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Education

1995 Dr. phil. nat., University of Frankfurt, Germany

1991 Diploma in Chemistry, University of Frankfurt, Germany

Current positions

2007- **Director**, Institute of Structural Biology, Helmholtz Zentrum München, German Research Center for Environmental Health, Munich, Germany

2007- **Professor (W3)** Biomolecular NMR-Spectroscopy, Department Chemie, TU München

2007- **Director**, Bavarian NMR Center (<http://www.bnmrz.org>)

Previous positions

1997-2006 **Group Leader**, Structural & Computational- Biology and Gene Expression Programmes; European Molecular Biology Laboratory (EMBL), Heidelberg, Germany

Structural biology in RNA-based gene regulation: pre-mRNA splicing (Science 2001, 2006), RNAi (Nature 2003) signaling; NMR methods for large protein complexes

1995-1997 **Postdoctoral Associate**, Abbott Laboratories, Abbott Park, USA

Advisor: Dr. Stephen W. Fesik *Structural biology of protein complexes in signaling and apoptosis: Shc-PTB/Trk (Nature 1995), Bcl-xL (Nature 1996; Science 1997)*

1991-1995 **Doctoral research**, Institute of Organic Chemistry, University of Frankfurt, Germany

Advisor: Prof. Dr. Christian Griesinger *Development of novel multidimensional heteronuclear NMR methods with improved sensitivity for biomacromolecules*

Academic interests

Biomolecular NMR spectroscopy and integrative structural biology of proteins and RNA; NMR methods; molecular recognition and dynamics in gene regulation: alternative splicing, (long)non-coding RNAs, peroxisome biogenesis and disease-linked pathways, structure-based drug discovery.

Fellowships and awards

2020 **Erwin-Schrödinger Prize/Stifterverband Science Award**

2017 **Elected Member of the Leopoldina, German National Academy of Sciences**

2017 **Elected Member ISMAR Council** (International Society of Magnetic Resonance)

2014 FEBS National Lecturer Spanish Biochemical Society (SEBB), Granada

2012 **Elected EMBO Member**

2011-2012 Visiting Professorship for Senior International Scientists, Tianjin, China

2005 Professor Invité, Ecole Normale Supérieure, Paris, France

2005 Jean-François Lefevre Lecturer in Biophysics, Strasbourg, France

Major institutional responsibilities

2012 – 2020 **Elected member of the DFG Study Section Foundations of Biology and Medicine**

2014 - Coordinator, Cross Program Activity “Structural Biology”, Helmholtz Association

2013-2019 **Member Committee Research Infrastructures (Ausschuss Forschungsbauten) of the German Wissenschaftsrat**

2012- Board Member, DFG Cluster of Excellence EXC114: CiPS^M

2012 - Steering Committee Helmholtz Association Portfolio Program “Drug discovery”

2009-2012 Coordinator Area C, Cluster of Excellence EXC114: Center for integrated Protein Science Munich (CiPS^M)

Co/Organization of international conferences and schools

- 2019 International conference **New Frontiers in Structure-based Drug Discovery**, Florence, Italy, with Christian Ottmann (supported by ITNs AEGIS and TASPPI)
- 2019 CiPSM Cluster of Excellence *Scientific Octoberfest*, TUM, Garching
- 2019 **EMBO Practical Course** “NMR spectroscopy of biological macromolecules”, co-organizer and instructor, biannually since 1999 (25 students and postdocs)
- 2018 International **Helmholtz Drug Discovery Conference - HDDC 2018**, Munich
- 2017 **Keystone Symposium: Frontiers of NMR in Life Sciences**; co-organizer with K. Wüthrich; S.W. Fesik; 170 participants
- 2013 **35th FGMR Discussion Meeting** and Joint Conference of the German, Italian and Slovenian Magnetic Resonance Societies. Frauenchiemsee, Germany, Sep 9-12, 300 participants
- 2008 FP6 CA NMR-Life Workshop *Advances in NMR of Protein and Nucleic Acid Molecular Recognition*, Murnau, Germany (with R. Boelens, Utrecht), 150 participants

Patents

- 2020 EPA No. 20214108.1 *Inhibition of virus protease*
- 2016 PCT/EP2016/080316 *CPAP-Tubulin Module*
- 2016 WO2016038045 *Pyrazolopyridine derivatives and their use in therapy*

Key publications (selected)

>290 journal articles, ORCID: [0000-0002-1594-0527](#) Researcher ID [A-2407-2012](#) [Google Scholar](#)

1. Lopez A.; Dahiya V; Delhommel F; Freiburger L; Stehle R; Asami S; Rutz D; Blair L; Buchner J*; **Sattler M***. *Client Binding Shifts the Populations of Dynamic Hsp90 Conformations through an Allosteric Network.* **(2021) Sci. Adv.**, 7 (51)., doi: 10.1126/sciadv.abl7295
2. Kooshapur H, Choudhury NR, Simon B, Muhlbauer M, Jussupow A, Fernandez N, Jones AN, Dallmann A, Gabel F, Camilloni C, Michlewski G*, Caceres JF*, Sattler M*. *Structural basis for terminal loop recognition and stimulation of pri-miRNA-18a processing by hnRNP A1.* **(2018) Nat Commun** 9, 2479. doi: 10.1038/s41467-018-04871-9
3. Dawidowski M, Emmanouilidis L, Kalel VC, Tripsianes K, Schorpp K, Hadian K, Kaiser M, Maeser P, Kolonko M, Tanghe S, Rodriguez A, Schliebs W, Erdmann R*, **Sattler M***, and Popowicz GM* *Inhibitors of PEX14 disrupt protein import into glycosomes and kill Trypanosoma parasites.* **(2017) Science** 355, 1416-1420. doi: 10.1126/science.aal1807
4. Hennig J, Miliotti C, Popowicz GM, Wang I, Sonntag M, Geerlof A, Gabel F, Gebauer F*, **Sattler M*** *Structural basis for the assembly of the Sxl–UNR translation regulatory complex* **(2014) Nature**, 515:287-90. [[Pubmed](#)] [[Press release](#)]
5. Schlundt A, Heinz GA, Janowski R, Geerlof A, Stehle R, Heissmeyer V*, Niessing D*, and **Sattler M***. *Structural basis for RNA recognition in roquin-mediated post-transcriptional gene regulation.* **(2014) Nat Struct Mol Biol** 21, 671-8. [[Pubmed](#)] [[Press release](#)]
6. Mackereth CD, Madl T, Bonnal S, Simon B, Zanier K, Gasch A, Rybin V, Valcarcel J*, **Sattler M***. *Multi-domain conformational selection underlies pre-mRNA splicing regulation by U2AF* **(2011) Nature** 475, 408-11. [[PubMed](#)]
7. Tripsianes K, Madl T, Machyna M, Fessas D, Englbrecht C, Fischer U, Neugebauer KM, and **Sattler M** *Structural basis for dimethylarginine recognition by the Tudor domains of human SMN and SPF30 proteins.* **(2011) Nat Struct Mol Biol** 18, 1414-20. [[Pubmed](#)]
8. Simon B, Madl T, Mackereth CD, Nilges M, and **Sattler M** *An efficient protocol for NMR-spectroscopy-based structure determination of protein complexes in solution.* **(2010) Angew Chem Int Ed Engl** 49, 1967-70. [[fulltext](#)]
9. Corsini L, Bonnal S, Basquin J, Hothorn M, Scheffzek K, Valcarcel J*, and **Sattler M***. *U2AF Homology Motif interactions are required for alternative splicing regulation by SPF45.* **(2007) Nat Struct Mol Biol** 14, 620-9. [[PubMed](#)]
10. Lingel A, Simon B, Izaurralde E*, and **Sattler M***. *Structure and nucleic-acid binding of the Drosophila Argonaute 2 PAZ domain.* **(2003) Nature** 426, 465-9. [[PubMed](#)]