

## **Prof. Dr. Gunda I. Georg**

Regents Professor of Medicinal Chemistry, University of Minnesota, USA  
Robert Vince Endowed Chair, McKnight Presidential Chair

### **Curriculum Vitae**

#### **Education**

1975 Degree in Pharmacy, University of Marburg  
1980 PhD in Pharmaceutical Chemistry, University of Marburg

#### **Professional appointments**

1980 Postdoc, Institute for Pharmaceutical Chemistry, University of Marburg  
1982 Postdoc, Department of Chemistry, University of Ottawa, Canada  
1983 Assistant Professor, Medicinal Chemistry, University of Rhode Island, Kingston, R.I. USA  
1984-2006, Assistant, Associate, Professor, and Distinguished Professor, University of Kansas, USA  
2007-present, Professor of Medicinal Chemistry, University of Minnesota, USA  
2007-2022, Head of the Department of Medicinal Chemistry, University of Minnesota  
2007-present, Director, Institute for Therapeutics Discovery and Development  
2018-present Regents Professor

#### **Membership in Professional Organizations**

American Chemical Society  
  Division of Medicinal Chemistry  
  Division of Organic Chemistry  
American Association for the Advancement of Science  
American Association for Cancer Research (AACR)  
International Society of Heterocyclic Chemistry  
Deutsche Pharmazeutische Gesellschaft  
Gesellschaft Deutscher Chemiker  
  Division of Medicinal Chemistry  
American Association of Pharmaceutical Scientists  
Iota Sigma Pi  
Phi Lambda Upsilon  
Phi Beta Kappa

#### **Scientific Board Positions (selected)**

Editor-in-Chief for the *Journal of Medicinal Chemistry* (2011-2020)  
Division of Medicinal Chemistry of the American Chemical Society  
  Vice Chair and Chair of the Long-Range Planning Committee (2023)  
  Chair (2024) of Executive Committee, Past Chair (2025)  
Reviewer for the National Institutes of Health, National Science Foundation, and other national and international funding agencies.  
University of Bonn, Germany, Scientific Advisory Board, Research Training Group (2024-2029)  
City of Hope Comprehensive Cancer Center External Advisory Board (2023-present)  
YourChoice Therapeutics, San Francisco (2019-present)  
University of Tennessee, Memphis, TN, College of Pharmacy Drug Discovery Center (2018-present)  
Purdue Cancer Center Drug Discovery, West Lafayette, IN (2013-present)  
National Cancer Institute Chemical Biology Consortium Steering Committee (2022-present)

#### **Research:**

Medicinal Chemistry, drug discovery, contraception, and cancer. Co-inventor of one marketed drug and three drugs in clinical trials. 270 publications; 12,517 citations, h-index 60 (April 2024)

#### **Honors (selected)**

2023 Carl Mannich Medal of the German Pharmaceutical Society (DPhG)  
2020 Alfred Burger Award in Medicinal Chemistry of the American Chemical Society

2017 Medicinal Chemistry Hall of Fame, American Chemical Society Division of Medicinal Chemistry (MEDI)  
2013 Ernest H. Volwiler Research Achievement Award of the American Association of Colleges of Pharmacy  
2013 Elected Fellow of the American Chemical Society  
2000 Sato Memorial International Award of the Pharmaceutical Society of Japan  
1996 AAAS Fellow