

## Sigrid Beer-Borst

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Date of birth, citizenship: July 24, 1964 in Nuremberg, German

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### Career

- 1970 - 1974 Primary school in Erlangen (Germany).
- 1974 - 1983 High school, Type Science and Modern Languages, in Spardorf/Erlangen (Germany).
- 1983 - 1989 Studies in "Oecotrophologie" (Human Nutrition and Home Economics) at the Technical University of Munich-Weihenstephan (Germany):
  - Masters Degree in Oecotrophologie (Dipl.-Oec.troph. UNIV) 1989
- 1990 - 1994 Research Associate in the Department of Food Science, Laboratory of Human Nutrition, Swiss Federal Institute of Technology, Zurich (Switzerland):
  - Collaboration in the development, administration and teaching of the Postgraduate Program in Human Nutrition at the Swiss Federal Institute of Technology.
  - Responsible for survey development, implementation and analysis/interpretation: "HEUREKA large-scale dietary survey" (1991), Questionnaire validation study (1993), "Wetzikon study" (1993).
- 10/11 1992 Postgraduate Program with Diploma in Human Nutrition at the University of Lausanne (Switzerland).
- 1990 - 1994 Freelance work:
  - Publications, talks, teaching.
- 1994 - 1996 Visiting scientist at Health Canada, Nutrition Research Division, Nutrition

	Surveys, in Ottawa, Ontario (Canada):
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Development of an assessment tool for a nation-wide youth dietary survey.</li> </ul>
1997 - 1998	<p>Research Associate at the Division of Clinical Epidemiology, Geneva University Hospitals (Switzerland):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Project manager for "EURALIM (Europe Alimentation), a European information campaign on diet and nutrition"; a project to harmonise data from 7 European epidemiologic surveys.</li> </ul>
1999 - 2003	<p>Owner manager of the nutritional science research service "SIGRID BEER-BORST, PROJECTS IN NUTRITIONAL SCIENCES":</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Planning, carrying out, and analysing projects in nutritional sciences - in various areas, such as public health nutrition (nutritional epidemiology) and new food developments (functional food) - for different domestic and foreign clients in the public as well as private sector.</li> </ul>
2004 - 2006	<p>Research Associate/Administrative Manager at the Division of Clinical Epidemiology, Geneva University Hospitals (Switzerland):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Supervisor, Bus Santé Surveys (7 technical collaborators). Responsible for development, implementation and realisation of community based health surveys/studies, ranging from 100 to 2500 participants per study and/or year.</li> <li>• Acting head (ad interim) of the Division of Clinical Epidemiology (Feb.-Dec. 06).</li> <li>• Teaching in nutritional epidemiology: Geneva University of Applied Sciences (HES), University of Lausanne.</li> </ul>
since 2007	Head applied Research & Development in Nutrition and Dietetics at Berne University of Applied Sciences, Section of Health (Switzerland).
Languages	Mother tongue German; English and French fluent