Prof. Dr. h. c. Rolf Pfrengle Honorary Professor and Dr. h. c. at Faculty of Materials Science and Technology in Trnava, Slovak University of Technology in Bratislava

Professional Career

since 3/2015	Senckenberg Gesellschaft für Naturforschung (SGN) Administrative Director
2003 - 2/2015	Leibniz Institute for Solid State and Materials Research Dresden Administrative Director, Executive Board
1998 - 2002	Institute for Applied Chemistry Berlin-Adlershof (Berlin) Administrative Managing Director
1993 - 1998	Institut Historique Allemand (Paris, France) Head of Administration
1991 - 1993	Federal Ministry of Education and Research (Bonn) Dpt. European and International affairs – Cooperation with Central and Eastern European Countries; EUREKA
1987 - 1991	Instituto Storico Germanico (Roma, Italy) Head of Administration
1980 - 1987	Federal Ministry of Education and Research (Bonn) Dpt. Management of Project Funding Dpt. Basic Administrative Issues of the German Research Centres Dpt. International Cooperations; EUREKA
1969 - 1980	Federal Financial Administration (Koblenz, Cologne, Bonn) e.g. Company Auditor
Awards 2010	Memorial Eurocoin of Aurel Stodola Faculty of Materials Science and Technology in Trnava (STU)
2009	Dresden Congress Award (Category I, 3rd Place) together with Minister of State Dr. Eva-Maria Stange, Saxon Ministry of the Arts and Sciences
2009	Honorary doctor of the Slovak University of Technology in Bratislava
2007	Memorable medal of the Faculty of Materials Science and Technology in Trnava (STU)
2007	Badge of honour (silver) of the Leibniz Institute for Catalysis at the University of Rostock, Germany
2006	Honorary medal of the Slovak University of Technology in Bratislava

Memberships / Honorary Activities (from 2003)

Member of the Executive Board of the German Physical Society (DPG) (since 04/2014)

- Coordinator of the Area of Competency "Qualification Programs for Employees" within the DRESDEN-concept e.V. (since 2013)
- Vice Chairman of the Board of the Federal Association for Vocational Training in scientific and environmental-technical professions BAG NAWU (since 2013)
- Vice Spokesmen (2013 2014) and Member of the Steering Committee EU of the Leibniz Association (2010 2014)
- Executive Board Representative of Dual Training in the Leibniz Association (since 2012)
- Charter member DRESDEN-concept e.V. (since 2010)
- Steering committee Netzwerk "Dresden Stadt der Wissenschaften" (since 2010)
- Board of Trustees Competence Center Technology-Diversity-Equal Chances (since 2010)
- Editorial Board Scientific Journal Forum Manazera (STU) (since 2010)
- Executive Board Center for Science & Research Management Speyer (since 2010)
- Working group "Innovation&Science" of CDU Dresden (since 2010)
- Steering committee Knowledge and Technology Transfer of the Leibniz Association (2009 2014)
- Honorary Judge Social Court Dresden (2005 2009)
- Scientific Board International Doctoral Seminar, Faculty of Materials Science and Technology (STU) (since 2009)
- Board of Trustees Dresdner Gesprächskreis für Wirtschaft und Wissenschaft e.V. (since 2009)

- Coordinator (01/2009 08/2010) EU-Project DIVERSITY Improving the gender diversity management in materials research institutions
- Governing Board CMA-Network of Excellence (since 2008)
- Advisory Board (Fachbeirat) für Chemie- und chemiebezogene Berufe, Bildungsverbund Sachsen (2008 - 2014)
- General Meeting Leibniz Institute for Catalysis at the University of Rostock (2004 2014)
- Board of Trustees Expo Science Europe (ESE) 2004 in Dresden