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Professor Martin Schrappe commenced work in Pediatric Hematology and Oncology at the Children's Hospital of the Medical School Hannover, Germany, in 1985 and performed basic and translational research at the Scripps Research Institute at La Jolla, California in 1987-1990. His research activities focused on acute lymphoblastic leukemia in childhood, especially the impact of clinical and molecular prognostic factors for risk adapted therapy strategies. In 1996, he became senior attending physician of the Pediatric Hematology and Oncology Division at the Children's Hospital of the Medical School Hannover. Since 2000, Martin Schrappe is professor for Pediatric Hematology and Oncology. In 2004, he became full professor of Pediatrics at the Christian-Albrechts-University of Kiel and was assigned to serve as Director of the Department of General Pediatrics at the University Medical Center, Kiel. In 2001, he was elected Chairman of the International BFM Study Group (till 2016). In August 2009, he was appointed member of the Board of International Society of Pediatric Oncology (SIOP)-Europe. He became President of SIOPE in 2016 (until the end of 2018). From 2011 to the end of 2015, he served as Activity Coordinator (1 of 3) in the European Network for Cancer Research in Children and Adolescents (ENCCA) as funded through EU-FP7. Since 2019, he is serving as Chairman of the Society of Pediatric Oncology and Hematology in Germany (GPOH). He is also board member in various national and international clinical study groups for Pediatric Hematology and Oncology. He has extensively published in major medical journals including reviews and book chapters.