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EDUCATION: HDR<sup>1</sup> (Habilitation à diriger des recherches) Université de Bordeaux, 23.5.2011

1990-1995: Ph.D. in astrophysics at the University of Cologne (27.4.1995).

Title: "Strukturanalyse des Rosette-Molekülwolkenkomplex" (Advisor : Prof. J. Stutzki)

1988-1990: Diploma in Physics at the University of Cologne (30.3.1990).

Title: "CO-Messungen in der Cygnus Region" (Advisor : Prof. G. Winnewisser)

1984-1988: University education in physics at the University of Cologne.

#### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:

since 2015: Researcher I. Physik. Institut, University of Cologne (Germany).

2012-2015: Researcher LAB, OASU Bordeaux (France).

2006-2012: Researcher-engineer CEA Saclay (France).

1999-2005: Post-doc LAB Bordeaux (France).

1998-1999: Post-doc LAOG Grenoble (France).

1995-1998: Post-doc KOSMA University of Cologne.

1988-1995: Assistant KOSMA University of Cologne.

#### KEY WORDS:

- ★ Interstellar medium, star-formation.
- ★ Ground-based, airborne and spatial (sub)mm/FIR astronomy.
- ★ Observations with single-dish antennas and interferometers.
- ★ Exploitation of large instruments (*Herschel*, *SOFIA*).

#### TECHNICAL EXPERTISES:

- ★ Observing astronomer for upGREAT/SOFIA.
- ★ Software development for SPIRE/*Herschel* (ICC member).
- ★ Commissioning, maintenance, and regular observations with KOSMA.
- ★ Software development in IDL, Jython/Python, Fortran.

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<sup>1</sup>cf. Glossary

#### OTHER EXPERTISES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:

- ★ PI of DFG/ANR (german-french) project GENESIS (<https://www.astro.uni-koeln.de/GENESIS>).
- ★ PI of program 'Pillars' (*Herschel* open time).
- ★ PI of several observational programs with the JCMT, IRAM 30m, Plateau de Bure.
- ★ Co-I of Cygnus X *Spitzer legacy program*.
- ★ Co-I of several programs with *Herschel* (HOBYS, Gould Belt, Hi-GAL).
- ★ Member of the SOFIA/GREAT consortium (2015-).
- ★ Member of the SAG3/Herschel consortium (2006-).
- ★ Member of time allocation committee for SOFIA (2014-2015)
- ★ OPC member of time allocation committee for ESO (2014-2015)
- ★ Referee for A&A, ApJ, AJ, MNRAS
- ★ Regular successful preparation of telescope time and funding proposals.

#### ORGANISATION AND PUBLIC OUTREACH:

- ★ Organisation of the KOSMA (observing schedule, USER's Guide etc.) during 5 years.
- ★ Supervision of students and guest observers at KOSMA and at the LAB.
- ★ Public Outreach at KOSMA and LAB (guided tours, talks).
- ★ Organisation of conferences (e.g., AG in Cologne, workshops in Rome, Cologne).

#### TALKS 2014 - 2017:

- 06.03. 2017 Ringberg, contributed talk SOFIA conference
- 19.10. 2016 Asilomar, highlight talk conference 'The local truth'
- 26.09. 2016 Rom, contributed talk VIALACTEA
- 16.05. 2016 Pasadena, JPL, invited colloquium talk
- 12.05. 2016 San Diego, CASS, invited colloquium talk
- 20.04. 2016 Bochum, public outreach talk at the Planetarium Bochum
- 27.01. 2016 Santiago/Chile, invited seminar
- 24.11. 2015 Bordeaux, INRIA invited talk
- 04.11. 2015 Hamburg, invited seminar
- 09.09. 2015 Zermatt symposium, contributed talk
- 03.06. 2015 Cologne, seminar talk
- 23.03. 2015 Munich, filament workshop, invited talk
- 06.02. 2015 Cologne, seminar talk
- 25.05. 2014 Grece, OSSF2014, contributed talk
- 12.02. 2014 Cologne, SOFIA winter school, lecturer
- 28.01. 2014 Paris, Herschel meeting, contributed talk

## Publications

145 articles in journals, 22 first author.

### Most significant recent publications:

*Globules and Pillars in Cygnus X: I. FIR-imaging of the Cyg OB2 environment*

Schneider N., Bontemps S., Motte F., et al., 2016, A&A, 591, 40.

*Understanding star formation in molecular clouds I.*

Schneider N., Ossenkopf V., Csengeri T., et al., 2015, A&A, 575, 79.

*Globules and pillars seen in the [CII] 158  $\mu$ m line with SOFIA*

Schneider N., Güsten R., Tremblin P., et al., 2012, A&A Letter 542, L18.

*The link between molecular cloud structure and turbulence*

Schneider N., Motte F., Bontemps S., et al., 2011, A&A 529, 1 (cover page).

*Dynamic star formation in the DR21 filament*

Schneider N., Csengeri T., Bontemps S., et al., 2010, A&A 520, 49.

## Teaching

**2016:** Practical course “Interstellar medium” (Cologne).

**2014:** direction of 3-month master 1 thesis of A. Vue (LAB/Bordeaux).

**2013:** direction of 4-month master 2 thesis of A. Blazere (LAB/Bordeaux).

Between **1988** and **1998**, I participated in the teaching activities (practical courses for baccelor and master level, lectures, and tutoring at the Cologne university.

**2007-2010**, co-direction of the Ph.D. thesis of Timea Csengeri at CEA Saclay (advisor S. Bontemps) on high-angular resolution observations of massive stars in Cygnus X.

**2008-2011**, co-direction of the Ph.D. theis of Quang Nguyen-Luong (advisor F. Motte) on molecular cloud formation out of colliding flows.

## Glossary

**A&A:** Astronomy and Astrophysics (monthly journal for astrophysic)

**AG:** Astronomische Gesellschaft (German socity for astronomy)

**ApJ:** Astrophysical Journal

**CEA:** Commissariat à l’Energie Atomique et aux énergies alternatives

**HDR:** Habilitation à diriger des recherches (equivalent ‘Privatdozent’/professorship)

**Hi-GAL:** The *Herschel* infrared Galactic plane survey (<https://hi-gal.ifs-roma.inaf.it/higal>)

**HOBYs:** *Herschel* Imaging survey of OB Young Stellar objects (<http://starformation-herschel.iap.fr/hobys>)

**ICC:** Instrument Control Center

**IRAM:** Institut de radioastronomie millimétrique

**JCMT:** James Clark Maxwell Telescope (radiotélescope à Hawaii)

**KOSMA:** Cologne Observatory for Submm-Astronomy (<http://www.astro.uni-koeln.de/kosma>)

**LAB:** Laboratoire d’astronomie de Bordeaux

**LAOG:** Laboratoire d’astrophysique de Grenoble

**MNRAS:** Monthly Notices of the Royal Astronomical Society

**SOFIA:** Stratospheric Observatory for Far-Infrared Astronomy (NASA/DLR airplane)