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EXPERIENCE

Assistant Professor

Univeristy of Nova Gorica, Nova Gorica, Slovenia

March 2020 - Present

Researcher

Bioscience Research Centre, Orbetello (GR), Italy

November 2018 - January 2020

Evaluation of first response to plant stress due to pollution caused by different kinds and sizes of microplastics.

Post Doc

National Research Council, Sesto Fiorentino, Florence, Italy

March 2016 - November 2018

Post Doc fellowship on project: "System performance of non-food crops to drought stress: development of a plant ideotype"

Post Doc

University of Reggio Calabria, Reggio Calabria, Italy

December 2014 - August 2015

Molecular biomarker characterization from edible matrices.

Post Doc

National Research Council, Sesto Fiorentino, Florence, Italy

March 2013 - November 2014

Post Doc fellowship on project: "Ozone and Climate Change Impacts on French and Italian Forests: Refinement of Criteria and Thresholds for Forest Protection"

EDUCATION

PhD

University of Florence, Florence, Italy

27 March 2013

PhD in plant physiology with a thesis entitled: "Physiological and molecular traits of the metal excluder plant *Silene paradoxa* L."

Master degree

University of Modena and Reggio Emilia, Reggio Emilia, Italy

14 July 2009

Master degree in Plant Biotechnology with a thesis entitled:
"Preliminary evidence of recovery from virus infection through
thermotherapy and conservation of a selected line of Polesano White
Garlic".

LANGUAGES English: Good knowledge of written and spoken

**CERTIFICATES
& COURSES**

- New Genetic Engineering Techniques for Tree Improvement. Training School. EU COST Action FP 0905 Held at: Instituto de Investigação Científica Tropical, in Oeiras Campus, Portugal
- Qualification to practice the profession as a biologist (State examination)