the age of Goethe, in particular history of mesmerism; medicine in early modern times, in particular history of paracelsianism and "natural magic"; medical anthropology in historical perspective

Academic and Professional Career

since 1987	Professor (C4) for the History of Medicine and Director of the Institute of the History of Medicine, University of Bonn, Germany
1982	Habilitation and venia legendi for the History of Medicine
1978 - 1987	Research assistant at the Institute of the History of Medicine, University of Freiburg im Breisgau (Director: Prof. Dr. E. Seidler), Germany
1978	Obtained Dr. phil. at the Faculty of Philosophy of Heidelberg University (Doctoral supervisor: Prof. Dr. M. Theunissen), Germany
1972 - 1977	Philosophy degree studies at the University of Munich and Heidelberg University, Germany
1975	Licensed to practice as a doctor after completing the required medical internships
	ECFMG (American Educational Commission for Foreign Medical Graduates) certification
1974	Obtained doctorate (Dr. med.) at the Institute of Pathology, Heidelberg University (Doctoral supervisor: Prof. Dr. W. Jacob), Germany
1971	Medical examination (state examination) at the Technical University Munich (TUM), Germany
1966 - 1971	Medical degree studies (Heidelberg University, Technical University Munich (TUM), University of Glasgow)

Project coordination, Membership in collaborative research projects (selection)

2008 - 2010	Personal research project (with leave of absence): "Magie der Natur: Zur Ideengeschichte neuzeitlicher Medizin; Opus magnum project as part of the Pro Humanities funding initiative" (Volkswagen Foundation / Thyssen Foundation)
2004 - 2006	"Paracelsus: Chronologie und Echtheit" (German Research Foundation project)
2001 - 2004	"Paracelsus (Frühwerk)" (German Research Foundation project)
2000 - 2003	"Psychoanalytische Psychosomatik im Spannungsfeld von jüdischer Identität, Assimilation Und Antisemitismus"; Sub-project B 7 of the SFB 534 Judentum / Christentum (German Research Foundation)
1998 - 2000	"Wie erleben Menschen mit Down-Syndrom ihre Welt – wie sieht die Welt Menschen mit Down-Syndrom?" (Volkswagen Foundation)
1993 - 1995	"Jewish and Renaissance Thought in the Works of Paracelsus" (German-Israeli Foundation for Scientific Research and Development / GIF), in collaboration with Prof. Dr. I. Zinguer (Haifa)

Functions in Scientific Societies and committees (selection)

2010 - 2020	Leopoldina Presidium Appointee for Archive, Library and Long-Term Projects
since 2009	President of the Viktor von Weizsäcker Society
2002 - 2008	President of the German Association for the History of Medicine
1992 - 2000	Expert reviewer for the DFG; Chair of the Expert Committee since 1996
1991 - 1994	President of the German Society for the History of Medicine, Science and Technology

Honours and Awarded Memberships (selection)

since 2004	Member of the German National Academy of Sciences Leopoldina
2002	Justinus Kerner Prize of Weinsberg
since 1995	Member of the European Academy of Sciences and Arts – Academia Scientiarum et Artium
	Europaea, Salzburg, Austria