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How NOT to study a human disease: Alzheimer's disease 2015
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Karl HERRUP received his Bachelor's degree from Brandeis University in Waltham, MA and his Ph.D. in Neuroscience from Stanford University in 1974. After two postdoctoral fellowships –at Harvard Medical School, and the Biozentrum in Basel Switzerland – he joined the faculty of the Human Genetics Department of Yale Medical School.

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