



Daniel BRASSEUR

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Daniel Brasseur (born 07.06.51) is bachelor of the European School in Brussels and was graduated as a licensed paediatrician (1981) after studying medicines at the Free University Brussels (ULB). After 3 years stay in Central Africa and 2 years as a Medical Director in Industry (KabiPharmacia), he moved to the University Children's Hospital Queen Fabiola (Belgium) and specialised in nutrition.

At the laboratory of Paediatrics and Metabolic Diseases, he built up a unit for Nutrition and Pharmacology. He studied the impact of diet and nutrition on several enzymatic systems and immune reactions. His interest in infantile research led him to chair since 1994 the Ethical Committee of his Institution (up to 2001) and to participate to the evaluation of new and innovative drugs. This brought him to take part in his National Drug Commission as an evaluator and further (1997) as a co-ordinator of the team of medical assessors at the Federal Ministry of Public Health. He continued his activities and moved to the Federal Agency for Medicines and health products (FAMHP) when this body was created (January 2007).

He joined CPMP in 1997 at the European Medicines Agency (EMA, London) and was elected chair in 2001 up to 2007. He was also member and chair of the CHMP-Vaccine Working Party at the EMA. Later in 2007 he became chair of the Paediatric Committee (PDCO) EMA up to 2013. Just thereafter, was re-appointed as the Belgian member at the CHMP and ended his mandate in August 2016. Although now retired, he still is currently a member of the Vaccine Working Party of the CHMP.

In his academic activities he was an Associate Professor of Paediatrics and a Professor of Nutrition at the Faculty of Medicine (Free University Brussels-ULB) and has worked until his retirement as a consultant at the University Children's Hospital (Brussels).

He was a member of the Scientific Subcommittee on Diet and Allergy of the European Food Safety Agency (EFSA, 2002-2005).

As of today, he is a member of the National Council for Hygiene and participates in two sub-groups : the Vaccine Council and the Nutrition Council.

He has chaired the Regulatory working group of the Coalition Epidemics Preparedness Innovations (CEPI) until 2019.

He is currently a member of the Scientific Advice Committee (SAC) and Joint Coordination Group (JCG) at CEPI.

He is a member of several international societies in nutrition and pharmacology.

He is the author or co-author of more than 100 publications and communications in paediatrics, nutrition and infantile pharmacology.