Curriculum vitae

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Research

Charité - Universitätsmedizin Berlin, Germany

Since 10/2023 Max-Eder Research Group leader

Cancer and immune cell co-evolution

Dana-Farber Cancer Institute, USA

10/2019 - 09/2023 Postdoctoral research fellow (Wu Lab)

CTLA-4 blockade for relapsed myeloid malignancies after transplantation

Charité - Universitätsmedizin Berlin, Germany

06/2015 - 09/2019Postdoctoral research fellow (Hansmann Lab)

Immunologic biomarkers and therapeutic targets in rectal cancer

Laboratory of Pediatric Molecular Biology Berlin, Germany

Medical thesis (Prof. Hagemeier) 08/2009 - 05/2015

Development of a lentiviral shRNA screen in SH-EP neuroblastoma cells

Research Institute of Molecular Pathology Vienna, Austria

06 - 08/2013Vienna Biocenter Summer School (Zuber Lab)

Max Planck Institute of Molecular Cell Biology Dresden, Germany

09/2005 - 06/2007School project: Phylogenetic analysis of proteins using bioinformatics tools

Education

Charité - Universitätsmedizin Berlin

07/2025 Habilitation and Venia legendi (Privatdozent) in Internal Medicine

07/2024 Board certification in Internal Medicine (Facharzt für Innere Medizin)

Berlin Institute of Health

Since 10/2023 Digital Clinician Scientist

Berlin Institute of Health

07/2016 - 07/2018 Junior Clinician Scientist

Charité - Universitätsmedizin Berlin

05/2015 Medical thesis with grade 1.0 (magna cum laude)

11/2014 Medical state examination with grade 1.33 (1.0=best, 5.0=bottom)

Martin-Andersen-Nexö-Gymnasium Dresden, Germany

06/2007 High school diploma with grade 1.0 (1.0=best, 6.0=bottom)

Prizes in informatics competitions and work as administrator of computer pool

International experience

McGill University Montreal, Canada

02 – 04/2014 Clinical electives in cardiology and nephrology

Université Diderot Paris VII, France

09/2013 – 02/2014 Clinical electives in general surgery and medical oncology

Université Pierre et Marie Curie Paris VI, France

08/2011 – 06/2012 ERASMUS exchange

Bangalore Baptist Hospital, India

02 – 03/2010 Clinical elective in general surgery

Morrin High School, Alberta, Canada

09/2004 – 06/2005 High school diploma

Scholarships, awards and grants

08/2025 ASH Global Research Award

07/2025 Brigitte und Dr. Konstanze Wegener-Stiftung – Research Grant

12/2024 ASH Abstract Achievement Award 07/2024 DKMS John Hansen Research Grant

11/2023 Else Kröner-Fresenius-Stiftung – Research Grant

Since 10/2023 Berlin Institute of Health – Digital Clinician Scientist Grant

01 – 06/2023 EHA-EMBL/EBI Computational Biology Training in Hematology (CBTH)

07/2022 ASH Scholar Award

12/2020 and 12/2021 ASH Abstract Achievement Award

10/2019 – 03/2022 German Research Foundation (DFG) – Research Fellowship 07/2016 – 06/2018 Berlin Institute of Health – Junior Clinician Scientist Grant

09/2013 – 04/2014 German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD) – Exchange Scholarship

08/2013 Vienna Biocenter – VWR Summer School Prize

05/2010 – 11/2014 German Academic Scholarship Foundation – University Scholarship

Languages spoken

German native

English near-native (C2)
French proficient (C1)
Romanian proficient (C1)

Selected Publications

Charité - Universitätsmedizin Berlin (since 2023)

Putting AML Differentiation States on the BoneMarrowMap.

Berger J, Penter L

Blood Cancer Discov. 2025 Jul 1;6(4):280-283. IF 11.5

Tracking rare single donor and recipient immune and leukemia cells after allogeneic hematopoietic cell transplantation using mitochondrial DNA mutations

Penter L, Cieri N, Maurer K, Kwok M, Lyu H, Lu WS, Oliveira G, Gohil SH, Leshchiner I, Lareau C, Ludwig LS,

Neuberg DS, Kim HT, Li S, Bullinger L, Ritz J, Getz G, Garcia JS, Soiffer RJ, Livak KJ, Wu CJ

Blood Cancer Discovery. 2024 Nov 1;5(6):442-459. IF 11.5

Integrative genotyping of cancer and immune phenotypes by long-read sequencing

Penter L*, Borji M*, Nagler A*, Lyu H, Lu W, Cieri N, Maurer K, Oliveira G, Al'Khafaji AM, Garimella KV, Li S, Neuberg DS, Ritz J, Soiffer RJ, Garcia JS, Livak KJ, Wu CJ

Nature Communications. 2024 Jan 2;15(1):32. IF 16.6

Dana-Farber Cancer Institute (2019 – 2023)

Mechanisms of response and resistance to combined decitabine and ipilimumab for advanced myeloid disease Penter L, Liu Y, Wolff JO, Yang L, Taing L, Jhaveri A, Southard J, Patel M, Cullen NM, Pfaff KL, Cieri N, Oliveira G, Kim-Schulze S, Ranasinghe S, Leonard R, Robertson T, Morgan EA, Chen HX, Song MH, Thurin M, Li S, Rodig SJ, Cibulskis C, Gabriel S, Bachireddy P, Ritz J, Streicher H, Neuberg DS, Hodi FS, Davids MS, Gnjatic S, Livak KJ, Altreuter J, Michor F, Soiffer RJ, Garcia JS, Wu CJ

Blood. 2023 Apr 13;141(15):1817-1830. IF 20.3

Mitochondrial DNA mutations as natural barcodes for lineage tracing of murine tumor models

Penter L*, ten Hacken E*, Southard J, Lareau CA, Ludwig LS, Li S, Neuberg DS, Livak KJ, Wu CJ

Cancer Research. 2023 Mar 2;83(5):667-672. IF 11.2

AML relapse after a TIGIT race

Penter L, Wu CJ

Blood. 2022 Sep 15;140(11):1189-1191. IF 20.3

Natural Barcodes for Longitudinal Single Cell Tracking of Leukemic and Immune Cell Dynamics

Penter L, Gohil SH, Wu CJ

Frontiers in Immunology. 2022 12:788891. IF 8.8

Coevolving JAK2V617F⁺ relapsed AML and donor T cells with PD-1 blockade after stem cell transplantation: an index case

Penter L, Gohil SH, Huang T, Thrash EM, Schmidt D, Li S, Severgnini M, Neuberg DS, Hodi FS, Livak KJ, Zeiser R, Bachireddy P, Wu CJ

Blood Advances. 2021 5(22):4701-4709. IF 7.6

Longitudinal single-cell dynamics of chromatin accessibility and mitochondrial mutations in chronic lymphocytic leukemia mirror disease history

Penter L*, Gohil SH*, Lareau C, Ludwig LS, Parry EM, Huang T, Li S, Zhang W, Livitz D, Leshchiner I, Parida L, Getz G, Rassenti LZ, Kipps TJ, Brown JR, Davids MS, Neuberg DS, Livak KJ, Sankaran VG, Wu CJ.

Cancer Discovery. 10.1158/2159-8290.CD-21-0276. 2021 IF 38.3

Molecular and cellular features of CTLA-4 blockade for relapsed myeloid malignancies after transplantation Penter L, Zhang Y, Savell A, Huang T, Cieri N, Thrash EM, Kim-Schulze S, Jhaveri A, Fu J, Ranasinghe S, Li S, Zhang W, Hathaway ES, Nazzaro M, Kim HT, Chen H, Thurin M, Rodig SJ, Severgnini M, Cibulskis C, Gabriel S, Livak KJ, Cutler C, Antin JH, Nikiforow S, Koreth J, Ho VT, Armand P, Ritz J, Streicher H, Neuberg D, Hodi FS, Gnjatic S, Soiffer

Blood. 2021 137 (23), 3212-3217. IF 25.5

RJ, Liu XS, Davids MS, Bachireddy P, Wu CJ.

Personal tumor antigens in blood malignancies: genomics-directed identification and targeting Penter L, Wu CJ

JCI. 2020 130 (4), 1595-1607. IF 14.8

Charité - Universitätsmedizin Berlin (2015 - 2019)

Localization-associated immune phenotypes of clonally expanded tumor-infiltrating T cells and distribution of their target antigens in rectal cancer

<u>Penter L</u>, Dietze K, Ritter J, Lammoglia-Cobo MF, Garmshausen J, Aigner F, Bullinger L, Hackstein H, Wienzek-Lischka S, Blankenstein T, Hummel M, Dornmair K, Hansmann L.

Oncolmmunology. 2019 8 (6), e1586409. IF 5.9

FACS single cell index sorting is highly reliable and determines immune phenotypes of clonally expanded T cells Penter L, Dietze K, Bullinger L, Westermann J, Rahn HP, Hansmann L.

Eur J Immunol. 2018 Jul;48(7):1248-1250. IF 4.7

A rapid screening system evaluates novel inhibitors of DNA methylation and suggests F-box proteins as potential therapeutic targets for high-risk neuroblastoma

Penter L, Maier B, Frede U, Hackner B, Carell T, Hagemeier C, Truss M.

Target Oncol. 2015 Dec;10(4):523-33. IF 2.9