

**EUROPEAN  
CURRICULUM VITAE  
FORMAT**



**PERSONAL INFORMATION**

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**WORK EXPERIENCE**

- Dates (from – to) **1991 – to the present**
- Name and address of employer  
Agricultural University  
Faculty of Agronomy  
Department of Agrochemistry and Soil Science  
12 Mendeleev str., 4000 Plovdiv, Bulgaria  
Phone: ++359 32 654 386  
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- Type of business or sector  
Education and research in Agricultural sector Solid and Liquid Wastes in Agriculture, Soil Fertility, Plant Nutrition, Fertilizer Application; Organic Farming
- Occupation or position held  
Professor,  
Project Manager
- Main activities and responsibilities  
Teaching of subjects: Soil Fertility, Plant Nutrition, Fertilizer Application; Introduction in Organic Farming, Composting and Utilization of Organic Wastes.  
  
Responsible for the management, research and teaching in developed national and international projects (institutional, educational and research) from University.  
  
Specialist in environmental protection, Soil Fertility, Plant Nutrition, Fertilizer Application, e-learning, education methods.

**EDUCATION AND TRAINING**

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| Dates (from – to)  | <b>1985 – 1989</b>   |
| Title of qualification to be awarded                             | <b>PHD</b>   |
| • Name and type of organization providing education and training | Post - graduate student, Fruit Growing Research Institute - Plovdiv, Dept. of Mineral Nutrition of Fruit Trees, Thesis: "Zeolite substrates as nutrition media for plants" |
| • Dates (from – to)  | <b>1976 - 1981</b>   |

- Name and type of organization providing education and training
- Title of qualification awarded

Higher Institute of Agriculture – Plovdiv,  
12 Mendeleev str. 4000, Plovdiv

**MA**, Agronomist

#### **PERSONAL SKILLS AND COMPETENCES**

**1993** , Three months training on Soil Fertility, Plant Nutrition and Fertilizer Application at the Dept of Soil Science of the University of Reading, United Kingdom, fellowship from **Tempus program**

**1994**, One month course on "Modern Horticulture" at Leuven Catholic University, Belgium

**1999**, Three months course “Soil and water Management” EICA, Cairo, Egypt

**2001**, Six months fellowship from “Japan Society for the Promotion of Science” (JSPS) – in Plant Nutritional lab, Faculty of Agriculture, Kyushu University. Title of the study: “Nitrogen balance in the soil - rice crop system at two methods of nitrogen application”

**2004**, SNCF (Swiss National Science Foundation) Swiss Fellowships and exchange program – Three months fellowship in the Group of Plant Nutrition at the Institute of Plant Science, ETH Zürich, Eschikon Experimental Station, 8315 Lindau, Switzerland - 01.2004 - 03.2004.

**2009**, **European program CEDEFOP**, study visit “Education for Sustainability through Organic Food and Farming” 7-11.09.2009, Ecological-Cultural Association “Ziarno” Poland.

**2010**, **ERASMUS program**: Staff training mobility in Universidad Politecnica de Madrid, Spain 4.09.2010 – 10.09.2010.

**2011**, **ERASMUS program**: Staff training mobility in University of Kassel, Germany 30.08.2011 – 5.09.2011.

**2011**, **Grundtvig Workshop**, “The Vine Cultivation in Cyprus, the evolution of history and taste through the centuries” – 31.10 - 04.11.2011, The Cyprus Institute for Rural and Regional Development.

**2012**, **ERASMUS program**: Staff training mobility in University ISARA, Lyon, France 28.08.2011 – 1.09.2012.

**2013**, **European program CEDEFOP**, study visit “Sustainable Agriculture, Challenges and opportunities for vocational schools” 10-14.06.2013, Justus-von-Liebig-Schule, Göppingen, Germany.

**2015**, **ERASMUS program**: Staff training mobility in University BOKU, Vein, Austria 11-13.2015.

**2017**, **ERASMUS program**: Staff training mobility in University „Szent Istvan” Godollo, Hungary, 20-24.09.2017.

## PROJECTS

- (2017-2020) **ERASMUS program:** Initiator for signing of Bilateral agreement between **Agricultural University** and **Szent Istvan University, Godollo, Hungary**
- (2016 - 2019) **Project financed by International Science and Technology Center (ISTC)** Astana, Kazakhstan: "Development of method for obtaining slow and extended-action fertilizer from alumino-silicate containing potassium, calcium, magnesium etc and capable of absorbing soluble fertilizers with steep reduction of their losses". Project No: A-2196  
Project is realized by Institute of General and Inorganic Chemistry National Academy of Sciences of the Republic of Armenia
- (2015 – 2018) **Program Erasmus+:** Developing OER and Blended Modules for Agriculture and Rural Development  
No 2015-1-MK01-KA202-002855
- (2014 – 2017) **Program Erasmus+:** Building key competences and Folkhighschool Pedagogy in XXI Europe, No 2014-1-PL01-KA200-003642
- (2012 – 2015) **ERASMUS program:** Initiator for signing of Bilateral agreement between **Agricultural University** and:  
**Warsaw University of Life Sciences, (Szkoła Główna Gospodarstwa Wiejskiego), Warsaw, Poland,**  
**University of South Bohemia, Faculty of Agriculture, Dept. of Applied Plant Biotechnology, Czech Republic**  
**University of Agricultural Sciences and Veterinary Medicine, Iasi, Romania**  
**University of Gastronomic Sciences, Pollenzo, Bra, Italy**
- (2011 – 2014) **Swiss program SCOPES,** Advancing training and teaching of organic agriculture in South-East Europe (Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Kosovo, Bulgaria, Hungary), No IZ74Z0 137328 / 1
- (2010 – 2012) **LLP-LdV project, AGROTRAIN** Innovation-based organic farming through user-friendly training tools, No 2010-1-BG1-LEO05-03091
- (2012 – 2013) **ERASMUS program:** Initiator of signing of Bilateral agreement between **Agricultural University** and **ISARA-Lyon, France,** Engineering school in agriculture, alimentation, rural development and environment.
- (2010 – 2013) **ERASMUS program:** Initiator for signing of Bilateral agreement between **Agricultural University** and **University of Kassel, Germany,** Faculty of Organic Agricultural Sciences.
- (2010 – 2013) **ERASMUS program:** Initiator for signing of Bilateral agreement between **Agricultural University** and **Universidad Politecnica de Madrid, Spain,** Escuela Tecnica Superior de Ingenieros Agronomos.
- (2009 – 2013) **TEMPUS project,** Using local resources for microregional development, sustainable agribusiness and tourism in the southern Balkans No 159143-TEMPUS-1-2009-1-HU-TEMPUS-JCPR
- (2009 – 2011) **LLP-LdV project,** Innovation Support in Local Environments: Transference of Innosupport project to local environments, No ES/09/LLP-LdV/TOI/149055

- (2008 – 2009) **Project financed from European Social Fund and Bulgarian Ministry of Education**, Students practice in higher agricultural education – connection between education, science and business, No BG051PO001/07/3.3-01/109
- (2008 – 2009) **Bulgarian operational program “Development of human resources”**, Providing of access for vocational training of gypsy families
- (2008 – 2010) **Project financed by Agricultural University**: Creation of multimedia system for self education on chemical and ecological subjects, № 15/08
- (2008 – 2013) Best management practices for sustainable crop nutrition in Bulgaria (BMPSCN), **financed by IPNI (International Plant Nutrition Institute)**
- (2008 – 2010) **LIFELONG LEARNING PROGRAMME GRUNDTVIG, Direction: Organic – Vehicle: Education (DOVE)**, No LLP-2008-GRU-LP-03
- (2008) **EUROPEAN PROJECT**, Soil Conservation and Policy Measures: the Case Studies (SoCo-CS)  
*Project No: 150872-FIED-DE*
- (2004 – 2007) **Programe SDC (Swiss programe)** - Program of SDC for support of organic farming in Bulgaria
- (2006 – 2007) **LdV, RO/05/B/P/PP175010** European Curriculum for Methodological Training in the field of Environmental Education (EE)
- (2001-2003) **LdV, E/00/B/F/PP-115083 SAVIGMA** – Environmental Management System Self-education by Internet
- (2003-2004) **LdV, I/02/B/F-PP-120091 GILDA** - Governance in Local Development Actions
- (2004 – 2006) **LdV, IRL/03/B/F/PP-153115**, Building the Future for Agricultural Communities through Life-Long Learning
- (2001-2003) **SCOPES**, Training and Teaching in Organic Agriculture in Bulgaria and Romania  
Project No 7IP 62633
- (2002-2004) **SCOPES**, Curriculum Development for Agricultural Colleges in Bulgaria and Bosnia and Herzegovina,  
Project No 7IP 65616
- (1994-1995) **COPE**, Standards on Nitrate in the European Community: Process of Change in policy Instruments and Agriculture  
Project No CT920155

## MEMBERSHIP IN PROFESIONAL ORGANISATIONS

- from 2003 Member of certification commission of the organic certification organization **Balkan Biocert**.
- from 2010 Bulgarian representative in **ENOAT** (The European Network of Organic Agriculture Teachers)
- from 2013 to 2016 Member of permanent scientific – expert commission on Agricultural sciences at Bulgarian fund “Scientific research”
- 2017 Member of temporary scientific – expert commission on Agricultural sciences at Bulgarian fund “Scientific research”

**PUBLICATIONS**

85

**MOTHER TONGUE**

BULGARIAN

**OTHER LANGUAGES***LANGUAGE 1:***English** Reading (excellent); Writing (good); Oral (good)*LANGUAGE 2:***Russian** Reading (excellent); Writing (good); Oral (good)**ORGANISATIONAL SKILLS  
AND COMPETENCES**

Project Manager in the NGO: “Alliance for ecology and foreign languages”, Preparation and management of projects;

AUG. 2013

Entire organisation of annual meeting of **ENOAT** in Plovdiv**COMPUTER SKILLS  
AND COMPETENCES**

- Computer Literacy – Microsoft Office, Internet;
- Skills at preparation and conducting educational and research projects, programmes, questionnaires etc.