

## Walk in the Igls

I worked for six months (January – July 1993) as a visiting Associate Professor, and joined the group of Dr. Kraft. There were Silvano, Arno, Marion and Constanze in the project. I proposed a study abroad to Dr. Utermann with Japanese government grant, as felt great interesting for apo(a) isoform's analysis.

Then, I had continued in Clinical Laboratory in Gifu University School of Medicine, and my first exhibition of Lp(a) was 1988. It was permitted as a diagnostic test "Lp(a)" in medical insurance system of Japan by a part of our efforts in 1993 (it was revised ca 7.5 EUR / test, max. three months in 2008). Dr. Utermann has taught me to apo(a) DNA typing strictly for more my evolution. Nevertheless, he kindhearted



very much, by the way invited to the Igls mountain, and walked watching birds, medical herbs and insects with us. We could enjoy enough Innsbruck. Thank you for your all kindness.

We wish you and your family keep fine forever.

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