- born in 1959 in Raumland
- employee of the Sparkasse Wittgenstein since 1975
- has been photographing nature motifs mainly in Wittgenstein for about 35 years
- is fascinated by Nordic destinations, especially Norway
- after some trips to Norway in 1987, 1989, 1990, 1997 and 1999, mainly in the summer months, in order to experience Norway in all seasons, four trips followed from 2010 to 2017
- Publications with his colleague Uwe Haßler:
- 2004: Publication of the illustrated book about nature "Wittgensteiner Land – Faszination Natur zwischen Lahn und Rothaargebirge"
- 2017: Publication of the illustrated book about nature "Wittgensteiner Land – Naturimpressionen"
- regular demonstrations of his pictures dealing with four topics in Bad Berleburg clinics
- Co-designer of the photo calendar of the Sparkasse Wittgenstein since 2000
- joint travels have taken us to Sweden, Canada and the USA (Alaska, Rocky Mountains, Southwest)