

Curriculum Vitae

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EDUCATION

Karlsruhe Institute of Technology (KIT), Germany, Institute of Mineralogy and Geochemistry, Research Center Environment, Ph.D. in Natural Sciences, 2007.

Zurich University of Applied Sciences (ZHAW), Switzerland, Department of Chemistry, B.Sc. in Chemistry, 1987.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Eawag, Swiss Federal Institute of Aquatic Science & Technology, Dübendorf, Switzerland, Water Resources and Drinking Water Department, Contaminant Hydrology Group, Head of Department (2014-present), Research Group Leader (2002-present).

Adjunct Professor with the School of Civil Engineering and Surveying, University of Southern Queensland, Australia (2018).

Curtin University and CSIRO, Perth, Australia. Sabbatical year as Adjunct Professor (09.2013-07.2014)
ETH Zurich, Lecturer (2006-present).

University of Karlsruhe, Germany, Institute of Mineralogy and Geochemistry, Research Center Environment, Doctoral Fellow (2005-2007).

Hanoi University of Science, Vietnam, Scientific Advisor and Manager for the Swiss Agency for Development and Cooperation in Vietnam (1998-2008). Capacity Building in Environmental Science and Technology in Northern Vietnam.

Swiss Federal Institute of Aquatic Science & Technology (EAWAG), Chemistry Department, Scientific Coworker, Environmental Inorganic Chemistry (1988-1991), Environmental Organic Chemistry (1992-1999).

RESEARCH INTERESTS

- Occurrence, fate and behavior of organic and inorganic contaminants in aquatic environments.
- Geochemical and physical processes determining the mobility of contaminants.
- Development of methodologies involving compound-specific isotope analysis.
- Geogenic groundwater contamination.
- Surface water and drinking water pollution.

SELECTED ACTIVITIES

2015-to date Manager of the Groundwater Assessment Platform (www.gapmaps.org)

2013–2014 Sabbatical stay as Adjunct Professor at Curtin University and CSIRO, Perth, Western Australia, October 2013–July 2014

2013–2014 Guest Editor, *Science of the Total Environment*.

2011 Co-organizer, International Conference on Arsenic in Groundwater in Southern Asia, Hanoi, Vietnam, November 2011

2011 Organizing Committee, International Conference on Chemistry and the Environment (ICCE 2011), Zurich, Switzerland, September 2011.

2008 Organizing Committee, National Workshop on Groundwater Arsenic Contamination in Vietnam, Hanoi University of Science, Hanoi, Vietnam, November 2008.

2008 Co-organizer, Swiss National Symposium on Rehabilitation of Industrial Sites Contaminated by Chlorinated Solvents, May 2008, Bern, Switzerland.

2007 Guest Editor, *Applied Geochemistry*.

2007 Co-organizer, Joint Eawag/University of Manchester Workshop on “Arsenic in Southeast Asian Aquifers with emphasis on Cambodia and Vietnam”, Manchester, UK, October 2007.

2006-to date Lecturer at ETH Zurich, Department of Environmental Systems Science, Switzerland.
1998-2008 Scientific Advisor and Manager for the Swiss Agency for Development and Cooperation in Vietnam (1998-2008). Capacity Building in Environmental Science and Technology in Northern Vietnam. Hanoi University of Science, Vietnam.

AWARDS

- 2019** Sandmeyer Prize for experimental and modelling studies on drinking water contamination by arsenic and other geogenic elements. Awarded at the 2019 Fall meeting of the Swiss Chemical Society. http://scg.ch/index.php?option=com_content&view=category&layout=blog&id=91&Itemid=580
- Oct 2018** appointed Adjunct Professor with the School of Civil Engineering and Surveying at the University of Southern Queensland, Australia.
- Aug 2013** Cover story of the journal "Science", combined with an international press conference organized by "Science" on our publication entitled *Groundwater arsenic contamination throughout China* (Rodriguez-Lado et al. 2013, Science. See [doi:10.1126/science.1237484](https://doi.org/10.1126/science.1237484)
- Jul 2008 & Jan 2011** Extensive media coverage by international press (including CNN, CBS, BBC) on our work on arsenic prediction in groundwaters in Southeast Asia (Winkel et al., Nature Geoscience 2008, and Winkel et al., PNAS 2011). See [doi:10.1073/pnas.1011915108](https://doi.org/10.1073/pnas.1011915108) and [doi:10.1038/ngeo254](https://doi.org/10.1038/ngeo254)
- 2008** Medal of Honour for achievements in training and research in Vietnam, Ministry of Education and Training, Vietnam.
- 2008** Publication Award, American Chemical Society, Environmental science 1st runner-up paper of the year 2007, "Carbon and Chlorine Isotope Effects During Abiotic Reductive Dechlorination of Polychlorinated Ethanes", *Environmental Science and Technology*. See [doi:10.1021/es087066v](https://doi.org/10.1021/es087066v)
- 2006** Publication Award, American Chemical Society, Environmental technology top paper of the year 2005, "Bacterial Bioassay for Rapid and Accurate Analysis of Arsenic in Highly Variable Groundwater Samples", *Environmental Science and Technology*. See [doi:10.1021/es0626537](https://doi.org/10.1021/es0626537)

PUBLICATIONS

Online list, Google Scholar <http://scholar.google.com/citations?user=keesbKYAAAAJ>

1. Peer-reviewed articles and book chapters

Muhammad Sadiq, Syed Ali M.A.S. Eqani, Joel Podgorski, Shazia Ilyas, Syed Sayyam Abbas, Mustafa N. Shafqat, Ismat Nawaz, **Michael Berg**. *Geochemical Insights of Arsenic Mobilization into the Aquifers of Punjab, Pakistan*. *Science of the Total Environment*, **935**, 173452 (2024). <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.scitotenv.2024.173452>

Joel Podgorski*, Oliver Kracht, Luis Araguas-Araguas, Stefan Terzer-Wassmuth, Jodie Miller, Ralf Straub, Rolf Kipfer, **Michael Berg***. *Groundwater vulnerability to pollution in Africa's Sahel region*. *Nature Sustainability*, **7**, 558–567 (2024). <https://doi.org/10.1038/s41893-024-01319-5> (Open Access)

<https://doi.org/10.1038/s41893-024-01319-5> (Open Access) Dahyann Araya*, Joel Podgorski, **Michael Berg***. *Groundwater salinity in the Horn of Africa: Spatial prediction modeling and estimated people at risk*. *Environment International*, **176**, 107925 (2023). <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.envint.2023.107925> (Open Access)

Alexandra K. Lightfoot, Emiliano Stopelli, **Michael Berg**, Matthias Brennwald, Rolf Kipfer. *Noble gases in aquitard provide insight into underlying subsurface stratigraphy and free gas formation*. *Vadose Zone Journal*, **22**, e20232 (2023). <https://doi.org/10.1002/vzj2.20232> (Open Access)

Caroline M.C. de Meyer, Ingo Wahnfried, Juan M. Rodriguez Rodriguez, Rolf Kipfer, Pilar A. García Avelino, Edward A. Carpio Deza, **Michael Berg***. *Hotspots of geogenic arsenic and manganese contamination in groundwater of the floodplains in lowland Amazonia (South America)*. *Science of the Total Environment*, **860**, 160407 (2023). <http://dx.doi.org/10.1016/j.scitotenv.2022.160407> (Open Access)

Jonas Wielinski, Joaquin Jimenez-Martinez, Jörg Göttlicher, Ralph Steininger, Stefan Mangold, Stephan Hug, **Michael Berg**, Andreas Voegelin. *Spatiotemporal mineral phase evolution and arsenic retention in*

microfluidic models of zerovalent iron-based water treatment. Environmental Science & Technology, **56**, 13696–13708 (2022). <https://doi.org/10.1021/acs.est.2c02189> (Open Access)

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Jochen Bundschuh, Nabeel Khan Niazi, Mohammad Ayaz Alam, Michael Berg, Indika Herath, Barbara Tomaszewska, Jyoti Prakash Maity, Yong Sik Ok. *Global arsenic dilemma and sustainability.* Journal of Hazardous Materials, **436**, 129197 (2022). <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jhazmat.2022.129197> (Open Access)

Yuya Ling, Joel Podgorski*, Muhammad Sadiq, Hifza Rasheed, Syed A.M.A.S. Eqani, Michael Berg. *Monitoring and prediction of high fluoride concentrations in groundwater in Pakistan.* Science of the Total Environment, **839**, 156058 (2022). <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.scitotenv.2022.156058> (Open Access)

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<https://www.nature.com/articles/s41561-020-0557-6>

Elke Suess, **Michael Berg***, Sylvain Bouchet, Lara Cayo, Stephan J. Hug, Ralf Kaegi, Andreas Voegelin, Lenny H.E. Winkel, Emanuel Tessier, David Amouroux, Andreas M. Buser. *Mercury loads and fluxes from wastewater: A nationwide survey in Switzerland*. *Water Research*, **175**, 115708 (2020).
<https://doi.org/10.1016/j.watres.2020.115708> (Open Access)

Emiliano Stopelli, Vu T. Duyen, Tran T. Mai, Pham T.K. Trang, Pham H. Viet, Alexandra Lightfoot, Rolf Kipfer, Magnus Schneider, Elisabeth Eiche, Agnes Kontny, Thomas Neumann, Martyna Glodowska, Monique Patzner, Andreas Kappler, Sara Kleindienst, Bhasker Rathi, Olaf Cirpka, Henning Prommer, Lenny H. E. Winkel, **Michael Berg***. *Spatial and temporal evolution of groundwater arsenic contamination in the Red River delta, Vietnam: Interplay of mobilisation and retardation processes*. *Science of the Total Environment*, **717**, 137143 (2020). <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.scitotenv.2020.137143> (Open Access)

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Shanyun Wang, Guibing Zhu, Linjie Zhuang, Yixiao Li, Lu Liu, Gaute Lavik, **Michael Berg**, Sitong Liu, Xi-En Long, Jianhua Guo, Mike S.M. Jetten, Marcel M.M. Kuypers, Fangbai Li, Lorenz Schwark, Chengqing Yin. *Anaerobic ammonium oxidation is a major N-sink in aquifer systems around the world*. *ISME Journal*, **14**, 151–163 (2020). <https://www.nature.com/articles/s41396-019-0513-x>

Joel Podgorski, Michael Berg, Rolf Kipfer. *Prediction Isotope mapping of groundwater pollution and renewal.* IAEA Bulletin, **60**(1), 31–32 (2019). <https://www.iaea.org/bulletin> (Open Access)

Christian Möck, Dirk Radny, Peter Huggenberger, Annette Affolter, Adrian Auckenthaler, Juliane Hollender, Michael Berg, Mario Schirmer. *Verteilung anthropogen eingetragener Stoffe im Grundwasser: Ein Fallbeispiel aus der Nordschweiz.* Grundwasser, **23**(4), 297–309 (2018). <https://doi.org/10.1007/s00767-018-0403-6>

Joel E. Podgorski*, Pawan Labhasetwar, Dipankar Saha, Michael Berg*. *Prediction Modeling and Mapping of Groundwater Fluoride Contamination throughout India.* Environmental Science & Technology, **52**, 9889–9898 (2018). <https://doi.org/10.1021/acs.est.8b01679> (Open Access)

Harald Neidhardt, Daniel Schoeckle, Anna Schleinitz, Elisabeth Eiche, Zsolt Berner, Pham T.K. Trang, Vi M. Lan, Pham H. Viet, Ashis Biswas, Santanu Majumder, Debasish Chatterjee, Yvonne Oelmann, Michael Berg. *Biogeochemical phosphorus cycling in groundwater ecosystems – Insights from South and Southeast Asian floodplain and delta aquifers.* Science of the Total Environment, **644**, 1357–1370 (2018). <http://doi.org/10.1016/j.scitotenv.2018.07.056>

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Harald Neidhardt, Lenny H.E. Winkel, Ralf Kaegi, Caroline Stengel, Pham T.K. Trang, Vi M. Lan, Pham H. Viet, Michael Berg. *Insights into arsenic retention dynamics of Pleistocene aquifer sediments by in situ sorption experiments.* Water Research, **129**, 123–132 (2018). <http://doi.org/10.1016/j.watres.2017.11.018>. dx.doi.org/10.1016/j.scitotenv.2017.07.211

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