

Curriculum vitae

Sandra Schwarz

Education and Professional Positions

04/2008-
present **Postdoctoral research fellow**
Research focus: Role of type VI secretion in *Burkholderia*-host interaction
Advisor: Prof. Dr. Joseph Mougous
Department of Microbiology, University of Washington, Seattle, USA

03/2008-
04/2008 **Postdoctoral research fellow**
Advisor: Prof. Dr. Sebastian Suerbaum
Institute of Medical Microbiology, Medical School Hannover, Germany

07/2002-
02/2008 **PhD in Microbiology**
Thesis title: Genetic and phenotypic variation of *Helicobacter pylori*
during chronic infection and after natural transmission
Thesis advisor: Prof. Dr. Sebastian Suerbaum

2003-2008: Institute of Medical Microbiology, Medical School
Hannover, Germany
2002-2003: Institute of Hygiene and Microbiology, Julius-Maximilians-
University, Würzburg, Germany

12/2001 **Diploma Thesis Defense in Biology**
Diploma Thesis in Plant Physiology
Thesis advisor: PD Dr. Wolfgang Schmidt
Carl von Ossietzky University, Oldenburg, Germany

Fellowships

01/2010-
09/2011 Postdoctoral fellowship of the Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft (DFG)

2002-2003 Associated member of the European graduate school "Gene Regulation in
and by Microbial Pathogens" of the University of Würzburg, Germany and
University of Umeå, Sweden. Coordinator Prof. Dr. Dr. h.c. mult. Jörg Hack