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- 2007 - 2009 Associate Professor (tenured) Department of Food Science, University of Wisconsin, Madison /USA
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- Deputy Spokesperson of Section C of the Leibniz Association
- Member of the organization committee of the Wartburg Symposium 2023
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- Associate Editor of the Journal of Agricultural and Food Chemistry
- Member of the Scientific Advisory Board of the Research Association of the German Food Industry (FEI) funded by the German Federal Ministry of Economy and Technology