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WORK EXPERIENCE

University Lecturer

Faculty of Chemistry and Chemical Engineering, "Babes-Bolyai" University, Cluj-Napoca [01/10/2013 - Current]

Country: Romania

Didactic activities :

- Courses, Labs and Seminaries -in field of Biocatalysis, Cosmetology, Biochemistry, Enzymatic Technology, Food Biotechnology;
- Supervising and guidance for research work of students, master students and PhD. students;

Research activities:

- Conducting own research projects;
- Team member in research projects;

Teaching Assistant

Faculty of Chemistry and Chemical Engineering, "Babes-Bolyai" University, Cluj-Napoca [01/10/2002 - 01/10/2013]

Country: Romania

Didactic activities :

- Labs and Seminaries -in field of Biochemistry, Biocatalysis, Enzymatic Technology, Food Biotechnology, Drug Biotechnology;
- Supervising and guidance of research work of students, master students;

Research activities:

- Team member in research projects;

Junior Teaching Assistant

Department de Chimie, Facultatea de Chimie si Inginerie Chimica, Universitatea "Babes-Bolyai", Cluj [01/10/1999 – 01/10/2002]

Country: Romania

Didactic activities :

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- Supervising and guidance of research work of students, master students;

Research activities:

- Team member in research projects;

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

Doctor in Chemistry, specialization Biocatalysis- Thesis title "Enzymatic and microbial assisted stereoselective reactions"

Faculty of Chemistry and Chemical Engineering, "Babes-Bolyai" University, Cluj-Napoca [2008]

Master diploma, specialization Catalysis and Biocatalysis

Faculty of Chemistry and Chemical Engineering, "Babes-Bolyai" University, Cluj-Napoca [1999 – 2000]

Chemist/ Bachelor's Diploma , specialization Chemistry

Faculty of Chemistry and Chemical Engineering, "Babes-Bolyai" University, Cluj-Napoca [1995 – 1999]

LANGUAGE SKILLS

Mother tongue(s): **Romanian**

Other language(s):

English

LISTENING C1 READING C1 WRITING C1

SPOKEN PRODUCTION C1 SPOKEN INTERACTION C1

German

LISTENING B1 READING B1 WRITING B1

SPOKEN PRODUCTION B1 SPOKEN INTERACTION B1

French

LISTENING B2 READING B2 WRITING B2

SPOKEN PRODUCTION B2 SPOKEN INTERACTION B2

Italian

LISTENING B2 READING B2 WRITING A2

SPOKEN PRODUCTION B1 SPOKEN INTERACTION B1

DIGITAL SKILLS

Microsoft Office / Navigare Internet / Microsoft PowerPoint / Microsoft office word / Zoom / Microsoft Excel

COMMUNICATION AND INTERPERSONAL SKILLS

Communication and interpersonal skills

- Very communicative, dynamic, highly motivated, sociable, responsible, emphatic;
- Excellent abilities to adapt and work in any team;
- Excellent written and verbal communication skills

ORGANISATIONAL SKILLS

Organisational skills

- Excellent organisational skills;
- Strategic planning;
- Task analysis;
- Time management skills;
- Good adaptability to team work;
- Excellent scientifically managerial capacity;
- Mental Organizational Skills;
- Developing strategies and planning;
- Individually work capacity;
- Diploma in Project Manager

AREA OF EXPERTISE

Technical skills

- Experience in enzymology, biocatalysis, bioorganic synthesis, organic synthesis;
- Experience in extraction and analysis of natural compounds;
- Experience in determination of antioxidant and antityrosinasic activity;
- Experience in formulating and cosmetology;
- Excellent technical skills in compounds analysis (NMR, HPLC, GC-MS, IR, UV-Vis), chiral chromatography, proteins separation(FPLC);
- Excellent technical skills in plant extraction, in isolation, purification and analysis of organic compounds, natural biorganic compounds(polifenols, flavonoids, antocyans, amino acids, fatty acids);
- Excellent technical skills in biocatalytical enzymatic and cellular transformation, isolation and purification of enzymes/proteins;

SPECIALIZATION STAGES

Research stages

- 06/2005-12/2005- DAAD Research scholarship at Ludwig-Maximilian University, Munich, Germany;
- 02/2002-03/2002-Ceepus research stage to University of Natural Science, Bratislava, Slovakia;
- 04/2002-05/2002 and 05/2003-06/2003 Ceepus research stage to Karl-Franzen University, Graz, Austria;
- 02/2003-03/2003 Ceepus research stage to University of Pecs, Hungary;
- 06/2007- Ceepus research stage to Eotvos Lorand University, Budapest, Hungary;
- 09/2014 and 09/2015-Erasmus training scholarship Eotvos Lorand University, Budapest, Hungary;

DOMENII DE INTERES

Scientifical interest

Bionalytical chemistry; Extraction and analysis of bioactive compounds from plants; Formulations and Cosmetology; Bioactive compounds immobilisations; Biocatalysis; Food chemistry;