



EUROPEAN
FEDERATION FOR
IMMUNOGENETICS

Elections 2022

Nomination for Councillor

For the three positions as Councillor six nominations have been received and as a result, elections will be organised early 2022 for the three Councillor positions. The elections will be held electronically as we have had the last four times.



Peter Horn

Currently, I am heading the Institute of Transfusion Medicine at the University Hospital Essen, Germany, and act as Director of the HLA laboratory. I started my training as a physician in Hematology/Oncology at the University Hospital Cologne before completing a 2½ year postdoctoral fellowship at the Transplantation Biology Division at the Fred Hutchinson Cancer Center, Seattle, USA (Prof. Rainer Storb). I gained further experience in

the field of histocompatibility and immunogenetics at institutes in Düsseldorf and Hannover, before I accepted the chair for Transfusion Medicine in Essen in 2008 where continue to be actively involved in research, teaching, and clinical application of immunogenetics in both stem cell and organ transplantation. I have completed a number of inspections as an EFI inspector (and later DAkKS/EFI inspector) and I have been an active member of EFI's Educational Committee from 2011 to 2018 and served in EFI's Executive Committee from 2013 to 2016. During my career I have been fortunate to have had the opportunity to cooperate with colleagues from Europe and many other parts of the world. I feel that the experiences I have gained both personally and professionally could be useful to contribute to the aims of our society.

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