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EDUCATION/ACADEMIC TITLES

degree:	degree granting institution	year:
MD	Academy of Medicine Warsaw	1978
PhD	Academy of Medicine Warsaw	1984
Habilitation	Academy of Medicine Warsaw	1992
Professor of Medicine	President of Poland	2000
Specialization in internal medicine		1985
Specialization in Cardiology		2001
Specialization in Angiology		2002

ACADEMIC AND PROFESSIONAL APPOINTMENTS

1978-1997	Dept. Hypertension & Angiology, Academy of Medicine,
1979-81-87	assistant - senior assistant professor
1987-1991	ad joint professor
1991-1997	associated professor
1998-2011	Professor, Head of the Department of Chest Medicine Tuberculosis and Lung Diseases Research Institute
2012-present	Professor, Head of the Department of Pulmonary Circulation and Thromboembolic Diseases (Cardio-Angiology) , Center of Postgraduate Medical Education, European Health Center Otwock, Poland

MEMBERSHIPS

Polish Society of Cardiology – Member since 1979

Vice-President Warsaw Division of Polish Society of Cardiology (1991-94)

Chairman, Foreign Committee (1992 - 2000)

Member of the Board (1995 - 2007)

President of the Polish Society of Cardiology (2004 - 2007)

Honorary Member (since 2015)

French Society of Cardiology

Honorary Member (since 2008)

Mexican Society of Cardiology

Honorary Member (since 2011)

European Society of Cardiology

Fellow of the European Society of Cardiology (since 1994)

Congress Program Committee (1995 – 1998 and 2006 - 8)

Co-chairman and Chairman of the Working Group on Pulmonary Circulation
(1990-92 and 1992-94 respectively)

Chairman: Task Force on Diagnosis and Treatment of Pulmonary Embolism
(1997-2000, 2005-8)

Member of the:

Congress Program Committee (1995 – 1998 and 2006 - 8)

Education and Training Program Committee (1998-2000)

Scientific Initiatives Committee (1998-2002)

Committee of European Relations (2002-2008)

Committee for Clinical Practice Guidelines (2010-2014)

Co-chairman and Chairman of the Working Group on Pulmonary Circulation
(2000-2002 and 2002-2004, respectively)

Member of the Board of the ESC (2008-12)

Vice-President of the ESC (2010-2012)

International Cardio-Oncology Society (ICOS)

Coordinator of the East European Branch (since 2012)

Other memberships:

WHO Working Group on non-invasive assessment of pulmonary arterial pressure:

Subgroup for Echo-Doppler (1986-91)

WHO/ISFC Task Force on Pulmonary Embolism (1994)

Scientific Board – National Science Center (2010 - 14)

Editorial Boards

„Kardiologia Polska” i.e. “Polish Heart Journal” (since 1998)

„European Journal of Echocardiography” (1999-2008)

“European Heart Journal” (since 2003)

“European Respiratory Journal” (since 2012)

CONGRESSES

ESC Annual Congresses

Member of the Congress Program Committee (1995 – 1998 and 2006 - 8)

International Congress of Polish Cardiac Society (VIII, IX, X and XI, 2004 – 7)

Executive Organizing Committee

Pulmonary Circulation 2006 European Forum Warsaw

Chairman, Organizing Committee

GRANTS & FELLOWSHIPS

World Health Organization Fellowship - 2 months (Freiburg, DE)

1987

Fondazione Clinica del Lavoro - 20 months (Pavia, I)

1988/89

AWARDS

Dean of Academy of Medicine Scientific Award	1983, 1992, 1999
Polish Academy of Sciences Award	1988
Scientific Awards of the Polish Cardiac Society	1996, 2000, 2003, 2004
Golden Lancet – innovation in medicine	2015

PUBLICATIONS

Over 240 in Pubmed referenced journals, **Over 20000 citations, Hirsch Index = 54**

MAIN RESEARCH INTERESTS

Pulmonary Circulation
– acute pulmonary embolism
- chronic thromboembolic pulmonary hypertension
- pulmonary arterial hypertension
Right Ventricular Function
Thromboembolic diseases
Cardiovascular Imaging
Cardiovascular biomarkers

MAIN RESEARCH/EDUCATIONAL ACHIEVEMENTS

Identification and clinical validation of new echo-doppler sign of proximal pulmonary embolism
Eur Respir J/Am J Cardiol 1999- 2002
Characteristic and prognostic assessment of right heart thrombi in acute pulmonary embolism
JACC 2003
Detection and prognostic implication of troponin leak in chronic pulmonary hypertension
Circulation 2003
Sildenafil citrate for treatment of pulmonary arterial hypertension
NEJM 2005
Prognostic significance of NT-proBNP in pulmonary hypertension
Chest 2006
Prognostic significance of pulmonary arterial dilatation in pulmonary hypertension
Chest 2012
ESC Guidelines on diagnosis and management of acute pulmonary embolism
Eur Heart J 2000, 2008, 2015
ESC Guidelines on Pulmonary Hypertension
Eur Heart j 2004 and 2009, 2016