

BENEDIKT J. HERMANS M.D.

Curriculum Vitae

Dr. Benedikt Hermans was born in Hasselt / Belgium on July 2. 1959 and is of Belgian nationality.

He is married to Christiane Hermans and they have two children.

He is living, both in Isernhagen in the vicinity of Hannover / Germany and partly in Keerbergen / Belgium .

In Belgium, he founded the department of neurosurgery at the Imelda-hospital Bonheiden and H.Hart Hospital Tienen of which he is the actual senior neurosurgeon.

He completed his general medical education (Dokter in de genees- heel- en verloskunde / MD)

at: the University-Hasselt (1977-1980)

University of Louvain (K.U.L. 1980 – 1984)

and obtained his **medical and scientific education in neurosurgery** under

Prof. Dr. med. Dr. h.c. Madjid Samii

- Chairman of department of neurosurgery Nordtstadt Hospital Hannover
- Chairman of department of neurosurgery Hannover School of Medicine (MHH)
- Director of the neurosurgical center at INI-Hannover

1985 **approval of promotion (Dr.)** by the ministry of science and culture of Lower Saxony / Germany.

Additional international neurosurgical training, courses and lectures in cooperation with

Prof. Dr. Peter Jannetta - Pittsburg (microvascular decompression)

Prof. Dr. Pierre Lasjaunias - Paris (vascular interventional neuroradiology)

Prof. Dr. med. M.G. Yasargil (microneurosurgery)

Prof. Dr. med. W. Draf (HNO/NKO)

A.o. (Prof. Dr. med. A. Sepehrnia, Prof. Dr. med. G. Penkert (peripheral nerve-surgery))

Additional training with clinical and technical experience in **neuroradiology and neurological intensive Care.**

July 1990 **certified as neurosurgeon Germany**

September 1990 **certified as neurosurgeon Belgium**

From 1985 to 1990 involved as Medical Doctor in German Air Rescue (DRF) SAR and emergency motorcycle-unit (J.U.H / Germany)

Since 1991 General Aviation Pilot JAR / EASA - VFR & IFR.

Additional medical education with certification:

European School of Aviation Medicine

Deutsche Akademie für Flug- und Reisemedizin

Aviation Medical Examiner (AME) Class 1 & Class 2

Aviation Medicine / Fliegerarzt

Later actively involved in design, engineering and construction of spinal devices and materials
Cervical disc prosthesis (Carbon – PEEK) , co-designer anterior cervical plate system Zephir a.o.
Appointed consultant for Avimed, later Sofamor-Danek and Medtronic Inc. SD.
Performed guest surgeries and introduction for cervical disc prosthesis in Oslo, Genève, London, Dubai.

Excellence and international training-center at Bonheiden Hospital Belgium
Appointed consultant for Vexim, be.-medial, Cormed-Belgium, Biomet
Faculty Vexim clinical education and training program.
Performing cadaver surgery for Spine-Jack / Vexim, Controlled Anatomical Restoration of vertebral compression fracture.

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