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Hans-Georg Menzel received his Diploma in physics from the Technical University of Munich and his Ph.D. in physics from the University of Saarland (Germany). His professional career started in 1970 at the European Joint Research Centre in Ispra (Italy) and continued in 1973 at the German Cancer Research Centre, Heidelberg and in 1977 at the University of Saarland (Germany).

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Hans-Georg Menzel has served on numerous international scientific committees of ICRU, ICRP, IAEA and the European Commission. He is currently a member of ICRU and of ICRP. Since 2007 he is the chairman of ICRP Committee 2 and member of the Main Commission. He became chairman of ICRU in 2010.

