

Curriculum Vitae

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Graduate psychologist (Univ.)
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Professional career

(1) Functions in companies of the SeniVita group of companies

01.09.2017-31.03.2021 Overall management of the nursing department of all inpatient, day-care and outpatient facilities
01.09.2014-31.08.2017 Head of the Research and Development Department
01.10.2002-31.08.2014 Managing Director of Operations of all inpatient, day-care and outpatient operations
01.10.2000-30.09.2002 Facility manager of an inpatient care facility
01.04.1999-30.09.2000 Managing the psychosocial services of two inpatient facilities

(2) Functions in companies of the SeniVita group of companies

01.01.2015-30.04.2017 Member of the Executive Board of SeniVita FEV AG
01.01.2010-31.12.2014 Member of the Board of SeniVita Verwaltung AG
01.07.2004-31.12.2009 Member of the Executive Board of SeniVita AG
01.01.2000-30.06.2004 Managing Director of Vitalitas GmbH

(3) Functions in research institutes of the SeniVita group of companies

01.08.2019-31.12.2021 Managing Director of the Institute for Ageing Cultures (InAK), Bayreuth
01.09.2015-31.10.2017 Director of the Research Institute for Education, Ageing and Demography (FIBAD), Bamberg

School and academic career

07.09.2020 Appointment as Visiting Professor at the Department of Gerontology, Akdeniz University, Antalya
01.10.2009 – 07.04.2014 Part-time doctoral studies (Dr. phil.) at the Department of Nursing Sciences with a focus on gerontology at the Tyrolean Provincial University (UMIT); dissertation topic: Homesickness in nursing homes - a qualitative-heuristic approach
01.05.1994-28.02.1999 Diploma studies in Catholic Theology at the Otto-Friedrich-University, Bamberg

01.11.1978 -30.04.1989 Diploma in Psychology (Dipl.-Psych. Univ.) with minor in Philosophy at the Friedrich-Alexander-University, Erlangen-Nuremberg; topic of the diploma thesis: Understanding emotions. Preliminary Remarks on the Propaedeutics of a Hermeneutically Oriented Psychology of Emotions
29.06.1978 General qualification for university entrance in the mathematical-scientific branch of the Kaspar-Zeuß-Gymnasium, Kronach

Other knowledge

MS Office very good
English: good in spoken and written
Latin, Ancient Greek, Hebrew: very good

Publications

Schuster, G.: (2018): Pflegeheim - Heimweh im neuen Zuhause. In: Rotkreuzschwester, 3/2018. Publisher W. Wächter, Berlin

Schuster, G. (2018): Nursing Home: Institution or Home? In: Die Schwester Der Pfleger, 7/ 2018. Bibliomed Medizinische Verlagsgesellschaft, Melsungen

Schuster, G.; Seeberger, B. (2016): Rezension zu Bachmaier, H.: Lektionen des Alters. In: Journal of Gerontology and Geriatrics, Issue 3/2016. Springer Verlag, Berlin, Heidelberg

Schuster, G. (2016): Home and homesickness. On the longing of old people in an alienating place. Mabuse Verlag, Frankfurt am Main

Schmidt, B.; Schuster, G.; Seeberger, B. (2015): Qualitative Analysis of Consumer Goods Packaging for Senior Citizens. In: Kempster, G.; Mayer, H. O.; Weidmann, K.-H. (2015): design2product. Contributions to empirical design research. Bucher Verlag, Hohenems-Vienna-Vaduz

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