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Proposed Membership of the TDR Scientific and Technical Advisory Committee (STAC)

From July 2023

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1. Introduction

The overall responsibility of TDR's Scientific and Technical Advisory Committee (STAC) is to review and advise TDR on the planning, implementation and performance assessment of the Programme's strategic functions from a scientific and technical standpoint. The STAC is comprised of globally recognized experts, who serve in their personal capacities to represent a broad range of biomedical and other disciplines required for TDR's activities. STAC members are nominated by the Director of TDR and appointed by the TDR Joint Coordinating Board (JCB), in close consultation with the Standing Committee and the Chair of STAC. TDR Director and STAC Chair may co-opt experts on an *ad hoc* basis if and when needed and within the budget allocated to STAC.

The list and CVs of current and proposed STAC members is attached. An analysis is also provided on the geographical balance, gender, main areas of expertise and diseases covered by the proposed membership.

To better align with the Programme's governance cycle, the Joint Coordinating Board agreed at its 45th session in June 2022, that from July 2022, the tenure of STAC members will begin on 1 July and end on 30 June.

Terms of reference for STAC and Scientific Working Groups (SWGs) can be found on our website at:

<https://tdr.who.int/groups/scientific-and-technical-advisory-committee>.

2. Current and proposed membership of STAC

Current members whose term will end on 31 December 2023

(until 31 December)

MGONE, Professor Charles, Tanzania (Chair)	2014–2023
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Continuing members

(until 30 June)

BARNES, Professor Karen, South Africa	2022–2024
GYAPONG, Professor Margaret, Ghana	2022–2024
JACKSON, Professor Debra, USA	2022–2024
KERIE, Dr Mirkuzie Woldie, Ethiopia	2021–2024
LYNCH, Professor Caroline, Ireland	2021–2024
MAITIN, Dr Thabi, South Africa	2022–2024
OKIRO, Dr Emelda, Kenya	2021–2024
WINKLER, Professor Andrea, German	2022–2024

Current members whose term will be extended

(until 30 June)

BEN SALAH, Professor Afif, Tunisia	2018–2025
CHAMAS, Professor Claudia, Brazil	2016–2025
CHAREONVIRIYAPHAP, Dr Theeraphap, Thailand	2022–2025
EYANGO, Dr Sara Irène, Cameroon	2016–2024
MOLYNEUX, Dr Catherine (Sassy), United Kingdom	2020–2025
MWINGA, Dr Alwyn, Zambia	2020–2025
ROBINSON, Professor Leanne, Australia	2022–2025
SQUIRE, Professor Stephen (Bertie), United Kingdom	2017–2025
TUFET, Dr Marta, Spain	2022–2025

13 women, 5 men

11 low-, middle-, upper-income;
7 high-income countries

AFR 7; AMR 2; EMR 1;
EUR 5; SEAR 2; WPR 1

Annex 1. STAC member expertise and experience alignment to TDR's strategic priority areas

First name	Last name	Functional areas					Cross-cutting areas	
		<i>Implementation research and public health research</i>	<i>Research on vector-borne diseases</i>	<i>Innovative research capacity building/strengthening and research ethics</i>	<i>Science, technology, innovation and global health policy and management</i>	<i>Social/behavioural sciences research, political science, health economics/health systems research</i>	<i>Ethics, research management, knowledge translation, regulatory affairs, partnership programmes (North-South, South-South)</i>	<i>Multiple sectors; diversity of gender, stakeholder and geographical origin</i>
Karen	Barnes	+			+		+	
Afif	Ben Salah	+	+	+			+	+
Claudia	Chamas				+		+	+
Theeraphap	Chareonviriyaphap		+	+				+
Sara Irène	Eyangoh	+			+			+
Margaret	Gyapong	+		+		+		+
Debra	Jackson	+		+	+	+	+	+
Mirkuzie Woldie	Kerie	+				+		+
Caroline	Lynch	+			+		+	
Thabi	Maitin			+			+	+
Charles	Mgone		+	+	+	+	+	+
Sassy	Molyneux	+				+	+	+
Alwyn	Mwinga	+	+	+			+	+
Emelda	Okiro			+		+		+
Leanne	Robinson		+			+	+	
Bertie	Squire	+	+	+		+		+
Marta	Tufet			+	+		+	
Andrea	Winkler				+		+	+

Annex 2.

Curriculum Vitae of STAC members

Karen BARNES

<i>Nationality:</i>	South African
<i>Present Position(s):</i>	<p>2008 - Professor of Clinical Pharmacology, University of Cape Town, Health Science Faculty</p> <p>2015 - Founding Director, UCT MRC Collaborating Centre for Optimising Antimalarial Therapy (CCOAT)</p> <p>2009 - Head of Pharmacology, Worldwide Antimalarial Resistance Network</p> <p>2012 - Honorary Visiting Research Fellow, Oxford University</p>
<i>Former Positions:</i>	<p>2011 – 2013 Deputy Dean: Research, Faculty of Health Sciences, University of Cape Town</p> <p>2004 - 2008 Associate Professor: Division of Clinical Pharmacology, University of Cape Town</p> <p>1995 – 2004 Senior Lecturer: Division of Clinical Pharmacology, University of Cape Town</p> <p>1994 Medical Officer, Cardiothoracic Surgery, University of Leiden, The Netherlands</p> <p>1991 - 1992 Lecturer, Department of Pharmacology, University of Witwatersrand, Johannesburg</p> <p>1990 Senior House Officer, Obstetrics and Gynaecology, Somerset Hospital, Cape Town</p> <p>1990 Senior House Officer, Paediatrics, Coronation Hospital, Johannesburg</p> <p>1989 Intern Medicine, Oncology, Gynaecology, Surgery, Hillbrow Hospital, Johannesburg</p>
<i>Qualifications:</i>	<p>MBChB (UCT) 1988</p> <p>MMed Clinical Pharmacology (UCT) 2004 (Thesis with distinction)</p>
<i>WHO Experience:</i>	<p>World Health Organisation (WHO) Global Malaria Programme</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Guideline Development Group on Malaria Chemotherapy (2020 – present) - Technical Expert Group, Malaria Chemotherapy (2011 - 2019) & its Antimalarial Dosage Recommendations Working Group (chair) - Technical Expert Group, Drug Resistance and Containment (2012 – 2016) - Evidence Review Group, the Cardiotoxicity of Antimalarials (2018) - Evidence Review Group, Malaria in Pregnancy (2017) - Evidence Review Group, Seasonal Malaria Chemoprevention (2011, 2015) - Evidence Review Group, Intermittent Presumptive Treatment in Infancy (2006 – 2010) - Evidence Review Group, Intermittent Presumptive Treatment in Pregnancy (2012-2013) - Evidence Review Group on Global Malaria Control and Elimination (2007 – 2012) <p>Temporary Advisor to the World Health Organization Special Programme for Research and Training in Tropical Diseases (WHO- TDR) co-sponsored by UNICEF, UNDP, and the World Bank:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Research for Implementation Scientific Working Group (2018 – present) - Intervention and Implementation Research Scientific Working Group (2014 – 2017) - Scientific Committee on Empowerment and Capacity Building - WHO/TDR Scientific Advisory Committee on Evidence for Antimalarial Policy and Access - Pyronaridine Product Development Team - Artesunate Task Force - Artemisinin Combination Therapy Steering Committee - Drug Resistance and Policies Task Force <p>Roll Back Malaria: Case Management Working Group</p>
<i>Major Awards</i>	(2017) UCT College of Fellows Award; Rockefeller Foundation Academic Residency; Clinical and Research Excellence; (2016) Honorary Visiting Research Fellow at Oxford University
<i>Areas of Professional Activities:</i>	
<i>Publications:</i>	Author, co-author or editor of around 150 peer-reviewed publications and book chapters

Afif BEN SALAH

<i>Nationality:</i>	Tunisian
<i>Present Position(s):</i>	<p>Full Professor of Medicine/Epidemiology, Head of the Laboratory of Epidemiology, Pasteur Institute of Tunis</p> <p>2017- President of the Medical Ethical Committee of Arabian Gulf University, Bahrain</p> <p>Sept. 2016- Professor of Community and Family Medicine, Arabian Gulf University, Bahrain</p> <p>2009- Full Professor of Epidemiology at the Faculty of Medicine of Tunis</p> <p>2006- Associate Professor of Epidemiology at the Faculty of Medicine of Tunis and Head of the Laboratory of Epidemiology of Pasteur Institute of Tunis</p> <p>1988 - Specialist in Epidemiology and Preventive Medicine</p>
<i>Former Positions:</i>	<p>Sept. 2016 Principal Investigator of the Regional Training Centre of WHO/EMRO supported by TDR</p> <p>2012-2014 General Director of the Direction of Primary Health Care- Ministry of Health Tunisia</p> <p>1998-2006 and Laboratory of Epidemiology and Ecology of Parasitic Diseases of Pasteur Institute of Tunis</p> <p>1988-1998 Assistant Professor of Epidemiology at the Faculty of Medicine of Tunis and Laboratory of Epidemiology and Ecology of Parasitic Diseases of Pasteur Institute of Tunis</p> <p>1988-1990 Consultant in Epidemiology at the Primary Health Care Direction- Ministry of Health Tunisia</p>
<i>Qualifications:</i>	<p>1985 Doctorate, Medicine, Faculty of Medicine of Sousse (Tunisia)</p> <p>1987 M.SC, Medicine/Community Medicine, Faculty of Medicine of Montreal (Canada)</p> <p>1988 Specialist, Medicine/Preventive Medicine and Epidemiology, Faculty of Medicine of Sousse (Tunisia)</p> <p>2000 PhD, Epidemiology, Oxford University, United Kingdom</p>
<i>WHO Experience:</i>	<p>2010- Member of the expert committee on the control of leishmaniasis</p> <p>2006- 2009 Member of the selection committee of the joint EMRO/TDR small grants scheme for operational research in tropical and other communicable diseases.</p>
<i>Areas of Professional Activities:</i>	<p>2013-2018 Program Director of the project : “Strengthening the surveillance of seasonal influenza in Tunisia”. Centers for Disease Control & Prevention, Atlanta, USA</p> <p>2007- 2012 Program Director of Tropical Medicine Research Center : TMRC US-NIAID-NIH, Washington, USA</p> <p>2006 Member of the consultative meeting on Drugs for Neglected Diseases initiative (DNDi) strategy for treatment of Cutaneous Leishmaniasis (including PKDL, ML, DCL)</p> <p>2003- Member of the Scientific Committee of « 2ème Cours d’Epidémiologie et d’Informatique appliquée dans les pays riverains de la Méditerranée occidentale – Programme EPIM ».</p> <p>1991 Award from TDR for a Ph. D. degree in the field of Epidemiology</p>
<i>Publications:</i>	Author or co-author of 35 peer-reviewed publications

Claudia CHAMAS

<i>Nationality:</i>	Brazilian	
<i>Present Position(s):</i>	1991-	Researcher, Fiocruz, Ministry of Health
<i>Former Position(s):</i>	2008-	Professor, MSc and PhD Programme in Public Policy, Strategy, and Development, Institute of Economics, Federal University of Rio de Janeiro, in cooperation with Fiocruz Courses: "Public Health and Intellectual Property", and "Public Management, Intellectual Property and Development" (with Carlos Morel)
	2009-	Researcher, National Institute of Science and Technology for Innovation in Neglected Diseases, Coordination of the intellectual property group
	International Experience	
	2000	Visiting researcher at the Max Planck Institute for Intellectual Property, Competition and Tax Law, Munich
	1997	Internship, Office of Intellectual Property, Michigan State University
<i>Qualifications:</i>	2002	Post-Doc, Max Planck Institute for Intellectual Property, Competition and Tax Law, Munich, Germany
	2001	Doctor of Science in Production Engineering, Federal University of Rio de Janeiro, Brazil
	1994	Master of Science in Production Engineering, Federal University of Rio de Janeiro, Brazil
	1990	Bachelor of Science in Chemical Engineering, Federal University of Rio de Janeiro, Brazil
<i>Major awards:</i>		
<i>WHO Experience:</i>	2011-2012	Vice-Chair of Consultative Expert Working Group on Research and Development: Financing and Coordination (CEWG)
<i>Areas of Professional Activities:</i>	Public health, innovation and intellectual property	
<i>Publications:</i>	Extensive publications in peer-reviewed journals	

Theeraphap CHAREONVIRIYAPHAP

<i>Nationality:</i>	Thai
<i>Present Position(s):</i>	2018 - Head and Full Professor, Department of Entomology, Faculty of Agriculture, Kasetsart, University, Bangkok
<i>Former Position(s):</i>	2007 Professor at Department of Entomology, Faculty of Agriculture – Kasetsart University (KU), Bangkok 1996 Lecturer, Division of Biology, Faculty of Liberal Arts and Sciences-KU, Bangkok 1995 Scientist, National Science and Technology Development Agency, Ministry of Science and Technology of Thailand
<i>Qualifications:</i>	1995 Ph.D. Medical Zoology (Medical and Veterinary Entomology), Uniformed Services University of the Health Sciences (USUHS), Bethesda, Maryland, USA. 1987 M.Sc. Environmental Biology (International Program), Department of Biology, Faculty of Science, Mahidol University, Thailand 1984 B.Sc. Agriculture (Entomology), Department of Entomology, Faculty of Agriculture, Kasetsart University, Bangkok, Thailand
<i>Major awards:</i>	2019 Outstanding Achievement Award, from the Asian Society of Vector Ecology and Mosquito Control (ASVMC)
<i>WHO Experience:</i>	2019 TDR Expert Panel, Special Project Team (SPT)
<i>Areas of Professional Activities:</i>	2021 Expert Panel, Global Biodiversity Information Facility (GBIF), Universitetsparken, Denmark 2019 Personalities of the Month, Online Resource Exchange Network for Entomology" (ORENE), Asia Pacific Malaria Elimination Network (APMEN) 2019 Appointed as Regional Director of Thailand of the Asian Society of Vector Ecology and Mosquito Control 2018 Diploma of Gold Medal for Mosquito Repellent product, EUROINVENT Romania 2018 2018 Gold Medal for Mosquito Repellent product จาก Association of European Inventors (AEI), Portuguese 2018 Special Honor of Invention Prize for Mosquito Repellent product from Toronto International Society of Innovations and Advanced Skill (TISIAS) 2017 Regional Director of Thailand, Laos, Vietnam of Asian Society of Vector Ecology and Mosquito Control 2016 Local Mae-Kong Malaria Outdoor Transmission Network (MMOTN), Asia Pacific Malaria Elimination Network (APMEN) (2016-present) 2015 Steering Committee of the ECOnomics Development Ecosystem MODification and Immerging Infectious Diseases Risk Evaluation (ECOMORE) in Asian Countries, Laos, Vietnam, Myanmar, Philippines, Cambodia 2013 International advisors in the Steering Committee, Economic development, Ecosystem Modifications, and emerging infectious diseases Risk Evaluation (ECOMORE), Agence Française de Development
<i>Publications:</i>	175 peer-reviewed publications; H-Index: 32; SCOPUS

Sara Irène EYANGO

<i>Nationality:</i>	Cameroonian	
<i>Present Position(s):</i>	2012	Scientific Director, Centre Pasteur of Cameroon (CPC) Head of Mycobacteriology unit since 2003 (National Reference Laboratory for the National Programmes against Tuberculosis and Buruli ulcer in Cameroon)
<i>Former Position(s):</i>	2006 / 2010	Teacher in international course "Molecular Tools and TB epidemiology" Pasteur Institute, Paris, since 2006 , appointed technical organizer since 2010
	2011-2014	GLI (Global Laboratory Initiative)/WHO member
	2012-	Member of scientific committee of PARRAF (Programme d'appui à la Recherche en Réseau en Afrique
	2012-	Member of scientific committee of AC12 ANRS TB VIH January
<i>Qualifications:</i>	2013	Habilitation à Diriger les Recherches (HDR) University of Paris VII, France
	2003	PhD Microbiology "Molecular epidemiology of tuberculosis in Cameroon", University of Paris VII, France
	1999	PhD in Biochemistry " Genotyping of apolipoprotein E in patient with diabetes and hypertension" University of Yaoundé I, Cameroon
	1999	Master in Tropical Infectious Diseases, Agence Universitaire de la Francophonie
	1992	Master degree in Biochemistry, University of Yaoundé I, Cameroon
<i>WHO Experience:</i>	2006-	Organizer of the international course on Microbiology of M. ulcerans since 2006, funding by WHO and International network of Pasteur Institute
	2006	WHO TB laboratory consultant Training
<i>Areas of Professional Activities:</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Microbiological and epidemiological aspect on Tuberculosis and Buruli ulcer • Improvement of laboratory diagnosis of Tuberculosis, Buruli ulcer and other mycobacterial diseases in humans and animals • Organization and monitoring of laboratory network and building capacities • Scientific Director: coordination of research and public health activities of Pasteur Centre in Cameroon 	
<i>Publications:</i>	Extensive publications in peer-reviewed journals	

Margaret GYAPONG

<i>Nationality:</i>	Ghanain
<i>Present Position(s):</i>	2019 - Director Institute of Health Research, University of Health and Allied Sciences
<i>Former Positions:</i>	<p>2017-2018 Director Centre for Health Policy and implementation Research, University of Health and Allied Sciences Lead social scientist, COUNTDOWN (Calling time on Neglected Tropical Diseases)</p> <p>2005-2016 Director, Dodowa Health Research Centre, Ghana Health Service Executive Director, Institute of Infectious Diseases of Poverty</p> <p>1995-2004 Senior Research Officer, National Research Unit</p>
<i>Qualifications:</i>	<p>1997-2000 University of Basel/ Swiss TPH (PhD, Epidemiology)</p> <p>1994-1995 Brunel University West London (Msc, Medical Anthropology)</p> <p>1984-1987 University of Ghana (Bsc, Home Science)</p>
<i>WHO Experience:</i>	<p>25 years working in various capacities including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Temporary Advisor: From 1992 to date I have worked as temporary advisor to WHO/TDR in various capacities • Membership on various committees, working groups and task forces • Worked with the WHO Ghana Country office on the Country Coordination Mechanism
<i>Major Awards</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2017, one of 12 women across the world to receive the first Heroines of Health award for her work in drawing attention to the needs of women suffering from the consequences of Neglected tropical Disease. • 2018 profiled in WHO/TDR Global for achievements in the field of implementation Research and Neglected Tropical Diseases. • March 2021(International Women's Day) , celebrated by WHO/TDR as one of 15 women who champion mentorship and collaboration among scientists tackling infectious diseases in low- and middle-income countries. • May of 2021 ranked by the world Scientist and University Ranking 2021-AD Scientific Index 2021 as number 4 in the university of Health and Allied Sciences, number 13 in Ghana. • October2021 adjudged the most outstanding female scientist by the European and Clinical Trials Partnership. The first black African to receive the award.
<i>Areas of Professional Activities:</i>	Qualitative research, health systems, implementation research, neglected tropical diseases
<i>Publications:</i>	Extensive publications in credible search engines out of 120 research articles, monographs and blogs

Debra JACKSON

<i>Nationality:</i>	American
<i>Present Position:</i>	2020 - Professor and Takeda Chair in Global Child Health
<i>Former Positions:</i>	<p>2018-2020 Senior Health Advisor and Unit Chief, UNICEF</p> <p>2013-2018 Senior Health Specialist, UNICEF</p> <p>2010 - Professor (Extraordinary), Associate Professor (2005-2010), Senior Researcher (2000-2005), School of Public Health, University of the Western Cape, Bellville, SA</p> <p>1995-2000 Adjunct Professor, Lecturer (1991-1995), Graduate School of Public Health, San Diego State University, San Diego</p> <p>1994-1999 Study Coordinator; San Diego Birth Center Study, Primary Care Perinatal Services, Inc., San Diego</p> <p>1993-1994 Birth Center Staff Nurse: The BirthPlace, San Diego</p> <p>1991-1999 Research Director; Primary Care Perinatal Services, Inc. (The BirthPlace), San Diego</p> <p>1990-1991 Pediatric Staff Nurse: Boston Children's Hospital, Boston</p> <p>1986-1990 Consultant in Maternal and Child Health and Public Health: Department of Health Services, Truk State and the Federated States of Micronesia</p> <p>1987-1989 Maternal and Child Health Outreach Coordinator; Department of Health Services, Truk State, Federated States of Micronesia</p> <p>1987-1989 Peace Corps Host Agency Liaison (Health Services): Department of Health Services, Truk State, Federated States of Micronesia</p> <p>1985-1986 Pediatric Staff Nurse; University of California San Diego Medical Center, San Diego</p> <p>1984-1986 Graduate Assistant for the San Diego Healthy Mothers, Healthy Babies Coalition; San Diego, California</p> <p>1982-1985 Counselor for the California Teratogen Registry, San Diego</p> <p>1981-1984 Clinical Staff Nurse Iii Infant Special Care Center, University of California Medical Center, San Diego</p> <p>1980-1981 Nurse Intern and Clinical Staff Nurse, Shands Teaching Hospital and Clinics, Gainesville, Florida</p>
<i>Qualifications:</i>	<p>2001 Doctor of Science, Epidemiology and Biostatistics, Specialty-Perinatal Epidemiology, Boston University, Boston, Massachusetts</p> <p>1986 Masters of Public Health Degree, Major-Maternal and Child Health, Minor-Epidemiology, San Diego State University, San Diego, California, Awarded with honors</p> <p>1979 Bachelor of Science in Nursing, Cum Laude, Florida State University, Tallahassee, Florida</p>
<i>WHO Experience:</i>	<p>2017 - Co-Chair Network for Improving Quality of Care for Maternal, Newborn and Child Health Monitoring and Evaluation Working Group (UNICEF, WHO, UNFPA)</p> <p>2020 Member of the Improving Maternal Health Capacity and Use (IMHM) Reference Group, WHO/UNFPA/Harvard</p> <p>2019 Co-lead, Effective Coverage Think Tank Group, WHO-UNICEF</p> <p>2011-2013 Invited Reviewer, World Health Organization, WHO-CIDA PMTCT Implementation Research Initiative</p> <p>2010 Invited Participant, WHO Meeting to Discuss Generic Protocol to Measure PMTCT Impact Using 6 Week Child Health Visit as an Entry Point. WHO Geneva, Switzerland</p>
<i>Major Awards</i>	<p>2015 Distinguished Service to the Maternal and Child Health Section, MCH American Public Health Association</p> <p>2010, 2016 Established Researcher 'C2', National Research Foundation (South Africa)</p> <p>2005 Established Researcher 'C3' Rating, National Research Foundation (South Africa)</p> <p>2004 Journal of Obstetric, Gynecologic & Neonatal Nursing, Reviewer of the Year</p> <p>2001 Delta Omega Honorary Public Health Society, Alpha Beta Chapter, Boston University</p> <p>1986 "The Churchill Award in Public Health Nursing", San Diego State University, Graduate School of Public Health</p> <p>1985 Phi Kappa Phi National Scholastic Honorary, San Diego State University</p> <p>1983 Outstanding Young Women of America, General Federation of Women's Clubs.</p>
<i>Areas of Professional Activities:</i>	Member of over 40 panels and committees.
<i>Publications:</i>	Extensive publications in peer-reviewed journals

Mirkuzie Woldie KERIE

<i>Nationality:</i>	Ethiopian
<i>Present Position(s):</i>	2019- Senior Research Adviser, MCH Directorate, Federal Ministry of Health, Ethiopia, Seconded by Fenot Project of T.H. Chan Harvard School of Public Health
<i>Former Positions:</i>	2004-2019 Professor of Health Services Management in the Department of Health Policy and Management, Jimma University, Ethiopia
<i>Consultancies:</i>	<p>Lead consultant for the development of the 10-year national strategic plan for Public Health Emergency Management in Ethiopia (for MOH Ethiopia with financial and technical support from UK DFID through Oxford Management Policy).</p> <p>2017 Co-principal investigator for the team preparing the primary health care systems (PRIMASYS): case study from Ethiopia, Geneva: World Health Organization.</p> <p>2016 Lead consultant for the development of guideline for quality improvement in family planning services in health posts of Jimma Zone and East Wollega zones for Amref Health Africa.</p> <p>2015 Lead consultant for the baseline assessment of the use of family planning and reproductive health services among populations of Jimma and Illubabor Zones for Amref Health Africa.</p> <p>2014 Conducted a nationwide survey on job satisfaction and factors affecting retention of health workers in public health facilities in Ethiopia as the lead consultant for the Strengthening Human Resources for Health Project of Jhpiego.</p> <p>2013 Developed the participant manual and facilitator's guide for the Leadership, Management and Governance (LMG) training of health facility management team for the Federal Ministry of Health and Management Science for Health.</p> <p>2012 Consultant for the rapid assessment of the benefits and experiences gained since the introduction of the knowledge centres at Bishoftu and Durame hospitals in Ethiopia for Global Health Workforce Alliance (the Alliance) and WHO.</p> <p>2010 Situational assessment of male circumcision practices in selected zones of SNNPR organized by Jhpiego Ethiopia, Surgical Society of Ethiopia and the SNNPR Regional Health Bureau.</p>
<i>Qualifications:</i>	<p>2005-2007 Masters of Public Health in Health Services Management</p> <p>1998-2004 Doctor of Medicine</p>
<i>WHO Experience:</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Several consultancies as listed above. - Attended 3 training courses organized by TDR.
<i>Areas of Professional Activities:</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Member of the PhD candidate board of examiners, Addis Ababa University - Visiting Scientist at the Department of Global Health and Population, Harvard T.H. Chan School of Public Health, Boston, USA - Research Associate at the University of British Columbia (UBC), Vancouver, Canada - Honorary staff of the Department of Health Policy and Management, School of Public Health, Jimma University, Ethiopia - External PhD supervisor at the University of Technology, Sydney - Joanna Briggs Institute (JBI) Evidence Based Clinical Fellow, Adelaide University, South Australia - Supervisor, Higher Degree by Research, Joanna Briggs Institute (JBI), Adelaide University, SA - External Examiner for MPH students, School of Public Health, Makerere University, Uganda - Guest lecture of Health Policy Analysis at the Department of Health Systems Management, School of Public Health, Bahir Dar University, Ethiopia - Guest lecturer, Health Policy Analysis and Advanced Health Systems Management, Department of Health Systems Management, School of Public Health, Aksum University, Ethiopia - Guest lecture of Health Policy Analysis at the Department of Public Health, St. Paul Hospital Millennium Medical College, Ethiopia - Lifetime member of the Ethiopian Public Health Association (EPHA) - Active member of Health Systems Global (HSG) - Member of Grand Challenges Ethiopia Taskforce at Armauer Hansen Research Institute - Member, Primary Health Care Advisory Think Tank, International Institute for PHCEthiopia - Program and Instructional Design Expert for Ethiopian Medical Association (EMA) Panel of Experts for CPD Accreditation
<i>Publications:</i>	Extensive publications in peer-reviewed journals, one editorial and six published books or chapters.

Caroline LYNCH

<i>Nationality:</i>	Irish
<i>Present Position(s):</i>	2019- Regional Adviser, Greater Mekong Subregion, Medicines for Malaria Venture, Geneva (Thailand based) 2013- Director and Principal Investigator LINK and MET projects and Assistant Professor in program design and evaluation, London School of Hygiene & Tropical Medicine, London
<i>Former Positions:</i>	2010-2012 Research Fellow, London School of Hygiene & Tropical Medicine, London, Tanzania and Uganda 2005-2014 Global Health Consultant, Multiple locations across Sub Saharan Africa & Asia Pacific, Stritch-Goodson Ltd 2003-2004 Country Coordinator and Technical Advisor, Johns Hopkins - Mentor Initiative, Liberia 2001-2002 Malaria Program Manager, International Rescue Committee, Democratic Republic of the Congo 2001 Disease prevention officer, Merlin, East Timor
<i>Qualifications:</i>	2004-2012 PhD Epidemiology of Infectious Diseases, London School of Hygiene & Tropical Medicine, London, UK 1998-1999 MSc Applied parasitology & Medical Entomology, Liverpool School of Tropical Medicine, Liverpool, UK 1994-1997 BSc Biological Sciences, University of Plymouth, Plymouth, UK
<i>WHO Experience:</i>	- Collaboration with WHO AFRO on the Lead for LINK project. - Collaboration with WHO on the Zonal malaria community project.
<i>Areas of Professional Activities:</i>	2017 District Health Information Systems (DHIS2) training 2017 Post Graduate Certificate in Learning and Teaching (PGCILT) 2016 PhD supervision 2012 Clinical data management
<i>Publications:</i>	36 peer-reviewed articles, a further four articles accepted for publication, one monograph and numerous technical reports. Click here for more information.

Thabi MAITIN

<i>Nationality:</i>	South African
<i>Present Position(s):</i>	2007 - Division Manager, Research Capacity Development, South African Medical Research Council (SAMRC)
<i>Former Positions:</i>	Health Sciences Lecturer, University of Swaziland
<i>Qualifications:</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - PhD (Health Sciences) University of the Witwatersrand, RSA - MSc: (Medical Microbiology) TTU, USA - B Sc: (Biology, Statistics) - CDE: (Diploma in Teaching Biological Sciences), UNISWA, SZ - Epistatistics and Biostatistics: (For health and medical Professionals) Wits NHLS - Board-trustee various trainings
<i>WHO Experience:</i>	
<i>Major Awards</i>	
<i>Areas of Professional Activities:</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - ESSENCE on Health Research - Part of an external review panel of the SAMRC - Reviewer - African Union Scientific, Technical and Research Commission - Part of South African Merit Awards process – calling for nominations and reviewing same - Part of the International Professional Recognition Council as both a certified Senior Research Management Professional and also a member of the IPRCs Training Endorsement Committee
<i>Publications:</i>	

Charles Stephen MGONE

<i>Nationality:</i>	Tanzanian
<i>Former Positions:</i>	<p>Former Vice-Chancellor, Hubert Kairuki Memorial University, Dar es Salaam, United Republic of Tanzania</p> <p>Retired Executive Director of the European & Developing Countries Clinical Trials Partnership (EDCTP), Netherlands</p> <p>2003-2005 Network Director, Africa Malaria Network Director (AMANET)</p> <p>1996-2003 Deputy Director, Professorial Research Fellow and Honorary Professor of Health Research at Papua New Guinea Institute of Medical Research (PNGIMR)</p>
<i>Qualifications:</i>	<p>1999 Doctor of Philosophy(PhD) in Medical Genetics, University of Glasgow, UK</p> <p>1980 Master of Medicine (M Med) in Paediatrics and Child Health, University Dar es Salaam, Tanzania</p> <p>1975 Doctor of Medicine (MD) University of Dar es Salaam, Tanzania</p>
<i>WHO Experience:</i>	African Network of Drugs and Diagnostics Initiative (ANDI) Scientific and Advisory Committee
<i>Major Awards</i>	Member of Scientific and Advisory Committees, Councils and Boards
<i>Areas of Professional Activities:</i>	Paediatrics and Child Health, Molecular Genetics, Epidemiology
<i>Publications:</i>	Extensive publications in peer-reviewed journals

Catherine (Sassy) MOLYNEUX

<i>Nationality:</i>	United Kingdom
<i>Present Position(s):</i>	Senior scientist, Health Systems Research Ethics Dept, KEMRI-Wellcome Trust Research programme, Kenya and Associate Professor, Nuffield Department of Medicine, University of Oxford
<i>Former Positions:</i>	<p>All at the University of Oxford:</p> <p>2010-2014 Senior Social Scientist</p> <p>2007-2010 Research lecturer</p> <p>2005-2007 Postdoctoral research fellow</p> <p>1994-2005 Researcher and research assistant</p>
<i>Qualifications:</i>	<p>2001 Health Policy and Economics</p> <p>1999 Behavioural Studies</p> <p>1994 Human Geography</p>
<i>WHO Experience:</i>	Since 2017 Member TDR/IIR Scientific Working Group
<i>Areas of Professional Activities:</i>	<p>Predominant Scientific Domain :</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Social Sciences • Empirical Ethics <p>Main Research Fields:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Health Policy & Systems Research • Public Health • Gender & Ethics • Behavioural Studies
<i>Publications:</i>	Extensive publications in peer-reviewed journals

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<i>Present Position(s):</i>	Since 2013 Chief Executive Officer, Zambart
<i>Former Positions:</i>	<p>2009 – 2013 Deputy Director Programs, CDC Zambia, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Center for Global Health, Division of AIDS</p> <p>2004 – 2009 Associate Director of Science and Chief, Prevention, Care and Treatment Branch, CDC-GAP Zambia</p> <p>2001 – 2004 Medical Epidemiologist, CDC-GAP Zambia</p> <p>1999 – 2001 Senior Lecturer/Lecturer University of Zambia, School of Medicine</p> <p>1996 – 2001 Project Coordinator, University of Zambia – University College of London Medical Schools (UNZA-UCLMS) Project</p> <p>1990 – 1996 Research Affiliate, Registrar and Resident in Internal Medicine – London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine (LSHTM) and University of Zambia School of Medicine</p> <p>1986 – 1988 General Medical Officer, Primary Care Medical Services</p> <p>1985 – 1986 Registrar, Department of Medicine, University Teaching Hospital</p> <p>1983 – 1985 Senior Registered Medical Officer, University Teaching Hospital</p>
<i>Qualifications:</i>	<p>2013 PG Diploma in Bioethics – University of Stellenbosch</p> <p>1996 M.Med. (Internal Medicine) – University of Zambia</p> <p>1990 Diploma in Dermatology – University of London</p> <p>1989 M.Sc. (Clin Trop Med) – University of London</p> <p>1989 DTM&H – Royal College of Physicians</p> <p>1982 MB ChB – University of Zambia</p> <p>1978 BSc (Human Biology) – University of Zambia</p> <p>1977 BSc – University of Zambia</p>
<i>WHO Experience:</i>	<p>Since 2016 Member TDR/RCS Scientific Working Group</p> <p>2007 TB Infection Control Global consultation</p>
<i>Areas of Professional Activities:</i>	<p>Since 2016 Chairperson, National TB Working Group</p> <p>2015 Patient Representative, DNDi Board of Directors</p> <p>2015 Member, The Union Ethics Advisory Group</p> <p>2003 – 2005 Board member, The Mentor Forum</p> <p>2000 – 2006 Treasurer, Pan-African Bioethics Initiative (PABIN)</p> <p>2000 – 2003 Board Member, National Science and Technology Council</p> <p>2000 – 2002 CIOMS Consultation for the revision of the 1993 CIOMS – International Ethical Guidelines for Biomedical Research Involving Human Subjects</p> <p>1998 – 2003 Chairperson, National TB Working Group</p> <p>1998 Committee Member: American Thoracic Society</p>
<i>Publications:</i>	Extensive publications in peer-reviewed journals and book chapters

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<i>Present Position(s):</i>	Head, Population Health Unit and Intermediate Wellcome Trust Fellow in Population Health, KEMRI-Wellcome Trust Research Programme, Nairobi, Kenya
<i>Former Positions:</i>	<p>2016-2022 Wellcome Trust Intermediate Research Fellow, KEMRI-Wellcome Trust Collaborative Programme, Kenya</p> <p>2016 Senior Scientist Population Health/Medical Informatics, Philips Research Africa, Nairobi, Kenya</p> <p>2014-2016 Program Officer-Gates Fellow, Integrated Development, Global Health, Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation, Seattle, WA USA</p> <p>2012-2014 Research Fellow and Head, Epidemiological Impact & Surveillance Unit, KEMRI – University of Oxford – Wellcome Trust Research Programme, Malaria Public Health Department, Nairobi, Kenya</p> <p>2011-2012 Research Fellow, University of Washington, Institute for Health Metrics and Evaluation (IHME), Seattle WA, USA</p> <p>2009-2011 Research Fellow in Epidemiology & Public Health, Malaria Public Health & Epidemiology Group, KEMRI-Wellcome Trust-University of Oxford Collaborative Programme, Nairobi, Kenya</p> <p>2007-2008 Post-Doctoral Malaria Research Fellow, Malaria Public Health & Epidemiology Group, KEMRI-Wellcome Trust-University of Oxford Collaborative Programme, Nairobi, Kenya</p> <p>2001-2007 Research Assistant, Centre for Geographic Medicine, KEMRI-Wellcome Trust Research Collaborative Programme, Kilifi, Kenya</p>
<i>Qualifications:</i>	<p>2007 Ph.D. Epidemiology, Open University (UK) and University of Warwick, UK</p> <p>2001 Bachelor of Science (Hons), Biochemistry & Chemistry, Egerton University, Kenya</p>
<i>WHO Experience:</i>	<p>2020-2021 Global Malaria Programme WHO, Technical Expert review for World Malaria Report (2020-2021)</p> <p>2017 Technical Advisor to WHO Global Malaria Programme, Geneva</p>
<i>Areas of Professional Activities:</i>	<p>Appointments and awards</p> <p>2019 Lancet Global Health Journal International Advisory board</p> <p>2010 Honorary Fellow, Nuffield Department of Clinical Medicine, University of Oxford, UK</p> <p>Other committees, boards and technical steering groups</p> <p>2020- BMC Medicine Editorial Board</p> <p>2020- Member Ministry of Health, Kenya COVID Task Force</p> <p>2010- Member of the KEMRI-Wellcome Trust, Nairobi Programme Management Committee</p> <p>2009-2014 Member of the KEMRI-Wellcome Trust, Higher Degrees Committee</p> <p>2009 Technical Advisor to President's Malaria Initiative (PMI) Programme in Kenya</p> <p>2008 M&E Advisor to National Malaria Control Programme, Ministry of Health, Kenya</p> <p>2008 Scientific Member of the Malaria Atlas Project</p>
<i>Publications:</i>	Extensive publications in peer-reviewed journals, book chapters and reports.

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<i>Present Position(s):</i>	2020 - Program Director for Health Security, Burnet Institute Co-Program Director, Asia Pacific ICEMR Chair of PNG Technical Oversight Committee/ Member of PNG Program Executive Deputy Head (International Response) Know-C19 Executive Committee
<i>Former Positions:</i>	2018-2020 Adjunct Associate Professor, Department of Epidemiology and Preventative Medicine, Monash University 2017-2018 Adjunct Senior Research Fellow, Department of Epidemiology and Preventative Medicine, Monash University 2013-2017 Head, Vector Borne Diseases Unit, Papua New Guinea (PNG) Institute of Medical Research (PNGIMR), Madang, PNG 2011-2016 NHMRC CJ Martin Early Career Fellow, PNG Institute of Medical Research/ Walter and Eliza Hall Institute, based full-time in Madang, PNG 2009-2011 Post-doctoral researcher, PNG Institute of Medical Research/Walter and Eliza Hall Institute, based full-time in Madang, PNG 2005-2009 NHMRC Dora Lush PhD Scholarship Recipient, Infection and Immunity Division, The Walter and Eliza Hall Institute of Medical Research, Victoria, Australia 2004 Public Health Intern, Buduburam Refugee Settlement, Ghana 2002-2004 Research Officer, Proteome Systems Ltd, Sydney, Australia
<i>Qualifications:</i>	2011 Master of Public Health & Tropical Medicine, James Cook University, Townsville, Australia 2009 PhD, Malaria Immuno-Epidemiology, Walter and Eliza Hall Institute/ University of Melbourne, Melbourne, Australia 2002 BSc (Adv) Hons, University of Sydney, Sydney, Australia
<i>WHO Experience:</i>	Member, Vector Control Advisory Group
<i>Areas of Professional Activities:</i>	2020 - Adjunct Professor, Department of Epidemiology and Preventative Medicine, Monash University 2017 - Adjunct Principal Research Fellow, PNG Institute of Medical Research, Madang, Papua New Guinea 2016 - Research Group Leader, Burnet Institute, Victoria, Australia 2015 - Laboratory Head, Population Health and Immunity Division, The Walter and Eliza Hall Institute of Medical Research, Victoria, Australia 2009 - Honorary Senior Research Fellow, University of Melbourne, Victoria, Australia
<i>Major Awards</i>	Burnet Institute Gust McKenzie Medal (2020); 2019 Australian Museum Eureka Prize for Infectious Diseases Research (2019); NHMRC Career Development Fellowship Level 2 (2018); Burnet Institute Gust Translational Fellowship (2018); Women and Leadership Australia Scholarship (2017); The Women's College University of Sydney Young Alumnae of the Year (2015); Keystone Symposia Travel Scholarship (2014); Craven & Shearer Childcare Award, WEHI (2013); Edith Moffat Travel Award, WEHI (2009); NHMRC Early Career (CJ Martin) Research Fellowship (2011-2015); NHMRC Dora Lush Biomedical Postgraduate Scholarship (2005-2009); University Medal, University of Sydney (2003).
<i>Publications:</i>	88 publications including two book chapters

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<i>Present Position(s):</i>	1995-	Professor of Clinical Tropical Medicine, Liverpool School of Tropical Medicine (LSTM), Consultant Physician, Tropical & Infectious Disease Unit, Royal Liverpool University Hospital
<i>Former Positions:</i>	2006-2011	Reader in Clinical Tropical Medicine, Liverpool School of Tropical Medicine
	1995-2006	Senior Lecturer in Clinical Tropical Medicine, Liverpool School of Tropical Medicine
	1993-95	Lecturer in Medicine, College of Medicine, University of Malawi, Blantyre, Malawi
	1992-95	Medical Specialist and Head of Department of Medicine, Kamuzu Central Hospital, Lilongwe, Malawi
	1992	Locum Consultant Physician in HIV / AIDS / Thoracic Medicine / General Medicine, Royal Free Hospital and School of Medicine
	1990-92	Wellcome Trust Research Fellow in Virology, The Royal Free Hospital and School of Medicine
	1989-90	Clinical Research Fellow in HIV / AIDS, The Royal Free Hospital and School of Medicine
	1987-89	Medical Registrar, General Medicine / Gastroenterology, The London Hospital, Whitechapel, London, UK
	1986-89	Senior House Officer / Registrar Training Scheme in General Medicine, The London Hospital, Whitechapel, London, UK
	1985	House Surgeon, Dept of Surgery, Addenbrookes Hospital, Cambridge, UK
	1985	House Physician, General Medicine / Thoracic Medicine / Infectious Diseases, West Norwich Hospital, Norwich, UK
<i>Qualifications:</i>	1982	B.Sc.(Hons), Immunology
	1984	M.B. B.Chir, Medical Qualification
	1995	M.D., Cytomegalovirus Associated Pneumonitis
	1988	M.R.C.P., Membership of the Royal College of Physicians
	1999	F.R.C.P., Fellowship of the Royal College of Physicians
<i>WHO Experience:</i>	Current	Working Group structure of the Global STOP-TB Partnership, and through advice to the WHO Strategic and Technical Advisory Group for Tuberculosis (STAG-TB)
	2015-	Member of the TDR/IIR Scientific Working Group
<i>Areas of Professional Activities:</i>	Clinical tropical medicine Health systems Immunology Virology HIV/AIDS Infectious Diseases	
<i>Publications:</i>	Over 90 original articles published in international peer-reviewed journals, including 25 in the International Journal of Tuberculosis & Lung Disease	

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Present Position(s):	2018 - Executive Director, UK Collaborative on Development Sciences & HMG Strategic Coherence on ODA-funded Research Board, London, UK
Former Positions:	<p>2016-2017 Adviser on Global Health Research (secondment), Department of Health, London, UK</p> <p>2014-2015 AESA Change Manager (secondment), African Academy of Sciences, Nairobi, Kenya and Oxford, UK</p> <p>2014 Discovery and Translational Sciences, Global Health Programme (secondment), Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation, Seattle, USA</p> <p>2009-2017 Wellcome Trust, London, UK</p> <p>Strategic Partnerships Manager, Population Environment and Health (since 2016); Senior Portfolio Developer, International Team, Science (since 2014); International Activities Adviser, International Team, Science (since 2011); Science Portfolio Adviser, Immunology and Population Health (since 2009)</p> <p>2006-2009 Scientific Copy Editor, Nature Reviews Journals Scientific Copy Editor, Nature Reviews Immunology, Nature Publishing Group, Macmillan Publishers Ltd Senior, London, UK</p> <p>2008-2009 Scientific Grants Writer, Charles Darwin Research Station, The Galapagos Islands, Ecuador</p>
Qualifications:	<p>2002–2006 Ph.D. molecular and cellular biology of the malaria parasite, Imperial College, London, UK. Thesis title: Search for novel rhoptry proteins in the malaria parasite, Plasmodium berghei</p> <p>1999-2002 B.Sc. (honours) Biology and ARCS. Final year project published in the International Journal of Parasitology</p> <p>1994–1999 Lycée International des Pontonniers. French Scientific Baccalaureate and English International Option (OIB)</p>
Areas of Professional Activities:	<p>2015 - Board Trustee (member elected), Chair of Grants and Awards Committee, Royal Society of Tropical Medicine and Hygiene, London, UK</p> <p>2013 - Board Trustee, Chair of Projects Committee, Galapagos Conservation Trust, London, UK</p>
Publications:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Tufet M (8 June 2019). “Global issues often seem a world away – but it is in Britain’s interest to tackle them”. The Telegraph. - Piot P; Tufet M (12 June 2019). “The UK’s role in improving our world”. Campaign for Science and Engineering (CaSE). - Tufet Bayona M (2006). Search for Novel Rhoptry Proteins in Plasmodium Berghei (PhD). Imperial College London. OCLC 930642746. - Tufet M (2008). “NF-κB is not alone”. Nature Reviews Immunology. 8 (2): 90–91. doi:10.1038/nri2259. - Watson J; Trueman M; Tufet M; Henderson S; Atkinson R (9 October 2009). “Mapping terrestrial anthropogenic degradation on the inhabited islands of the Galapagos Archipelago” (PDF). Oryx. 44 (1): 79. doi:10.1017/S0030605309990226. - Maher D; Aseffa A; Kay S; Tufet Bayona M (17 March 2020). “External funding to strengthen capacity for research in low-income and middle-income countries: exigence, excellence and equity”. BMJ Global Health. 5 (3): e002212. doi:10.1136/BMJGH-2019-002212. PMC 7078669. PMID 32206346. - Norton A; Mphahlele J; Yazdanpanah Y; Piot P; Bayona Tufet M (July 2020). “Strengthening the global effort on COVID-19 research” (PDF). The Lancet. 396 (10248): 375. doi:10.1016/S0140-6736(20)31598-1. PMC 7365643. PMID 32682490. - Norton A; De La Horra Gozalo A; Feune de Colombi N; Alogo M; Mutheu Asego J; Al-Rawni Z; Antonio E; Parker J; Mwangi W; Adhiambo C; Marsh K; Tufet Bayona M; Piot P; Lang TA (15 July 2020). “The remaining unknowns: A mixed methods study of the current and global health research priorities for COVID-19” (PDF). MedRxiv (preprint). doi:10.1101/2020.06.24.20138198.

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<i>Nationality:</i>	German
<i>Present Position(s):</i>	<p>2020 - Founding (now deputy) Director of the Centre for Global Health, and Professor of Global Health, University of Oslo, Norway (20%)</p> <p>2011 - Director of the Center for Global Health, Consultant Neurologist and Director of the Munich Global Neurology Group at the Department of Neurology, Klinikum rechts der Isar, Technical University of Munich, Munich, Germany</p>
<i>Former Positions:</i>	<p>2016-2020 Founding Director of the Centre for Global Health, and Professor of Global Health, University of Oslo, Norway</p> <p>2008-2010 Specialist neurologist at the Department of Neurology and the Interdisciplinary Centre of Palliative Care, Ludwig-Maximilians-University, Munich, Germany</p> <p>2007-2008 Maternity and child care leave with home office for academic work</p> <p>2005-2007 Specialist training at the Department of Neurology, University of Ulm, Germany</p> <p>2002-2004 Doctor in charge of the medical ward and the epilepsy clinic at Haydom Lutheran Hospital, Tanzania</p> <p>1999-2001 Senior house officer at the Department of Neurology, Internal Medicine and Accident and Emergency, King's College Hospital London, and at the Institute of Psychiatry, The Maudsley Hospital, London, United Kingdom</p> <p>1996-1999 PhD student and senior house officer at the Department of Neurology and Internal Medicine, King's College Hospital, London, United Kingdom</p>
<i>Qualifications:</i>	Dr. med. (Munich), PhD (London), Dr. med. habil. (Munich)
<i>WHO Experience:</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Scientific advisor to the WHO's pandemic treaty through a One Health policy brief commissioned through the Geneva Graduate Institute (co-lead of the project together with Prof. Hélène Carabin from the Université de Montréal) Consultant to the WHO for establishment of Taenia solium neurocysticercosis management guidelines Consultant to the WHO for their input into Germany's G7 presidency in 2015
<i>Major Awards</i>	Memberships of different scientific and technical advisory committees and boards
<i>Areas of Professional Activities:</i>	Global Health and One Health in different forms and shapes: global neurology, diseases of the infectious (neglected tropical diseases; Taenia solium (neuro)cysticercosis/taeniosis) as well as non-communicable nature (e.g. epilepsy, diabetes and cancer), zoonotic diseases (especially those that affect the central nervous system, e.g. neurocysticercosis) with the ensuing One Health concept (for communicable and non-communicable diseases), global digital health including health literacy with an emphasis on disease prevention and implementation research in low- and middle income countries with a focus on the social science aspect. Gender represents a cross-cutting issue in all my research projects and I practice a systems approach.
<i>Publications:</i>	Authored or co-authored over 200 scientific articles, books and book chapters, guidelines and policy recommendations

