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Ruth is a patent researcher at Maiwald in the areas of molecular biology, chemistry and pharmaceuticals. A major part of her work involves setting up and conducting prior art searches as well as freedom-to-operate, monitoring and legal status searches.

**CAREER**

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since 2003	Patent searcher at Maiwald
2002 - 2003	Research Assistant at the University Hospital Hamburg-Eppendorf

**EDUCATION**

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2019	Qualified Patent Information Professional
1998 - 2002	Doctoral degree in the field of chemistry from the University of Hamburg
1993 - 1998	Studied biochemistry and molecular biology at the University of Hamburg

**PRACTICE AREAS**

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- IP Search

**SERVICES**

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- State-of-the-art and freedom-to-operate searches

**RECOGNITIONS**

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- Scholarship of the German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD)

**LANGUAGES**

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- German
- English
- French