

Professor Drummer has made outstanding contributions to advancement of knowledge in analytical and forensic toxicology in a career spanning nearly 40 years. The date of his first publication listed in PUBMED was 1977 and this was about the safety of beta-blocking drugs. Since that time Professor Drummer's publication track record has been impressive and he continues to produce original research articles, reviews and book chapters to this very day.

For more than a decade he has served as the toxicology editor for a major scientific journal, namely Forensic Science International (Elsevier), where many of us publish our papers. He has also functioned as the toxicology editor for several encyclopedias devoted to forensic science and legal medicine (Elsevier).

Olaf is the author or co-author of hundreds of publications that span the entire field of analytical and forensic toxicology, including method development and validation, human performance testing, alcohol, drugs and driving, post-mortem toxicology, and the interpretation of hair testing for drugs of abuse.

Olaf is listed as author or co-author of 190 articles in PUBMED, although this does not include his many contributions to books, book chapters and encyclopedias devoted to forensic science and legal medicine.

Olaf is listed as author or co-author of 210 articles in Web-of-Science, the organization that counts citations and computes the H-index.

Olaf is listed as author or co-author of 239 articles in the database SCOPUS.

Olaf has regularly attended TIAFT meetings after he joined our organization as a member in 1990. His contributions and enthusiasm for TIAFT led to him being elected to the executive board and there he served two terms as treasurer (1999-2002 and 2002-2005). Olaf was president elect (2005-2008) before his appointment as the president of TIAFT (2008-2011). Olaf was the driving force and the main organizer when the TIAFT meeting was held in Melbourne in 2003 and in Brisbane 2016.

He received Alan Curry award in 2016.